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Nevernight Sep 11

2021 Nevernight is

the first in an epic

new fantasy series

from the New York

Times bestselling

author, Jay Kristoff.

In a land where

three suns almost

never set, a

fledgling killer joins

a school of

assassins, seeking

vengeance against

the powers who

destroyed her

family. Daughter of

an executed traitor,

Mia Corvere is

barely able to

escape her father's

failed rebellion with

her life. Alone and

friendless, she

hides in a city built

from the bones of a

dead god, hunted

by the Senate and her father's former comrades. But her gift for speaking with the shadows leads her to the door of a retired killer, and a future she never imagined. Now, a sixteen year old Mia is apprenticed to the deadliest flock of assassins in the entire Republic — the Red Church. Treachery and trials await her with the Church's halls, and to fail is to die. But if she survives to initiation, Mia will be inducted among the chosen of the Lady of Blessed Murder, and one step closer to the only thing she desires. Revenge.

Small Business Taxes For

Dummies Mar 17 2022 Small

business taxes taxing you out? For most business owners, their single biggest "expense" (and headache) is dealing with their taxes. And while the just passed Congressional tax bill reduced taxes for many of the estimated 30 million small business owners in the U.S., the nation's taxes continue to be complex. Not being up-to-speed on tax rules and strategies can lead to mistakes that cost business owners thousands of dollars in fines and penalties every year. Small Business Taxes For Dummies assists both current and aspiring small business owners with important tax

planning issues, including complete coverage of the tax changes taking effect in 2018, creating an ongoing tax routine, dealing with the IRS, and navigating audits and notices. Includes issues influencing incorporated small businesses, partnerships, and LLCs Offers expanded coverage of other business taxes including payroll and sales taxes Provides websites and other online tax resources Gives guidance to millennials juggling multiple gigs If you're a current or aspiring small business owner looking for the most up-to-date tax planning issues, this book keeps you covered.

Roland's Path May 19 2022 Vanity has a high price. A price paid by kingdoms, tribes, and peoples. Now swords, once pledged to justice, rust on the altars of the self-righteous. This is the tale of a young man in his quest for fame and glory. However, those goals pale next to his desire to earn his father's approval. This is the beginning of a legend and the path to salvation for a generation. Filled with shame, Roland seeks the aid of his childhood friend on an adventure in search of redemption. With some unlikely help, they may indeed find redemption for themselves and a nation. They also

discover what Fate never intended. The following is based on actual events. Events shared by good friends during a pen and paper RPG campaign spanning more than two decades. Names of characters and locations have been changed for the sake of copy right, and embarrassment, of the aforementioned friends. *God Dies by the Nile and Other Novels* Jun 27 2020 *God Dies by the Nile* is Saadawi's attempt to square religion with a society in which women are respected as equals; Searching expresses the poignancy of loss and doubt with the hypnotic intensity

of a remembered dream; while in *The Circling Song*, Saadawi pursues the conflicts of sex, class, gender and military violence deep into the psyche. *Through a Dragon's Eyes* Aug 22 2022 A magic long forgotten. Four races divided. An epic journey. She lost her brother, now will she lose her life? Ever since the Treaty was signed after the Great War, one hundred and fifty years earlier, the separate races of Xantearos have been divided. Only every six months do a select group come together for the Passover-a time to trade much needed produce. In the human city of Anthoinia, Dela

Stonebridge has already lost her brother to The Choosing, and now it is her turn. The grueling journey across the mountains, through the Southern Pass, is always dangerous, but when magic and madness descends, she discovers herself exiled with the leaders of the three other races- the Elvish, Moerians and Norcs. With the Treaty broken, they learn the secret to the unity of Xantearos lies in a magic long thought dead... that of the Dragonstone and the Dragonsayer. Can they put their differences aside and work together to make their way back to their homelands? Or will

they be walking into a war between each of their races?

One Dark, Two Light Feb 04 2021
New Year's Eve, London. Outside a pub, a man has been left to die. He will never walk or speak again. He remains in hospital, nameless, until criminal defence lawyer Sarah Kellerman walks onto his ward.

Her Bush Nov 01 2020
Everything went wrong when I trimmed his bush. And no, it's not what you're thinking. I'm a professional. The client hired me to trim a bush in his garden for a party. I accidentally turned it into something that rhymes with "a big rock and walls". Imagine my surprise when the

art world decides it's a masterpiece. Were my raging hormones the cause of my bush sculpting blunder? I mean, who would blame me if they were? After meeting Harry Barnidge for the first time, my brain went straight to cavewoman mode. There were undignified fantasies of being bashed over the head and carried off to a cave, a significant loss of vocabulary, and maybe even a little drooling. But I can't focus on that. On him I need this job to make my little sister's dreams come true. Until now, I've managed to screw everything in my professional and personal life

up, but I'm determined to make this work. So when Mr. Heartstopper offers to help me manage my accidental art career, it's impossible to say no. It's like the old saying goes. If you erect it, they will come. Or something like that. Harry I was done with relationships, until her. The new gardener took everything I knew and flipped it upside down. And once I saw her bush? Well, that was when I knew she was something special. Women have tried a lot of things to get my attention, but Nell's bush has to be the boldest method. I mean, there was the direct approach, and then

there was turning a ten-foot bush into... that. So of course, I asked her out. And when the biggest art critic in the country declared her bush a work of art, I offered to become her agent... even if my specialty was books. Now I just have to convince her that I want more than our professional relationship. No matter the cost. Even when my biggest rival wants to steal her from under me and threatens to ruin me if I tell the truth about him.

The Key Jul 09
2021 Seventeen-year-old Rema lives in a brutal kingdom where travel between regions is forbidden, people are starving, and looking at someone

the wrong way can mean death. Nineteen-year-old Darmik is the king's son and Commander of the King's Army. He spends his days roaming the island, doing his father's bidding and trying to maintain control over the people. When a chance encounter throws Rema and Darmik together, they share an instantaneous connection, but any sort of relationship between them is strictly forbidden. Darmik's brother, the Crown Prince, notices Darmik's interest in Rema and, in a calculated, political move, blackmails her. Faced with an impossible choice, Rema is forced to sacrifice her heart

in order to save her family. As Rema is taken to the palace with the Crown Prince, Darmik confronts the growing rumor that a legitimate blood heir to the throne exists and is trying to overthrow Darmik's family. In Darmik's quest to hunt down and kill the threat, he discovers that nothing is as it seems. Locked in the king's castle, Rema finds herself a key player in a massive power struggle. When Darmik shows up, she's not sure if she can trust him. The line between friends, enemies, and loyalty becomes blurred. As truths are unlocked, Rema understands that she just might be

the key to finding the rightful heir and restoring peace to the kingdom . . . if she can manage to stay alive long enough.

Volunteer Is a Work of Heart

Nov 25 2022

Looking for a great gift to show your appreciation and support for a friend? Need a new journal in your life? This unique funny notebook / journal is the perfect way to express your love and gratitude to your friends and family! Filled with 50+ double sided sheets (110 writing pages!) of lined paper, this inspirational notebook with motivational quote makes a memorable useful present for anybody. Give your friend an inspiring

gift they'll remember! With a beautiful matte, full-color paperback cover, this cute lined notebook can be used as a diary to record all your creative stories. High quality ruled journal of ideal size suitable for kids, women or men to write. Best cool small gift under \$10! Desired Awesome Journals are perfect for: Birthday Christmas Gifts New Job Gift Colleague/ Co-worker/ Boss Gifts Journals & Planners Doodle Diaries Homeschool Planners for Kids Creative Writing Notebooks Gifts for Mom Dad, Grandma Grandpa, Cousins, Brother Sister Retirement Gifts School Notebooks Student Graduation

Gifts Teacher
Thank You Gifts
Mom Daughter
Journal Journaling
For Kids Book
Lover Souvenir
Novelty Blank
Scrapbook Monthly
Project Tracker
Practical Plan
Checklist And much
more..... Place
your order today!
*Linux All-in-One For
Dummies* Sep 23
2022 A complete
guide and reference
to five major Linux
distributions Linux
continues to grow
in popularity
worldwide as a low-
cost, reliable
operating system
for enterprise use.
Nine minibooks in
this guide cover
everything
administrators need
to know about the
five leading
versions: Ubuntu,
Fedora Core,
OpenSUSE, Mint,

and Mandriva. The
companion DVD
includes full
Ubuntu
installations and
ISO images for the
other four, saving
hours of
downloading time.
The open source
Linux operating
system is gaining
market share
around the world
for both desktop
and server use; this
soup-to-nuts guide
covers installation
and everything else
administrators need
to know about
Ubuntu, Fedora
Core, OpenSUSE,
Mint, and Mandriva
Nine self-contained
minibooks cover
Linux basics,
desktops,
networking,
Internet,
administration,
security, Linux
servers,
programming, and

scripting Updated
to cover the newest
versions of the five
top distributions,
with complete
installation
instructions and a
DVD including the
full Ubuntu
installations and
ISO images for the
others Linux users
and administrators
will be able to
install and sample
five popular Linux
flavors with the
information in
*Linux All-in-One For
Dummies*. Note:
CD-ROM/DVD and
other
supplementary
materials are not
included as part of
eBook file.

Ten Nights

Dreaming Aug 10

2021 A murderer
discovers his true
nature from a
talking infant, a
samurai is
frustrated in his

attempts to meditate, and a dying man bestows his hat on a friend in these surrealistic short stories. The dream-like, open-ended tales by the father of Japanese modernist literature offer thought-provoking reflections on fear, death, and loneliness. Their settings range from the Meiji period of the late nineteenth and early twentieth century, the era in which the tales were written, to the prehistoric Age of the Gods; the twelfth-century Kamakura period, in which the samurai class emerged; and the remote future. A scholar of British literature, author Natsume Sōseki (1867–1916) was

also a composer of haiku, kanshi, and fairy tales. The stories of Ten Nights Dreaming, which were originally published as a newspaper serial, constitute milestones of Japanese fantasy. Like Sōseki's other writings, they have had a profound effect on readers, writers, and filmmakers. This edition features an expert new English translation by Matt Treyvaud, who has translated the story "The Cat's Grave" for this work as well.

Limited Wish May 27 2020 One choice. Two possible timelines. And a world hanging in the balance. It's the summer of 1986 and reluctant

prodigy Nick Hayes is a student at Cambridge University, working with world-renowned mathematician Professor Halligan. He just wants to be a regular student, but regular isn't really an option for a boy-genius cancer survivor who's already dabbled in time travel. When he crosses paths with a mysterious yet curiously familiar girl, Nick discovers that creases have appeared in the fabric of time, and that he is at the centre of the disruption. Only Nick can resolve this time paradox before the damage becomes catastrophic for both him and the future of the world.

Time is running out--literally. Wrapped up with him in this potentially apocalyptic scenario are his ex-girlfriend, Mia, and fellow student Helen. Facing the world-ending chaos of a split in time, Nick must act fast and make the choice of a lifetime-or lifetimes. Game on.

Calculus Workbook For Dummies Aug 30 2020 Your light-hearted, practical approach to conquering calculus Does the thought of calculus give you a coronary? You aren't alone. Thankfully, this new edition of *Calculus Workbook For Dummies* makes it infinitely easier. Focusing "beyond the classroom," it

contains calculus exercises you can work on that will help to increase your confidence and improve your skills. This hands-on, friendly guide gives you hundreds of practice problems on limits, vectors, continuity, differentiation, integration, curve-sketching, conic sections, natural logarithms, and infinite series.

Calculus is a gateway and potential stumbling block for students interested in pursuing a career in math, science, engineering, finance, and technology.

Calculus students, along with math students in nearly all disciplines, benefit greatly from opportunities to

practice different types of problems—in the classroom and out. *Calculus Workbook For Dummies* takes you step-by-step through each concept, operation, and solution, explaining the "how" and "why" in plain English, rather than math-speak. Through relevant instruction and practical examples, you'll soon learn that real-life calculus isn't nearly the monster it's made out to be. Master differentiation and integration Use the calculus microscope: limits Analyze common functions Score your highest in calculus Complete with tips for problem-solving and traps to avoid,

Calculus Workbook For Dummies is your sure-fire weapon for conquering calculus!

Go May 07 2021 A Korean student living in Japan struggles with his ancestry especially with Sakurai, a Japanese girl he has fallen in love with.

Saint's Blood Jan 15 2022 "TO READ THEM IS TO LOVE THEM" --The Oklahoman "DE CASTELL HAS MANAGED YET AGAIN TO TOP HIS PREVIOUS BOOK BY CREATING WHAT WILL SURELY BE ONE OF THE BEST FANTASY BOOKS OF THE YEAR." --Tattooed Book Geek The Greatcoats are back--and this time it's personal. How do you kill a Saint?

Falcio, Kest, and Brasti are about to find out, because someone has figured out a way to do it and they've started with a friend. The Dukes were already looking for ways out of their agreement to put Aline on the throne, but with the Saints turning up dead, rumors are spreading that the Gods themselves oppose her ascension. Now churches are looking to protect themselves by bringing back the military orders of religious soldiers, assassins, and (especially) Inquisitors - a move that could turn the country into a theocracy. The only way Falcio can put a stop to it is by

finding the murderer. He has only one clue: a terrifying iron mask which makes the Saints vulnerable by driving them mad. But even if he can find the killer, he'll still have to face him in battle. And that may be a duel that no swordsman, no matter how skilled, can hope to win.

To Best the Boys Jun 08 2021 The task is simple: Don a disguise. Survive the labyrinth . . . Best the boys. Every year for the past fifty-four years, the residents of Pinsbury Port have received a mysterious letter inviting all eligible-aged boys to compete for an esteemed scholarship to the all-male Stenwick

University. The poorer residents look to see if their names are on the list. The wealthier look to see how likely their sons are to survive. And Rhen Tellur opens it to see if she can derive which substances the ink and parchment are created from, using her father's microscope. In the province of Caldon, where women train in wifely duties and men pursue collegiate education, sixteen-year-old Rhen Tellur wants nothing more than to become a scientist. As the poor of her seaside town fall prey to a deadly disease, she and her father work desperately to find a cure. But when her mum succumbs

to it as well? Rhen decides to take the future into her own hands—through the annual all-male scholarship competition. With her cousin, Seleni, by her side, the girls don disguises and enter Mr. Holm's labyrinth, to best the boys and claim the scholarship prize. Except not everyone is ready for a girl who doesn't know her place. And not everyone survives the deadly maze. Welcome to the labyrinth. Praise for *To Best the Boys*: "Atmospheric, romantic, inspiring."
—KRISTEN CICCARELLI, internationally bestselling author of *The Last Namsara* "Smart,

determined, and ready to take on the world: Rhen Tellur is an outstanding heroine with every reason to win a competition historically intended for boys."
—Jodi Meadows, *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Incarnate Trilogy* and coauthor of *My Lady Jane A "Hunger Games/Handmaid's Tale mash-up."*
—BN Teen Blog
[Web Coding & Development All-in-One For Dummies](#)
Dec 14 2021 Speak the languages that power the web With more high-paying web development jobs opening every day, people with coding and web/app building skills are having no problems finding

employment. If you're a would-be developer looking to gain the know-how to build the interfaces, databases, and other features that run modern websites, web apps, and mobile apps, look no further. *Web Coding & Development All-in-One For Dummies* is your go-to interpreter for speaking the languages that handle those tasks. Get started with a refresher on the rules of coding before diving into the languages that build interfaces, add interactivity to the web, or store and deliver data to sites. When you're ready, jump into guidance on how to put it all together to build a site or

create an app. Get the lowdown on coding basics. Review HTML and CSS. Make sense of JavaScript, jQuery, PHP, and MySQL. Create code for web and mobile apps. There's a whole world of opportunity out there for developers—and this fast-track boot camp is here to help you acquire the skills you need to take your career to new heights! *Python For Kids For Dummies* Dec 02 2020 The kid-friendly way to learning coding with Python. Calling all wanna-be coders! Experts point to Python as one of the best languages to start with when you're learning coding, and *Python For Kids*

For Dummies makes it easier than ever. Packed with approachable, bite-sized projects that won't make you lose your cool, this fun and friendly guide teaches the basics of coding with Python in a language you can understand. In no time, you'll be installing Python tools, creating guessing games, building a geek speak translator, making a trivia game, constructing a Minecraft chat client, and so much more. Whether you don't have the opportunity to take coding classes at school or in camp—or just simply prefer to learn on your own—*Python For Kids For*

Dummies makes getting acquainted with this popular coding language fast and easy. It walks you step-by-step through basic coding projects and provides lots of hands-on tasks that give you a sweet sense of accomplishment when you complete them. What's not to love about that? Navigate the basics of coding with the Python language. Create your own applications and games. Find help from other Python users. Expand your technology skills with Python. If you're a pre-early-teen looking to add coding skills to your creativity toolbox, Python For Kids For Dummies is your sure-fire weapon for getting

up and running with one of the hottest programming languages around. *The Piatkus Dictionary of Mind, Body and Spirit* Dec 26 2022 Don't know your asana from your elemental? Have you always wanted to know the difference between a psychic and a spirit medium? The Piatkus Dictionary of Mind Body & Spirit will make you an instant expert. This definitive reference work covers all aspects of this growing field of interest, covering subjects as diverse as holistic health and alternative therapies; eastern medical practices; ancient civilisations; alternative spiritual teachings and

practices; pagan religions and magic; religion and philosophy of eastern and ancient cultures; astrology, divination and prophecy; earth energies and geomancy; mythology and folklore; self-help and personal development. Both an expert's guide to definitions, and a browser's delight, *The Piatkus Dictionary of Mind Body & Spirit* is a fun and invaluable reference book. **When Rivals Lose: A Bully Romance** Feb 16 2022 HARLOW Darkness surrounds me. Who am I? I don't remember anything. Every memory of my life gone. I wake in a hospital not knowing my own

name. I don't know these people who claim to be are my parents, but they take care of me, they show me pictures... and introduce me to my fiancé? I guess I was living a perfect life before my accident. I had it all, so I try to remember. I try to keep living my life, but I can't shake the feeling that something is off. I'm noticing things are not adding up. I'm catching people around me lying and I know something is terribly wrong. It seems like my memory is not the only thing missing...

SULLIVAN How could I have been so stupid? How could I've let them play me like this?

This is all my fault. I hurt her, I let this happen, and now she is in her parents clutches again. Even worse, she doesn't remember anything... she doesn't remember us. I hate my parents for playing their part in this and my brothers hate me for playing mine. I need to fix this. I need to make my brothers forgive me so we can save her, we need to make her remember what kind of people her parents really are... before it's too late. Now the only question is if she remembers... will she ever forgive me?

The Accidentals

Apr 06 2021

Following the death of their mother

from a botched backwoods abortion, the McAlister daughters have to cope with the ripple effect of this tragedy as they come of age in 1950s Mississippi and then grow up to face their own impossible choices—an unforgettable, beautiful novel that is threaded throughout with the stories of mothers and daughters in pre-Roe versus Wade America. Life heads down back alleys, takes sharp left turns. Then, one fine day it jumps the track and crashes." In the fall of 1957, Olivia McAlister is living in Opelika, Mississippi, caring for her two girls, June and Grace,

and her husband, Holly. She dreams of living a much larger life—seeing the world and returning to her wartime job at a landing boat factory in New Orleans. As she watches over the birds in her yard, Olivia feels like an “accidental”—a migratory bird blown off course. When Olivia becomes pregnant again, she makes a fateful decision, compelling Grace, June, and Holly to cope in different ways. While their father digs up the backyard to build a bomb shelter, desperate to protect his family, Olivia’s spinster sister tries to take them all under her wing. But the impact of Olivia’s

decision reverberates throughout Grace’s and June’s lives. Grace, caught up in an unconventional love affair, becomes one of the “girls who went away” to have a baby in secret. June, guilt-ridden for her part in exposing Grace’s pregnancy, eventually makes an unhappy marriage. Meanwhile Ed Mae Johnson, an African-American care worker in a New Orleans orphanage, is drastically impacted by Grace’s choices. As the years go by, their lives intersect in ways that reflect the unpredictable nature of bird flight that lands in accidental locations—and the consolations of

imperfect return. Filled with tragedy, humor, joy, and the indomitable strength of women facing the constricted spaces of the 1950s and 60s, *The Accidentals* is a poignant, timely novel that reminds us of the hope and consolation that can be found in unexpected landings.

His Package Jul 29
2020 His package ended up inside my box. Calm down, perv. My mailbox. As soon as I saw what was inside, I knew two things: It belonged to my hot neighbor, and he had a dirty secret. Normally, I was more of a cat person. As in, if I had to choose who lives,

The Glass Wives

Mar 05 2021 Evie and Nicole Glass share a last name. They also shared a husband. When a tragic car accident ends the life of Richard Glass, it also upends the lives of Evie and Nicole, and their children. There's no love lost between the widow and the ex. In fact, Evie sees a silver lining in all this heartache—the chance to rid herself of Nicole once and for all. But Evie wasn't counting on her children's bond with their baby half-brother, and she wasn't counting on Nicole's desperate need to hang on to the threads of family, no matter how frayed. Strapped for cash, Evie

cautiously agrees to share living expenses—and her home—with Nicole and the baby. But when Evie suspects that Nicole is determined to rearrange more than her kitchen, Evie must decide who she can trust. More than that, she must ask: what makes a family? *The Glass Wives* is Amy Sue Nathan's heartfelt debut novel.

GRE For Dummies Jan 03 2021 The fast and easy way to score higher on the GRE Does the thought of preparing for the GRE give you goose bumps? Fear not! This new edition of *GRE For Dummies with Online Practice* gives you a competitive edge by fully preparing you

for the GRE exam with subject reviews and tons of practice opportunities. Written in the accessible and friendly style that has defined the *For Dummies* brand for more than twenty years, this hands-on guide helps you assess where you need more study help, gets you up-to-speed on the questions you can expect to encounter on the actual GRE exam, and will have you practicing your way to test-taking perfection by exam day. *The Graduate Record Examinations* is a standardized test and admission requirement for most graduate schools in the United States. *THE GRE* aims to

measure verbal reasoning, quantitative reasoning, analytical writing, and critical thinking skills that have been acquired over a long period of time and that are not related to any specific field of study. If you're an aspiring graduate school student preparing for this all-important exam, GRE For Dummies with Online Practice gives you everything you need to increase your chances of scoring higher. Includes full-length GRE practice tests and hundreds of practice questions to prepare you for test day Provides trusted GRE test-taking strategies to help you score your highest Helps you

master verbal reasoning, quantitative reasoning, and analytical writing Gives you access to GRE practice questions online So what are you waiting for? Start practicing today—and get into the graduate school of your dreams! **Ascendant** Oct 24 2022 In the second installment of Assassin, Adalia is back and stronger than ever. With bounty hunters on her tail, Adalia fights in the Rings, laying low and earning just enough to keep herself alive. Meanwhile, tensions are skyrocketing between the four kingdoms, each prepared to wage war against the other. Adalia is

reunited with old friends in places she'd least expect. Love is the last thing on her mind—even though she finds herself running into it at every turn. A perilous voyage awaits her, and Adalia is faced with obstacles that will test her strength, hope, and leadership. Just when it seems like things can't get any worse, hidden secrets and forgotten pasts are brought to light—ones that can either reunite the kingdoms once and for all, or tear them apart for eternity. A war is brewing, and once again, Adalia is standing right in the eye of the storm. **We've Got People** Jan 27 2023

Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez may seem like she came from nowhere, but the movement that propelled her to office - and to global political stardom - has been building for 30 years. We've Got People is the story of that movement, which first exploded into public view with the largely forgotten presidential run of the Rev. Jesse Jackson, a campaign that came dangerously close to winning. With the party and the nation at a crossroads, this timely and original book offers new insight into how we've gotten where we are - and where we're headed.

Popular Hits of the Showa Era: A

Novel Jul 21 2022
From the author of Audition, a wickedly satirical and wildly funny tale of an intergenerational battle of the sexes. In his most irreverent novel yet, Ryu Murakami creates a rivalry of epic proportions between six aimless youths and six tough-as-nails women who battle for control of a Tokyo neighborhood. At the outset, the young men seem louche but harmless, their activities limited to drinking, snacking, peering at a naked neighbor through a window, and performing karaoke. The six "aunties" are fiercely independent career women. When one

of the boys executes a lethal ambush of one of the women, chaos ensues. The women band together to find the killer and exact revenge. In turn, the boys buckle down, study physics, and plot to take out their nemeses in a single blast. Who knew that a deadly "gang war" could be such fun? Murakami builds the conflict into a hilarious, spot-on satire of modern culture and the tensions between the sexes and generations. The Phoenix Jun 20 2022 An "insightful cultural history of the mythical, self-immolating bird" from Ancient Egypt to contemporary pop culture by the author of The Book of Gryphons

(Library Journal). The phoenix, which rises again and again from its own ashes, has been a symbol of resilience and renewal for thousands of years. But how did this mythical bird come to play a part in cultures around the world and throughout human history? Here, mythologist Joseph Nigg presents a comprehensive biography of this legendary creature. Beginning in ancient Egypt, Nigg's sweeping narrative discusses the many myths and representations of the phoenix, including legends of the Chinese, where it was considered a sacred creature that presided over China's destiny; classical Greece

and Rome, where it appears in the writings of Herodotus and Ovid; medieval Christianity, in which it came to embody the resurrection; and in Europe during the Renaissance, when it was a popular emblem of royals. Nigg examines the various phoenix traditions, the beliefs and tales associated with them, their symbolic and metaphoric use, and their appearance in religion, bestiaries, and even contemporary popular culture, in which the ageless bird of renewal is employed as a mascot and logo. "An exceptional work of scholarship."—Publi

shers Weekly **For King and Corruption** Oct 12 2021 After five months of journeying across the continent with her sister, Quinn is finally ready to return to the king she swore to serve. But war has been brewing over Norcasta in her absence. While Lazarus may reign as king, there are those that would see the blood heirs in power instead. Quinn, however, will never let that happen. Her brutality threatens to drive a wedge between her and those she cares about, but they should know she would do anything to protect them. Caught between the wills of his Left and Right Hands,

Lazarus must navigate the pit of vipers that is his court and decide what sort of king he wants to be. But when Quinn pushes too far, she ignites a series of events that will either cement his rule, or destroy House Fierté entirely.

Hidden Current

(Book 1) Nov 13 2021 The dancers of the Order direct their floating world of Meriel with their movement... but are they steering it toward destruction? Calara spent her life learning dance patterns and seeking to become the perfect servant to her people. When she discovers the work of the Order is built on lies, she flees with a rough-edged herder, Brantley of

Windswell. Pursued by soldiers, her journey through the suffering villages of the rim leads her to encounter a truth that sends ripples through her world-- and through her soul. As she seeks clues to her forgotten family, Calara discovers newfound courage in the face of danger, while her quest awakens a growing but forbidden affection for Brantley. Yet even his support can't fully be trusted, since he'd rather destroy the Order than bring reform. She is a lone woman facing opposition from rim villages and treachery from the all-powerful Order. Can she restore the dance to its true purpose and bring

freedom and hope to her people?

Finding Time Apr 18 2022 Employers demand more of employees' time while leaving the important things in life—health, family—for workers to take care of on their own time and dime. How can workers get ahead while making sure their families don't fall behind?

Heather Boushey shows in detail that economic efficiency and equity do not have to be enemies.

Dispel Illusion

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Sometimes being wrong is the right answer. Nick Hayes's genius is in wringing out the universe's secrets. It's a talent that's allowed him to carve paths through time. But the worst

part is that he knows how his story will end. He's seen it with his own eyes. And every year that passes, every breakthrough he makes, brings him a step closer. Mia's accident is waiting for them both in 2011. If it happens then he's out of choices. Then a chance 1992 discovery reveals that this seeker of truth has been lying to himself. But why? It's a question that haunts him for years. A straw he clings to as his

long-awaited fate draws near. Time travel turns out not to be the biggest problem Nick has to work on. He needs to find out how he can stay on his path but change the destination. Failure has never been an option, and neither has survival. But Nick's hoping to roll the dice one more time. And this new truth begins with a lie.

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