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The book that inspired the major new motion picture *Mandela: Long Walk to Freedom*. Nelson Mandela is one of the great moral and political leaders of our time: an international hero whose lifelong dedication to the fight against racial oppression in South Africa won him the Nobel Peace Prize and the presidency of his country. Since his triumphant release in 1990 from more than a quarter-century of imprisonment, Mandela has been at the center of the most compelling and inspiring political drama in the world. As president of the African National Congress and head of South Africa's antiapartheid movement, he was instrumental in moving the nation toward multiracial government and majority rule. He is revered everywhere as a vital force in the fight for human rights and racial equality. **LONG**

WALK TO FREEDOM is his moving and exhilarating autobiography, destined to take its place among the finest memoirs of history's greatest figures. Here for the first time, Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela tells the extraordinary story of his life--an epic of struggle, setback, renewed hope, and ultimate triumph.

Twentieth-Century Building Materials John Wiley & Sons

The automotive industry has a tumultuous history rife with back-room deals, brilliant innovation, colorful characters, and marked by the complete transformation of our planet. In *Auto Empire*, author Choi paints a compelling picture of the birth and growth of the modern auto industry. And how acquisitions and mergers, in particular, have paved the way for the auto industry of today and tomorrow. From the first steam-powered carriage, to alternative energy and self-driving cars, the world can barely accommodate the ambitions of this massive

industry. But in *Auto Empire*, Choi fearlessly tackles the industry in all its glory and failings to illuminate how it transformed itself and the world. Choi unfolds a fascinating history that spans diverse industries, epic upheavals, and touches every corner of the world. *Auto Empire* seamlessly weaves the eras of the automotive industry into a thought-provoking portrait of its continued evolution through acquisitions and mergers. To think, we went from sweatshop assembly lines and 14-hour work days, to high-tech automation and digital innovation. In *Auto Empire*, Choi captures this amazing spirit of transformation.

Night Comes To The Cumberlands: A Biography Of A Depressed Area Macmillan

The Author suggests using the 4-year political cycle as an investment strategy. And subsequently, he writes about the superperformance

stocks of the time, and the common denominators of those stocks. What traits do they have in common, how to find them? Definition of a superperformance stock: "One that at least tripled in price and increased at a minimum rate of three times during a two-year period. A move was considered ended if the price failed to reach a new high in less than six months, or if there was a price reaction of 25 percent or more." Stocks that have a chance to become superperformance stocks share some of these characteristics: Large increases of earnings, especially if the large increase comes as a surprise. Mergers and acquisitions. New management. New products. Large increases of earnings and sales are the main reason for a stock to rise substantially. Other reasons come into play as well, as mergers and acquisitions, new management and new products are all in service of providing higher earning power for a company. The market discounts the future, and that might be enough to push the price higher significantly, even though the increase in earnings is not still visible. However, if those expectations are not realized in the future, the price of the stock may drop

severely, as the move would inflate the valuation. The best results come after the market has experienced a severe correction or a bear market, because that is the time when there would be many bargain opportunities in that environment. The environment is dependent on the fiscal and monetary situation, as the lowering of interest rates and fiscal stimulation lead to higher stock prices. And that is the environment where superperformance stocks are abundant and have the most potential. Rising interest rates and fiscal tightening are negative for stocks in general, and in that kind of environment it is much harder to find a stock with potential to have a large increase in price. History often repeats itself in the stock market. The names of the stocks change, but the overall situation is always similar. Acceleration of earning power is the most important thing to look for when examining the potential of a stock to become a superperformance stock. And the superperformance move will most often coincide with the bull market cycle of the general market. Ignition! Oxfam Here is the ultimate book on the worldwide movement of hackers, pranksters, and

activists that operates under the non-name Anonymous, by the writer the Huffington Post says " knows all of Anonymous ' deepest, darkest secrets. " Half a dozen years ago, anthropologist Gabriella Coleman set out to study the rise of this global phenomenon just as some of its members were turning to political protest and dangerous disruption (before Anonymous shot to fame as a key player in the battles over WikiLeaks, the Arab Spring, and Occupy Wall Street). She ended up becoming so closely connected to Anonymous that the tricky story of her inside – outside status as Anon confidante, interpreter, and erstwhile mouthpiece forms one of the themes of this witty and entirely engrossing book. The narrative brims with details unearthed from within a notoriously mysterious subculture, whose semi-legendary tricksters—such as Topiary, tflow, Anachaos, and Sabu—emerge as complex, diverse, politically and culturally sophisticated people. Propelled by years of chats and encounters with a multitude of hackers, including imprisoned activist Jeremy Hammond and the double agent who helped put him away, Hector Monsegur, Hacker, Hoaxer,

Whistleblower, Spy is filled with insights into the meaning of digital activism and little understood facets of culture in the Internet age, including the history of “trolling,” the ethics and metaphysics of hacking, and the origins and manifold meanings of “the lulz.”

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"The thirty-six stories in this collection imaginatively take us far across the universe, into the very core of our beings, to the realm of the gods, and the moment just after now"--Page 4 of cover.

Eden Mine Farrar, Straus and Giroux
This newly reissued debut book in the Rutgers University Press Classics Imprint is the story of the search for a rocket propellant which could be trusted to take man into space. This search was a hazardous enterprise carried out by rival labs who worked against the known laws of nature, with no guarantee of success or safety. Acclaimed scientist and sci-fi author

John Drury Clark writes with irreverent and eyewitness immediacy about the development of the explosive fuels strong enough to negate the relentless restraints of gravity. The resulting volume is as much a memoir as a work of history, sharing a behind-the-scenes view of an enterprise which eventually took men to the moon, missiles to the planets, and satellites to outer space. A classic work in the history of science, and described as "a good book on rocket stuff...that's a really fun one" by SpaceX founder Elon Musk, readers will want to get their hands on this influential classic, available for the first time in decades.

Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance Bold Type Books

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • The classic work that predicted the anxieties of a world upended by rapidly emerging

technologies—and now provides a road map to solving many of our most pressing crises. "Explosive . . . brilliantly formulated." —The Wall Street Journal
Future Shock is the classic that changed our view of tomorrow. Its startling insights into accelerating change led a president to ask his advisers for a special report, inspired composers to write symphonies and rock music, gave a powerful new concept to social science, and added a phrase to our language. Published in over fifty countries, Future Shock is the most important study of change and adaptation in our time. In many ways, Future Shock is about the present. It is about what is happening today to people and groups who are overwhelmed by change. Change affects our products, communities, organizations—even our patterns of friendship and love. But Future Shock also illuminates the world

of tomorrow by exploding countless clichés about today. It vividly describes the emerging global civilization: the rise of new businesses, subcultures, lifestyles, and human relationships—all of them temporary. Future Shock will intrigue, provoke, frighten, encourage, and, above all, change everyone who reads it.

Future Shock

Penguin

THE CLASSIC BOOK THAT HAS INSPIRED MILLIONS A penetrating examination of how we live and how to live better Few books transform a generation and then establish themselves as touchstones for the generations that follow. Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance is one such book. This modern epic of a man's search for meaning became an instant bestseller on publication in 1974, acclaimed as

one of the most exciting books in the history of American letters. It continues to inspire millions. A narration of a summer motorcycle trip undertaken by a father and his son, Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance becomes a personal and philosophical odyssey into fundamental questions on how to live. The narrator's relationship with his son leads to a powerful self-reckoning; the craft of motorcycle maintenance leads to an austere beautiful process for reconciling science, religion, and humanism. Resonant with the confusions of existence, this classic is a touching and transcendent book of life. This new edition contains an interview with Pirsig and letters and documents

detailing how this extraordinary book came to be.

The Big Roads Harper Collins

Banksy, the Yes Men, Gandhi, Starhawk: the accumulated wisdom of decades of creative protest is now in the hands of the next generation of change-makers, thanks to Beautiful Trouble. Sophisticated enough for veteran activists, accessible enough for newbies, this compact pocket edition of the bestselling Beautiful Trouble is a book that's both handy and inexpensive. Showcasing the synergies between artistic imagination and shrewd political strategy, this generously illustrated volume can easily be slipped into your pocket as you head out to the streets. This is for everyone who longs for a more beautiful, more just, more livable world - and wants to know how to get there. Includes a new introduction by the editors. Contributors include: Celia Alario • Andy

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The Year's Best Science Fiction:
Thirty-Second Annual Collection

Harper Collins
South from Hell-fer-Sartin, a short creek flowing into the Middle Fork of the Kentucky River, lies one of the of the most isolated regions in

Kentucky. There, on the north slope of the Pine Mountain range in Leslie and Perry counties -- probably the last stronghold of white, English-language folk tales in North America -- Leonard W. Roberts recorded this rich collection more than three decades ago. To a people who, at that time, watched dancing hearth fires more often than television, the adventures of Jack in the land of witches and giants, monsters and beautiful princesses, provided first-class entertainment. Here are such old favorites as "Sleeping Beauty" and "The Golden Arm," retold in the idiom of the Kentucky mountains. Here are hauntingly beautiful cantes fables and earthy Irishman jokes. Here are encounters with Indians and

marvelous hunting escapades. Roberts introduces his collection, first published in 1955, with a sympathetic description of the mountain way of life. He notes especially the bewildering and rapid changes that came to the Pine Mountain watershed in that decade as the highways and electric lines at last brought in a sophistication that preferred the soap opera to the folk tale. Although the stories Roberts recorded were still a firm part of folk tradition at the time, he believed that within a decade or two they would be forgotten -- a prediction, sadly, by now no doubt fulfilled. Any lover of the vanishing art of tale telling will relish this rich treasury of folklore and humor. Full notes on sources, types, motifs, parallels,

and possible origins of the tales make this collection valuable also for folklorists.

Detroit Metal City, Vol. 6 BenBella Books, Inc.

The closing of local mines and factories collapsed the economic and social structure of Ivanhoe, Virginia, a small, rural town once considered a dying community "on the rough side of the mountain." Documenting the creative survival techniques developed by Ivanhoe citizens in the aftermath, It Comes from the People tells how this community organized to revitalize the town and demand participation in its future. Photos, interviews, stories, songs, poems, and scenes from a local theater production tell how this process of rebuilding gradually uncovered the community's own local theology and a growing consciousness of cultural and religious values. A significant aspect of this social transformation in Ivanhoe, as in many rural areas, was the emergence of women as leaders, educators,

and organizers, developing new approaches to revive the economy and the people simultaneously. This book is unusually open about the difficult process faced by outside researchers working with community members to describe community life. It discusses the inherent dilemmas frankly and presents a model for those who engage in community studies and ethnographic research. Author note: Mary Ann Hinsdale is Associate Professor of Religious Studies at Boston College. Helen M. Lewis is Interim Director of the Appalachian Center at Berea College in Kentucky. S. Maxine Waller is President of the Ivanhoe Civic League and directs community-based student volunteer programs in Virginia.

Boarding the Enterprise Vintage AC/DC tells the little-known story of how Thomas Edison wrongly bet in the fierce war between supporters of alternating current and direct current. The savagery of this electrical battle can hardly be

imagined today. The showdown between AC and DC began as a rather straightforward conflict between technical standards, a battle of competing methods to deliver essentially the same product, electricity. But the skirmish soon metastasized into something bigger and darker. In the AC/DC battle, the worst aspects of human nature somehow got caught up in the wires; a silent, deadly flow of arrogance, vanity, and cruelty. Following the path of least resistance, the war of currents soon settled around that most primal of human emotions: fear. AC/DC serves as an object lesson in bad business strategy and poor decision making. Edison's inability to see his mistake was a key factor in his loss of control over the ?operating

system? for his
future
inventions?not to
mention the company
he founded, General
Electric.

*From Poverty to
Power* Springer
Science & Business
Media
Winner of the
Christianity Today
Book Award, Fiction
In Eden Mine, the
award-winning
author of *Black
River* examines the
aftershocks of an
act of domestic
terrorism rooted in
a small Montana
town on the brink
of abandonment, as
it tears apart a
family, tests the
faith of a pastor
and the loyalty of
a sister, and mines
the deep rifts that
come when the reach
of the government
clashes with
individual freedom
If I stay here, Jo,
I know you could
find me. If you
wanted to, you
could find me. For
generations, the
Fabers have lived
near Eden Mine,
scraping by to keep

ahold of their
family's piece of
Montana. Jo and her
brother, Samuel,
will be the last.
Despite a long
battle, their
property has been
seized by the state
through eminent
domain—something
Samuel deems a
government theft.
As Jo packs, she
hears news of a
bombing. Samuel
went off to find
work in Wyoming
that morning, but
soon enough, it's
clear that he's not
gone but missing,
last seen by a
security camera
near the district
courthouse?now a
crime scene?in Elk
Fork. And the nine-
year-old daughter
of a pastor at a
nearby church lies
in critical
condition. Can the
person Jo loves and
trusts most have
done this terrible
thing? Can she have
missed the signs?
The last time their
family met
violence, Jo lost
her ability to

walk. Samuel took
care of her,
outfitted their
barn with special
rigging so she
could still ride
their mule. What
secrets has he been
keeping? As Jo
watches the pastor
fight for his
daughter, watches
the authorities
hunt down a
criminal, she
wrestles with an
impossible choice:
Must she tell them
where Samuel might
be? Must she choose
between loyalty and
justice? Between
the brother she
knows and the man
he has become? A
timely story of the
tensions
splintering
families and
communities all
over this country,
S.M. Hulse's *Eden
Mine* is also a
steady-eyed gaze
into the ideals of
the West and the
legacies of
violence, a moving
account of faith in
the face of evil,
and a heartrending
reckoning of the

terrible choices we
make for the ones
we love.

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Macmillan

Offers a look at the
causes and effects of
poverty and
inequality, as well as
the possible
solutions. This title
features research,
human stories,
statistics, and
compelling arguments.
It discusses about the
world we live in and
how we can make it a
better place.

Beautiful Trouble

University Press of
Kentucky

A beautifully packaged
edition of one of
García Márquez's most
beloved novels, with
never-before-seen
color illustrations by
the Chilean artist
Luisa Rivera and an
interior design
created by the
author's son, Gonzalo
García Barcha. In
their youth,
Florentino Ariza and
Fermina Daza fall
passionately in love.
When Fermina
eventually chooses to
marry a wealthy, well-
born doctor,
Florentino is
devastated, but he is
a romantic. As he
rises in his business
career he whiles away
the years in 622
affairs—yet he

reserves his heart for
Fermina. Her husband
dies at last, and
Florentino purposefully
attends the funeral.
Fifty years, nine
months, and four days
after he first declared
his love for Fermina,
he will do so again.