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simple!



At Hell's Gate Shambhala  
Publications

Lojong is the Tibetan  
Buddhist practice that  
involves working with short  
phrases (called "slogans") as  
a way of generating  
bodhichitta, the heart and

mind of enlightened  
compassion. Though the  
practice is more than a  
millennium old, it has  
become popular in the West  
only in the last twenty years  
or so—and it has become  
very popular indeed, because  
it's a practice that one can fit  
very well into an ordinary  
life, and because it  
works. Through the influence  
of Pema Chödrön, who  
was one of the first American  
Buddhist teachers to teach it  
extensively, the practice has

moved out of its Buddhist  
context to affect the lives of  
non-Buddhists too. It's in this  
spirit that Norman Fischer  
offers his commentary on the  
lojong slogans. He applies  
Zen wisdom to them,  
showing how well they fit in  
that related tradition, but he  
also sets the slogans in the  
context of resonant practices  
throughout the spiritual  
traditions. He shows lojong  
to be a wonderful method for  
everyone, including those  
who aren't otherwise

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interested in Buddhism, who don't have the time or inclination to meditate, or who'd just like to morph into the kind of person who's focused rather than scattered, generous rather than stingy, and kind rather than thoughtless.

A Beginner's Guide to  
Meditation Shambhala  
Publications

“ When something is bothering you—a person is bugging you, a situation is irritating you, or physical pain is troubling you—you must work with your mind, and that is done through meditation. Working with our

mind is the only means through which we ' ll actually begin to feel happy and contented with the world that we live in. ”

—Pema Ch ö dr ö n Pema Ch ö dr ö n is treasured around the world for her unique ability to transmit teachings and practices that bring peace, understanding, and compassion into our lives. With *How to Meditate*, the American-born Tibetan Buddhist nun presents her first book exploring in depth what she considers the essentials for a lifelong practice. More and more people are beginning to recognize a profound inner longing for authenticity,

connection, and aliveness.

Meditation, Pema explains, gives us a golden key to address this yearning. This step-by-step guide shows readers how to honestly meet and openly relate with the mind, embrace the fullness of our experience, and live in a wholehearted way as we discover:

- The basics of meditation, from getting settled and the six points of posture to working with your breath and cultivating an attitude of unconditional friendliness
- The Seven Delights—how moments of difficulty can become doorways to awakening and love
- Shamatha (or calm abiding),

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the art of stabilizing the mind to remain present with whatever arises - Thoughts and emotions as “ sheer delight ” —instead of obstacles—in meditation “ I think ultimately why we practice is so that we can become completely loving people, and this is what the world needs, ” writes Pema Ch ö dr ö n. *How to Meditate* is an essential book from this wise teacher to assist each one of us in this virtuous goal.

*Natural Wakefulness* How to Meditate

We can restore our inherent connection to nature, each other, our ancestors, and ourselves, and remember our fundamental gift of

belonging. The eighth book in the bestselling *Mindfulness Essentials* series, a back-to-basics collection from world-renowned Zen master Thich Nhat Hanh that introduces everyone to the essentials of mindfulness practice. "We are here to awaken from the illusion of our separateness."—Thich Nhat Hanh With our world experiencing the deep effects of loneliness, environmental detachment, and digital overload, this pocket-sized *How To* book reminds us of our crucial need to connect to ourselves, our ancestors, and our planet. Written with characteristic simplicity and kindness, these wise meditations teach us how to remember, at any time, our fundamental gift of

belonging. Illustrated with playful sumi-ink drawings by California artist Jason DeAntonis.

Real Happiness,  
10th Anniversary  
Edition Shambhala  
Publications

"War and peace begin in the hearts of individuals," declares Pema Chodron in her inspiring and accessible new book, which draws on Buddhist teachings to explore the origins

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of aggression and war.

Calming Your Anxious Mind Bantam

“Ross Gay’s eye lands upon wonder at every turn, bolstering my belief in the countless small miracles that surround us.” —Tracy K. Smith, Pulitzer Prize winner and U.S. Poet Laureate The winner of the NBCC Award for Poetry offers up a spirited collection of short lyric essays, written daily over a tumultuous year, reminding us of the

purpose and pleasure of praising, extolling, and celebrating ordinary wonders. Ross Gay’s Book of Delights is a genre-defying book of essays—some as short as a paragraph; some as long as five pages—that record the small joys that occurred in one year, from birthday to birthday, and that we often overlook in our busy lives. His is a meditation on delight that takes a clear-eyed view of the complexities, even the terrors, in his life,

including living in America as a black man; the ecological and psychic violence of our consumer culture; the loss of those he loves. Among Gay’s funny, poetic, philosophical delights: the way Botan Rice Candy wrappers melt in your mouth, the volunteer crossing guard with a pronounced tremor whom he imagines as a kind of boat-woman escorting pedestrians across the River Styx, a friend’s unabashed use of air quotes, pickup basketball

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games, the silent nod of acknowledgment between black people. And more than any other subject, Gay celebrates the beauty of the natural world—his garden, the flowers in the sidewalk, the birds, the bees, the mushrooms, the trees. This is not a book of how-to or inspiration, though it could be read that way. Fans of Roxane Gay, Maggie Nelson, and Kiese Laymon will revel in Gay ' s voice, and his insights. The Book of Delights is about our connection to the world, to each other, and the rewards that come from a life closely observed. Gay ' s pieces serve as a powerful and necessary reminder that we can, and should, stake out a space in our lives for delight.

The Relaxed Mind  
Shambhala Publications  
What is meditation?  
Why practice it? Which techniques is best?  
How do I do it? The answers to these often-asked questions are contained in this down-to-earth book, making it of enormous value for anyone who wishes to begin and maintain a meditation practice. Written by a Western Buddhist nun with solid experience in both the practice and teaching of meditation, How to Meditate contains a wealth of practical advice on a variety of authentic techniques, from what to do with our minds, to how to sit, to visualizations and other traditional practices. Best of all,

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McDonald's approach is warm and encouraging. The next best thing to private instruction! Start Where You Are: How to accept yourself and others Shambhala Publications

For many of us, feelings of deficiency are right around the corner. It doesn't take much--just hearing of someone else's accomplishments, being criticized, getting into an argument, making a mistake at work--to make us feel that we are not okay. Beginning to

understand how our lives have become ensnared in this trance of unworthiness is our first step toward reconnecting with who we really are and what it means to live fully. —from Radical Acceptance “Believing that something is wrong with us is a deep and tenacious suffering,” says Tara Brach at the start of this illuminating book. This suffering emerges in crippling self-judgments and conflicts in our relationships, in addictions and

perfectionism, in loneliness and overwork—all the forces that keep our lives constricted and unfulfilled. Radical Acceptance offers a path to freedom, including the day-to-day practical guidance developed over Dr. Brach's twenty years of work with therapy clients and Buddhist students. Writing with great warmth and clarity, Tara Brach brings her teachings alive through personal stories and case histories, fresh

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interpretations of Buddhist  
tales, and guided  
meditations. Step by step,  
she leads us to trust our  
innate goodness, showing  
how we can develop the  
balance of clear-  
sightedness and  
compassion that is the  
essence of Radical  
Acceptance. Radical  
Acceptance does not  
mean self-indulgence or  
passivity. Instead it  
empowers genuine  
change: healing fear and  
shame and helping to  
build loving, authentic  
relationships. When we

stop being at war with  
ourselves, we are free to  
live fully every precious  
moment of our lives.

Training the Mind &  
Cultivating Loving-  
kindness Shambhala  
Publications

"In language totally fresh  
and jargon-free, Sakyong  
Mipham Rinpoche distills  
the wisdom of many  
centuries. Simple as it is  
profound, his book bears  
reading many  
times."—Peter Conradi,  
author of *Iris Murdoch: A  
Life and Going Buddhist*  
Strengthening, calming,

and stabilizing the mind is  
the essential first step in  
accomplishing nearly any  
goal. Growing up  
American with a Tibetan  
twist, Sakyong Mipham  
talks to Westerners as no  
one can: in idiomatic  
English with stories and  
wisdom from American  
culture and the great  
Buddhist teachers.  
Turning the Mind Into an  
Ally makes it possible for  
anyone to achieve peace  
and clarity in their lives.  
Always Maintain a  
Joyful Mind Zondervan  
Now in paperback, this



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practical guide to cultivating compassion delivers Buddhist and psychological insight right where we need it most—navigating the difficulties of our daily lives. Compassion is often seen as a distant, altruistic ideal cultivated by saints, or as an unrealistic response of the naively kind-hearted. Seeing compassion in this way, we lose out on experiencing the transformative potential

of one of our most neglected inner resources. Dr Lorne Ladner rescues compassion from this marginalised view, showing how its practical application in our life can be a powerful force in achieving happiness. Combining the wisdom of Tibetan Buddhism and Western psychology, Ladner presents clear, effective practices for cultivating compassion in daily

living.

The Wisdom of No  
Escape Shambhala  
Publications

In this raw and moving memoir, Claude Thomas describes his service in Vietnam, his subsequent emotional collapse, and his remarkable journey toward healing. At Hell's Gate is not only a gripping coming-of-age story but a spiritual travelogue from the horrors of combat to the discovery of inner peace—a journey that inspired Thomas to

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become a Zen monk and peace activist who travels to war-scarred regions around the world.

"Everyone has their Vietnam," Thomas writes. "Everyone has their own experience of violence, calamity, or trauma." With simplicity and power, this book offers timeless teachings on how we can all find healing, and it presents practical guidance on how mindfulness and compassion can transform our lives. This expanded edition features: •

Discussion questions for reading groups • A new afterword by the author reflecting on how the current wars in Iraq and Afghanistan are affecting soldiers—and offering advice on how to help returning soldiers to cope with their combat experiences

One Breath at a Time  
HarperCollins UK  
Inspired by the Buddhist tradition of the 108-day retreat, a Tibetan Buddhist nun offers instruction and meditations for

achieving compassion and awareness in everyday living.  
Fail, Fail Again, Fail Better Shambhala Publications  
Based on talks given during a one-month meditation retreat at Gampo Abbey, this book contains teachings that were intended to inspire and encourage practitioners to remain wholeheartedly awake to everything that occurs and to use the abundant material of

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daily life as their primary teacher and guide. The message for the retreat participants—and for the reader as well—is to be with oneself without embarrassment or harshness. This is instruction on how to love oneself and one's world. This Shambhala Pocket Classic is an abridged version of *The Wisdom of No Escape*. [Calm Abiding and Special Insight](#) Shambhala Publications

More and more people are beginning to recognize a profound inner longing for authenticity, connection, compassion, and aliveness. Meditation, Pema explains, gives us a golden key to address this yearning. This comprehensive guide shows readers how to honestly meet and openly relate with the mind to embrace the fullness of our experience as we discover: • The basics of meditation, from getting settled and the six points of posture to working

with your breath and cultivating an attitude of unconditional friendliness

- Gentleness, patience and humor – three ingredients for a well-balanced practice
- Shamatha (or calm abiding), the art of stabilizing the mind to remain present with whatever arises
- Thoughts and emotions as “sheer delight” – instead of obstacles-in meditation

Here is an indispensable book from the meditation teacher who remains a first choice for students

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the world over. Ani Pema Chödrön is an American-born Tibetan Buddhist nun and best selling author. She taught as an elementary school teacher for many years in both New Mexico and California. Pema has two children and three grandchildren. Welcoming the Unwelcome New Harbinger Publications There are two essential elements to the spiritual path says this popular teacher from the lineage of	Chögyam Trungpa: (1) understanding that you 're already enlightened, already perfect in wisdom right here and now, and (2) accessing that natural wakefulness through spiritual practice. These two aspects depend upon each other and work together. Gaylon Ferguson ' s teaching on the twin aspects of view and practice is a perfect introduction for the beginning meditator and it offers fresh	perspectives for the non-beginner too. How to Connect Everest Media LLC Describes a traditional Buddhist approach to suffering and how embracing the painful situation and using communication, negative habits, and challenging experiences leads to emotional growth and happiness. Living Beautifully with Uncertainty and Change Shambhala Publications The classic guide to
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enlightened living that first presented the Buddhist path of the warrior to Western readers—with a new foreword and cover presentation. This timeless classic presents a vision of basic human wisdom that synchronizes the mind and body—what Chögyam Trungpa called the sacred path of the warrior. This discipline embodies characteristics that many cultures, regions, and spiritual traditions throughout time have found valuable. The sacred warrior conquers the world not through violence or aggression but through gentleness, courage, and self-knowledge, discovering the basic goodness of human life and radiating that goodness out into the world for the peace and sanity of others. That's what the Shambhala teachings are all about, and this is the book that has been presenting them to a wide and appreciative audience for more than thirty years. This book is part of the Shambhala Pocket Library series. The Shambhala Pocket Library is a collection of short, portable teachings from notable figures across religious traditions and classic texts. The covers in this series are rendered by Colorado artist Robert Spellman. The books in this collection

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distill the wisdom and heart of the work Shambhala Publications has published over 50 years into a compact format that is collectible, reader-friendly, and applicable to everyday life.

The Myth of Freedom and the Way of

Meditation Snow Lion  
The Mindfulness Solution to Anxiety Drawing on techniques and perspectives from two seemingly different traditions, this second edition of the self-help

classic Calming Your Anxious Mind offers you a powerful and profound approach to overcoming anxiety, fear, and panic. From the evidence-based tradition of Western medicine, learn the role your thoughts and emotions play in anxiety. And, from the tradition of meditation and the inquiry into meaning and purpose, discover your own potential for presence and stillness, kindness and compassion-and the tremendous power these states give you to heal

and transform your life. Use this encouraging, step-by-step program to:

- Learn about the mechanism of anxiety and the body's fear system
- Develop a healing mindfulness practice-one breath at a time
- Start on the path to presence, stillness, compassion, and loving kindness
- Practice acceptance during mindfulness meditation
- Feel safe while opening up to fearful and anxious feelings

The Shambhala Principle  
Shambhala Publications

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Examines the principles of Shambhala to reveal the inherent goodness of humanity and explain how readers can rediscover inner peace through compatible practices of meditation.

No Time to Lose

Shambhala Publications

A practical, accessible guide to the fundamentals of Buddhist meditation, with pointers from some of today's most respected Buddhist teachers, including Pema Chödrön, Thich Nhat Hanh, Cyndi Lee, and Sharon Salzberg. As countless meditators

have learned firsthand, meditation practice can positively transform the way we see and experience our lives. This practical, accessible guide to the fundamentals of Buddhist meditation introduces you to the practice, explains how it is approached in the main schools of Buddhism, and offers advice and inspiration from Buddhism ' most renowned and effective meditation teachers, including Pema Chödrön, Thich Nhat Hanh, the Fourteenth Dalai Lama, Sharon Salzberg, Norman Fischer, Ajahn Chah, Chögyam Trungpa

Rinpoche, Shunryu Suzuki Roshi, Sylvia Boorstein, Noah Levine, Matthieu Ricard, Judy Lief, and many others. Topics include how to build excitement and energy to start a meditation routine and keep it going, setting up a meditation space, working with and through boredom, what to look for when seeking others to meditate with, how to know when it ' s time to try doing a formal meditation retreat, how to bring the practice “ off the cushion ” with walking meditation and other practices, and much more. The Compassion Book

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Shambhala Publications  
The American Buddhist nun  
and author of the best-  
selling *When Things Fall  
Apart* counsels readers on  
how to live  
compassionately and well  
during times of instability,  
demonstrating the use of  
the Three Commitments  
practice to promote  
relaxation, embrace  
challenges and refraining  
from doing harm.