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In Twenty Years of Life, Suzanne Bohan exposes the ugly truth that health is largely determined by zip code. Life expectancies in wealthy versus poor neighborhoods can vary by as much as twenty years. Bohan chronicles a bold experiment to challenge that inequity. The California Endowment, one of

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the nation's largest health foundations, is upending the old-school, top-down charity model and investing \$1 billion over ten years to help distressed communities advocate for their own interests. With compassion and insight, Bohan shares stories of students and parents, former street shooters, urban farmers, and a Native American tribe who are tapping into their latent political power to make their neighborhoods healthier. Their stories will fundamentally

change how we think about the root causes of disease and the prospects for healing.

*A Conspiratorial Life* Imperial War Museum

This superb, one-volume biography of Lyndon Baines Johnson is by the bestselling author of "An Unfinished Life: John F. Kennedy 1917-1963." When Tito Loved Clara Princeton University Press

Describes Johnson's obsession with

Vietnam and his manipulation of Congress and the economy to achieve his goals.

Mutual Contempt: Lyndon Johnson, Robert Kennedy, and the Feud that Defined a Decade Oxford University Press

The intimate, untold story of Winston Churchill's enduring yet volatile bond with his only son, Randolph “Ireland draws unforgettable sketches of life in the Churchill circle, much like Erik Larson did in *The Splendid and the Vile.*” Kirkus • “Fascinating... well-researched and well-written.”—Andrew

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Roberts •  
“Beautifully  
written... A  
triumph.”—Damien  
Lewis •  
“Fascinating, acute  
and  
touching.”—Simon  
Sebag Montefiore  
We think we know  
Winston Churchill:  
the bulldog grimace,  
the ever-present  
cigar, the wit and  
wisdom that led  
Great Britain  
through the Second  
World War. Yet  
away from the  
House of Commons  
and the Cabinet War  
Rooms, Churchill  
was a loving family  
man who doted on  
his children, none  
more so than  
Randolph, his only  
boy and Winston's  
anointed heir to the  
Churchill legacy.

Randolph may have  
been born in his  
father's shadow, but  
his father, who had  
been neglected by  
his own parents, was  
determined to see  
him go far. For  
decades, throughout  
Winston's climb to  
greatness, father and  
son were  
inseparable—dining  
with Britain's elite,  
gossiping and  
swilling Champagne  
at high society  
parties, holidaying  
on the French  
Riviera, touring  
Prohibition-era  
America. Captivated  
by Winston's power,  
bravery, and  
charisma, Randolph  
worshipped his  
father, and Winston  
obsessed over his  
son's future. But  
their love was

complex and  
combustible,  
complicated by  
money, class, and  
privilege, shaded  
with ambition,  
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researched and  
magnificently  
written, Churchill &  
Son is a revealing  
and surprising  
portrait of one of  
history's most  
celebrated figures.  
**Revelation**  
Flying Frog  
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“In the heart  
of this  
world, the  
Lord of life,  
who loves us  
so much, is  
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he does not leave us alone, for he has united himself definitively to our earth, and his love constantly impels us to find new ways forward. Praise be to him!" - Pope Francis, Laudato Si' In his second encyclical, Laudato Si': On the Care of Our Common Home, Pope Francis draws all Christians into a dialogue with every person on the planet about our common home. We as human beings are united by the concern for our planet, and every living thing that dwells on it, especially the poorest and most vulnerable. Pope Francis' letter joins the body of the Church's social and moral teaching, draws on the best scientific research, providing the foundation for "the ethical and spiritual itinerary that follows." Laudato Si' outlines: The current state of our "common home" The Gospel message as seen through creation The human causes of the ecological crisis Ecology and the common good Pope Francis' call to action for each of us Our Sunday Visitor has included discussion questions, making it perfect for individual or group study,

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leading all Catholics and Christians into a deeper understanding of the importance of this teaching.

**Master of the Senate**

Island Press  
The NIV is the world's best-selling modern translation, with over 150 million copies in print since its first full publication in 1978. This highly accurate and smooth-

reading version of the Bible in modern English has the largest library of printed and electronic support material of any modern translation. The Path to Power Yale University Press  
A major publishing event, the collected writings of the groundbreaking scholar who "first coined intersectionality as a political

framework" (Salon) For more than twenty years, scholars, activists, educators, and lawyers--inside and outside of the United States--have employed the concept of intersectionality both to describe problems of inequality and to fashion concrete solutions. In particular, as the Washington Post reported recently, "the term has been used by

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social activists as both a rallying cry for more expansive progressive movements and a chastisement for their limitations." Drawing on black feminist and critical legal theory, Kimberlé Crenshaw developed the concept of intersectionality, a term she coined to speak to the multiple social forces, social identities,

and ideological instruments through which power and disadvantage are expressed and legitimized. In this comprehensive and accessible introduction to Crenshaw's work, readers will find key essays and articles that have defined the concept of intersectionality, collected together for the first time. The book includes a sweeping new

introduction by Crenshaw as well as prefaces that contextualize each of the chapters. For anyone interested in movement politics and advocacy, or in racial justice and gender equity, *On Intersectionality* will be compulsory reading from one of the most brilliant theorists of our time. **The Federalist Papers** New York : Oxford University Press

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"One of the great reporters of our time and probably the greatest biographer." —The Sunday Times (London) From the two-time Pulitzer Prize-winning author of *The Power Broker* and *The Years of Lyndon Johnson*: an unprecedented gathering of vivid, candid, deeply moving recollections about his experiences researching and writing his acclaimed books. Now in paperback, Robert Caro gives us a glimpse into his own life and work in these displaced by the construction of Moses' Cross-Bronx Expressway and Lady Bird Johnson acknowledging the beauty and influence of one of LBJ's mistresses. He gratefully remembers how, after years of working in solitude, he found a community at the New York Public Library, and details the ways he goes about planning and composing his books. Caro recalls the moments at which he came to understand that he wanted

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to write not just about the men who wielded power but about the people and the politics that were shaped by that power. And he talks about the importance to him of the writing itself, of how he tries to infuse it with a sense of place and mood to bring characters and situations to life on the page. Taken together, these reminiscences—some previously published, some written expressly for this book—bring into focus the passion, the wry self-deprecation,

and the integrity with which this brilliant historian has always approached his work. To understand more about Robert Caro's research, see the Sony Pictures Classic documentary "Turn Every Page." *The Surprising Power of Liberating Structures* by W. W. Norton & Company provides the untold story of the crises and compromises

that lead to the formation of the European Union.

### **The Passage of Power**

Simon and Schuster Provides a fresh perspective on the well-documented event of the Kennedy assassination from the singular viewpoint of Lyndon Johnson, and penetrates deep into what it was like for Johnson to assume a

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position of such power at a time of national crisis. This is a biography of a man and of his times. *The Passage of Power* Vintage Smart leaders know that they would greatly increase productivity and innovation if only they could get everyone fully engaged. So do professors, facilitators and all changemakers. The challenge is how. Liberating Structures are novel, practical and

no-nonsense methods to help you accomplish this goal with groups of any size. Prepare to be surprised by how simple and easy they are for anyone to use. This book shows you how with detailed descriptions for putting them into practice plus tips on how to get started and traps to avoid. It takes the design and facilitation methods experts use and puts them within reach of anyone in any organization or initiative, from the frontline to

the C-suite. Part One: The Hidden Structure of Engagement will ground you with the conceptual framework and vocabulary of Liberating Structures. It contrasts Liberating Structures with conventional methods and shows the benefits of using them to transform the way people collaborate, learn, and discover solutions together. Part Two: Getting Started and Beyond offers guidelines for experimenting in a wide range of applications

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observation of career, but politics that also some of its insights his most are applicable His battle far beyond with the [its] time Kennedy and place' brothers over (Independent) the 1960 . \*This, 'the Democratic series' nomination crowning for president volume' was a bitter (Economist), one, and the spans the ensuing years of Johnson's 1958 to vice-presidency 1964, were marked arguably the most crucial years in the with life of humiliation. Johnson and But, thrust pivotal years into power for American following the history. This assassination documents era saw some of J. F. Johnson's of the most frustrating moments of Johnson's presidential

role with unprecedented skill. \* Caro provides a fresh perspective on Kennedy's assassination from Johnson's viewpoint, and penetrates deep into what it was like for him to assume a position of such power at a time of national crisis. \* The Passage of Power documents Johnson's extraordinary early presidency, forcing

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previously abandoned bills on the budget and civil rights through an uncooperative Congress and striving to achieve what he saw to be the highest standard of office. \* Caro shows a delicacy of touch and a profoundness of insight into the state of a nation under the hand of a political master. Collectively these volumes constitute a major history of America in

the first three-quarters of the twentieth century. *Means of Ascent* Penguin The political biography of our time, now available in a four-volume hardcover set. Robert A. Caro's life of Lyndon Johnson is one of the richest, most intensive and most revealing examinations ever undertaken of an American president. It is the magnum opus of a writer perfectly suited to his task: the Pulitzer Prize-

winning biographer-historian, chronicler also of Robert Moses in *The Power Broker*, whose inspired research and profound understanding of the nature of ambition and the dynamics of power have made him a peerless explicator of political lives. "Taken together the installments of Mr. Caro's monumental life of Johnson . . . form a revealing prism by which to view the better part of a century in American life and politics during which the country

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that would make political Machiavelli seem naïve." London Literary Review "Making ordinary politics and policymaking riveting and revealing is what makes Caro a genius. Combined with his penetrating insight and fanatical research, Caro's Churchill-like prose elevates the life of a fairly influential president to stuff worthy of Shakespeare. .Robert Caro stands alone as the unquestioned master of the contemporary American

biography." The Boston Globe The Years of Lyndon Johnson: The path to power Vintage It is September 1939. Shortly after war is declared, Anthony Rhodes is sent to France, serving with the British Army. His days are filled with the minutiae and mundanities of Army life

– friendships, billeting, a dministratio n - as the months of the 'Phoney War' quickly pass and the conflict seems a distant prospect. It is only in the spring of 1940 that the true situation becomes clear; the men are ordered to retreat to the coast and the beaches of Dunkirk, where they

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*The Passage of Power* Knopf  
The Andromeda Strain meets  
The Stand in this startling and stunning thriller that brings to life a unique vision of the apocalypse and plays brilliantly with vampire mythology, revealing what becomes of human society when a top-secret government experiment spins wildly out of control. At an army research station in Colorado, an experiment is being conducted by the U.S. Government: twelve men are exposed to a virus meant to weaponize the human form by super-charging the immune system. But when the experiment goes terribly wrong, terror is unleashed. Amy, a young girl abandoned by her mother and set to be the thirteenth subject, is rescued by Brad Wolgast, the FBI agent who has been tasked with handing her over, and together they escape to the mountains of Oregon. As civilization crumbles around them, Brad and Amy struggle to keep each other alive, clinging to hope and unable to comprehend the nightmare that approaches with great speed and no mercy. . .

**On Intersectionality**  
Jonathan Cape  
Master of the Senate, Book Three of The Years of Lyndon Johnson, carries Johnson's story through one of its most remarkable periods: his twelve years, from 1949 to 1960, in the United States Senate. At the

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loose confederation of sovereign senators to a whirring legislative machine under his own iron-fisted control. Caro demonstrates how Johnson's political genius enabled him to reconcile the unreconcilable: to retain the support of the southerners who controlled the Senate while earning the trust—or at least the cooperation—of the liberals, led by Paul Douglas and Hubert Humphrey, without whom he could not achieve his goal of winning the presidency. He shows the dark side of Johnson's ambition: how he proved his loyalty to the great oil barons who had financed his rise to power by ruthlessly destroying the career of the New Dealer who was in charge of regulating them, Federal Power Commission Chairman Leland Olds. And we watch him achieve the impossible: convincing southerners that although he was firmly in their camp as the anointed successor to their leader, Richard Russell, it was essential that they allow him to make some progress toward civil rights. In a breathtaking tour de force, Caro details Johnson's amazing triumph in maneuvering to passage the first civil rights legislation since 1875. Master of the Senate, told with an abundance of rich detail that could only have come from Caro's peerless research, is both a galvanizing portrait of the

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