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the year s best and darkest tales of terror showcasing the most outstanding new short stories by both contemporary masters of the macabre and exciting newcomers as ever this acclaimed anthology also offers a comprehensive overview of the year in horror a necrology of recently deceased luminaries and a list of indispensable addresses horror fans and writers the mammoth book of best new horror remains the world s leading annual anthology dedicated solely to presenting the best in contemporary horror fiction after its publication in 1986 stephen king s novel it sparked sequels remakes parodies and solidified an entire genre clown horror decades later director andy muschietti revitalized king s popular novel smashing all box office expectations with the release of his 2017 film it at the time of its release the movie set the record for the world s highest grossing horror film examining the legacy of the controversial cult novel the 2017 box office sensation and other incarnations of the 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what follows is the outrageously funny extremely satirical and altogether fascinating story of a man trying to extricate himself from a legal system that may be broken beyond repair joining the high speed adventure are irving s family wait until you meet his mother his lawyer of questionable origin his benefactor who will resort to anything to increase his fortune his rabbi who wants to have irving excommunicated and a variety of savory and unsavory characters with special guest appearances by a host of show business personalities and you will have a back stage view of irving s magical performances where most of his illusions work most of the time this is a laugh out loud story that pokes serious fun at everything it is a novel best read by humans here s what some readers are saying about magic irving and his magic shoppe this is the funniest most intelligent and thought provoking book ever written monica ostrow wife of the author magic shoppe tickled me silly mark twain or someone posing as mark twain i do not appreciate how author stephen ostrow treats the justice system j edgar hoover if he were still alive in magic shoppe stephen ostrow makes judaism seem fun i didn t teach him that rabbi joseph schwindall stephen ostrow s former rabbi stephen ostrow sent me a copy of magic shoppe but i did not read it former u s president jorge v bushwacker investors are in a jam a troubled global economy unpredictable markets and a bewildering number of investment choices create a dangerous landscape for individual and institutional investors alike to meet this challenge most of us rely on a portfolio of fund managers to take risk on our behalves here investment expert brian portnoy delivers a powerful framework for choosing the right ones and avoiding the losers portnoy reveals that the right answers are found by confronting our own subconscious biases and behavioral quirks a paradox we all face is the natural desire for more choice in our lives yet the more we have the 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political leaders unveiled many critiques of the trump era contrast it with the latter half of the twentieth century when the united states seemed governed more by statesmen than by special interests without denying the extraordinary vigor of president trump s assault on traditional ethical and legal norms jonathan marshall challenges the myth of a golden age of american democracy drawing on a host of original archival sources he tells a shocking story of how well protected criminals systematically organized the corruption of american national politics after world war ii marshall begins by tracing the extraordinary scandals of president truman whose political career was launched by the murderous pendergast machine in missouri he goes on to highlight the role of organized crime in the rise of mccarthyism during the cold war the near derailment of vice president johnson s political career by two mob related scandals and nixon s career long association with underworld figures the book culminates with a discussion of donald trump s unique history of relations with the traditional american mafia and newer transnational gangs like the russian mafiya and how the latter led to his historic impeachment by the house of representatives in the kremlin s noose amy knight tells the riveting story of vladimir putin and the oligarch boris berezovsky who forged a relationship in the early years of the yeltsin era berezovsky later played a crucial role in putin s rise to the russian presidency in march 2000 when putin began dismantling boris yeltsin s democratic reforms berezovsky came into conflict with the new russian leader by reproaching him publicly their relationship quickly disintegrated into a bitter feud played out against the backdrop of billion dollar financial deals kremlin in fighting and international politics dubbed the godfather of the kremlin by the slain russian american journalist paul klebnikov berezovsky was a successful businessman and media mogul who had an outsized role in russia after 1991 worth a reported 3 billion by 1997 berezovsky engineered the reelection of yeltsin as president in 1996 and negotiated an end to the 1995 96 chechen war despite his own wealth power and influence once he became putin s enemy berezovsky was forced into exile in britain where he waged a determined campaign to topple putin kremlin authorities responded with bogus criminal charges and demanded berezovsky s extradition death threats soon followed in march 2013 after losing a british court battle with another russian oligarch berezovsky was found dead at his ex wife s mansion outside london whether he died from suicide or murder remains a mystery the kremlin s noose sheds crucial new light on the kremlin s volatile politics under yeltsin and putin helping us understand why democracy in russia failed so badly knight provides a fascinating narrative of putin s rise to power and his authoritarian rule told through the prism of his relationship with russia s once most powerful oligarch boris berezovsky this is the first comprehensive study about the non mathematical writings and activities of the russian algebraic geometer and number theorist igor shafarevich b 1923 in the 1970s shafarevich was a prominent member of the dissidents human rights movement and a noted author of clandestine anti communist literature in the soviet union shafarevich s public image suffered a terrible blow around 1989 when he was decried as a dangerous ideologue of anti semitism due to his newly surfaced old manuscript russophobia the scandal culminated when the president of the national academy of sciences of the united states suggested that shafarevich an honorary member resign the present study establishes that the allegations about anti semitism in shafarevich s texts were unfounded and that shafarevich s terrible reputation was cemented on a false basis bee symbolizes the ancient secrets of longevity wisdom focus power mindful service and love for humanity of a yogi ayan gogoi gohain s bumble bee unravels the secret key to health and happiness and the beauty of embracing a minimalistic creative sustainable and holistic life living close to nature seamlessly composed in the poetic prose style this book will take you on a spiritual journey led by bumble bees and honey bees manifesting abundance love and bliss the cover image is photographed by the author the colour theme represents the indian national flag

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Concerning the Nations 2023-12-17 storming the gate picks up the story forty years after the publication of stranger at the gate 1993 mel and his husband gary nixon have founded soulforce and recruited an army of volunteers to help end the lie their nonviolent protests made headlines across the nation these are the heroic and sometimes hilarious stories of mel gary and their volunteers being harassed arrested tried and jailed for doing battle with the lie and with the catholic protestant and evangelical liars who know the truth but refused to tell it

The Ultimate Book Club: 180 Books You Should Read (Vol.2) 2023-05-16 british national health service employee phyllis dorothy james white 1920 2014 reinvented herself at age 38 as p d james crime novelist she then became long known as england s queen of crime sixteen of her 20 novels feature one or both of her series detectives adam dalgliesh of scotland yard and private eye cordelia gray stand alone works include the dystopian the children of men 1992 and death comes to pemberley 2011 a sequel to jane austen s pride and prejudice james s careful plotting has earned comparison with golden age british detective writers such as agatha christie and dorothy l sayers yet james s work is thoroughly modern with realistic descriptions of police procedures and the echoes and aftereffects of crime this literary companion includes more than 700 encyclopedic entries covering the characters settings and themes of her published writing along with a career chronology chronological and alphabetical listings of her works and an exhaustive index

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