

Death By A Thousand Cuts

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Mijn reis met Jake Morgan Matson 2013-07-31 Dit e-book is NIET geschikt voor zwart-wit e-readers. Amy is 17 en staat op het punt van de Amerikaanse westkust naar de oostkust te verhuizen. Haar moeder wil dat ze met de auto komt, maar sinds het dodelijke ongeluk van haar vader durft Amy niet meer achter het stuur. Daarom heeft haar moeder een reisgenoot geregeld: Jake, de zoon van een kennis. Amy ziet er heel erg tegen op om vier dagen met een vreemde jongen in de auto te moeten zitten, maar wanneer de knappe Jake op de stoep staat wordt de reis ineens een stuk spannender!

Rural Change and Sustainability Stephen Essex 2005-01-01 1. Rural change and sustainability: key themes - Andrew Gilg, Stephen Essex and Richard Yarwood. 2. Fordism rampant: the model and reality, as applied to production, processing and distribution in the North American agro-food system - Michael Troughton. 3. Feedlot growth in Southern Alberta: a neo-fordist interpretation - Ian MacLachlan. 4. People and hogs: agricultural restructuring and the contested countryside in agro-Manitoba - Douglas Ramsey, John Everitt and Lyndenn Behm. 5. Global markets, local foods: the paradoxes of aquaculture - Joan Marshall. 6. Alternative or conventional? An examination of specialist livestock production systems in the Scottish-English borders - Brian Ilbery and Damian Maye. 7. Agritourism: selling traditions of local food production, family, and rural Americana to maintain family farming heritage - Deborah Che, Gregory Veeck, and Ann Veeck. 8. Re-imaging agriculture: making the case for farming at the agricultural show - Lewis Holloway. 9. Stewardship, 'proper' farming and environmental gain: contrasting experiences of agri-environmental schemes in Canada and the EU - Guy M. Robinson. 10. Stemming the urban tide: policy and attitudinal changes for saving the Canadian countryside - Hugh J Gayler. 11. Vulnerability and sustainability concerns for the U.S. High Plains - Lisa M. Butler Harrington, Kansas State University. 12. Environmental ghost towns - Chris Mayla. 13. Interpreting family farm change and the agricultural importance of rural communities: evidence from Ontario, Canada - John Smithers. 14. Engagement with the land: redemption of the rural residence Fantasy? - Kirsten Valentine Cadieux. 15. Mammoth Cave National Park and rural economic development - Katie Algeo. 16. Assessing variation in rural America's housing stock: case studies from growing and declining areas - Holly R. Barcus. 17. The geography of housing needs of low income persons in rural Canada - David Bruce. 18. Social change in rural North Carolina - Owen J. Furuseth. 19. Finding the 'region' in rural regional governance - Ann K. Deakin. 20. Corporate-community relations in the tourism sector: a stakeholder perspective - Alison M Gill and Peter W Williams. 21. Resource town transition: debates after closure - Greg Halseth. 22. Narratives of community-based resource management in the American West - Randall K. Wilson. 23. Youth, partnerships and participation - Christine Corcoran. 24. Conclusion - John Smithers and Randall Wilson.

De hond Joseph O'Neill 2014-11-06 In 2007 komt een advocaat in New York een oude vriend van de universiteit tegen. Hij krijgt een baan aangeboden als beheerder van een gigantisch familiefortuin in Dubai. De relatie van de advocaat is net op de klippen gelopen en in de hoop een nieuw begin te kunnen maken, accepteert hij de baan. Eenmaal in Dubai, wordt het hem al snel duidelijk dat hij een verkeerde en potentieel gevaarlijke keuze heeft gemaakt. De hond is een geestige, originele en zeer actuele roman met een heerlijke antiheld in de hoofdrol. Na het grote succes van Laagland heeft Joseph O'Neill opnieuw een meesterlijke roman over de vele complicaties van het moderne leven geschreven.

Weg van de angst Joe Abercrombie 2011-10-09 'Intelligent en fantastisch, psychologisch doorwrocht en doorspekt met humor. Smullen!' Veronica Magazine Bayaz, de Eerste van Magiërs, leidt een groep avonturiers op een gevaarlijke missie op zoek naar de poort tot het

demonenrijk. Het is een merkwaardig gezelschap: een magiër, de meest gehate vrouw van het Zuiden en Logen Negenvinger, de meest gevreesde man van het Noorden. En ze hebben maar weinig tijd, want de woeste barbaren zijn de Unie binnengevallen. De Unie wordt overspoeld door vijanden en het enige wat redding kan bieden is een mysterieus reliek dat de sleutel is tot de poort der demonen. Welkom in de wereld van De Eerste Wet!

Death of a Thousand Cuts Barbara D'Amato 2006-05-02 The Hawthorne House was once known for its remarkable success rate with autistic children. Now, fifteen years after it closed former residents have returned to Hawthorne House for their first-ever reunion. But the gala event turns into a bloody nightmare when the House's revered founder, Dr. Jay Schermerhorn, is found tortured to death in the mansion's basement. Schermerhorn had enjoyed a worldwide reputation for his innovative methods and compassionate treatment of autistic children. How could anyone have hated him enough to kill him? As Chicago detectives probe deeply into the history of Hawthorne House, a troubling picture emerges--of a man who inspired both fear and hatred in the children and families who came to him for help.

Rich People's Movements Isaac William Martin 2015-02 On tax day, April 15, 2010, hundreds of thousands of Americans took to the streets with signs demanding lower taxes on the richest one percent. But why? Rich people have plenty of political influence. Why would they need to publicly demonstrate for lower taxes-and why would anyone who wasn't rich join the protest on their behalf? Isaac William Martin shows that such protests long predate the Tea Party of our own time. Ever since the Sixteenth Amendment introduced a Federal income tax in 1913, rich Americans have protested new public policies that they thought would threaten their wealth. But while historians have taught us much about the conservative social movements that reshaped the Republican Party in the late 20th century, the story of protest movements explicitly designed to benefit the wealthy is still little known. Rich People's Movements is the first book to tell that story, tracking a series of protest movements that arose to challenge an expanding welfare state and progressive taxation. Drawing from a mix of anti-progressive ideas, the leaders of these movements organized scattered local constituencies into effective campaigns in the 1920s, 1950s, 1980s, and our own era. Martin shows how protesters on behalf of the rich appropriated the tactics used by the Left--from the Populists and Progressives of the early twentieth century to the feminists and anti-war activists of the 1950s and 1960s. He explores why the wealthy sometimes cut secret back-room deals and at other times protest in the public square. He also explains why people who are not rich have so often rallied to their cause. For anyone wanting to understand the anti-tax activists of today, including notable defenders of wealth inequality like the Koch brothers, the historical account in Rich People's Movements is an essential guide.

TechnoSecurity's Guide to E-Discovery and Digital Forensics Jack Wiles 2011-10-13 TechnoSecurity's Guide to E-Discovery and Digital Forensics provides IT security professionals with the information (hardware, software, and procedural requirements) needed to create, manage and sustain a digital forensics lab and investigative team that can accurately and effectively analyze forensic data and recover digital evidence, while preserving the integrity of the electronic evidence for discovery and trial. Internationally known experts in computer forensics share their years of experience at the forefront of digital forensics Bonus chapters on how to build your own Forensics Lab 50% discount to the upcoming Techno Forensics conference for everyone who purchases a book

Execution Geoffrey Abbott 2012-09-05 Execution is a gruesomely fascinating account of methods of judicial execution from around the world and through the ages, and includes such hair-raising categories as death by cannibalism, being sewn into an animal's belly and a thousand cuts. In his own darkly humorous style, Geoffrey Abbott describes the instruments used and their effectiveness, and reveals the macabre origins of familiar phrases such as 'gone west' or 'drawn a blank', as well as the jargon of the underworld. From the preparation of the victim to the disposal of the body, Execution answers all the questions you are ever likely to ask, and some you would never want to imagine.

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Death of a Thousand Cuts argues and demonstrates that corporate campaigns are a distinctive phenomenon whose manifestations are today ubiquitous in both the marketplace and the media. This volume examines, in considerable detail, the history, strategy, tactics, effects, consequences, and likely future directions of the corporate campaign and of its nonlabor-based cousin, the anticorporate campaign. The book is based on ample sources and methods, among them an extensive review and analysis of media coverage, news releases, previous scholarship, union publications, campaign materials, interviews and conversations with individuals who have experienced corporate campaigns, public presentations by labor leaders and others, correspondence, Internet postings, case law summaries, documents, videotapes, and other materials. Through original data and interpretation, this book adds context and integration to these materials thus giving them new meaning. Key features of this outstanding new book include: * A thorough and clear explanation of what a corporate campaign is and how it differs from other more mundane "public relations" campaigns. * A detailed examination of strategies and tactics that includes their historical development. Some of the more high profile target companies in recent years include Coca-Cola, Microsoft, Caterpillar, Campbell's Soup, Federal Express, General Dynamics, Home Depot, International Paper, K-Mart, Nike, Texaco, Walmart, Starbucks, and UPS. * Hundreds of examples that help explain such contemporary events as the anti-sweatshop movement on college campuses, the living wage movement, and the protests against the World Trade Organization, International Monetary Fund, and World Bank. * A lengthy appendix contains abbreviated descriptions of nearly 200 corporate campaigns waged by labor unions and various advocacy groups since the idea of the corporate campaign was first developed in the 1960's.

Sapiens Yuval Noah Harari 2014-03-06 Honderdduizend jaar geleden leefde de Homo sapiens nog een tamelijk onbekommerd bestaan in een uithoek van het Afrikaanse continent en deelde hij de planeet met ten minste vijf andere menssoorten. Maar op een zeker moment onderging het brein van deze mens een ingrijpende verandering: nu kon hij zich plots verbeelden dat het gras elders wel eens groener zou kunnen zijn, en dus maakte hij zich op om de wereld te veroveren. In Sapiens neemt Yuval Noah Harari ons mee op een fascinerende reis door de geschiedenis van de mensheid. Wie zijn we? Waar komen we vandaan? En hoe zijn we zo geworden als we nu zijn? In zijn aanstekelijke relaas laat Harari ons kennismaken met het meest dominante wezen op aarde: de mens.

Death by a Thousand Cuts Michael J. Graetz 2006-08-13 This fast-paced book by Yale professors Michael Graetz and Ian Shapiro unravels the following mystery: How is it that the estate tax, which has been on the books continuously since 1916 and is paid by only the wealthiest two percent of Americans, was repealed in 2001 with broad bipartisan support? The mystery is all the more striking because the repeal was not done in the dead of night, like a congressional pay raise. It came at the end of a multiyear populist campaign launched by a few individuals, and was heralded by its supporters as a signal achievement for Americans who are committed to the work ethic and the American Dream. Graetz and Shapiro conducted wide-ranging interviews with the relevant players: members of congress, senators, staffers from the key committees and the Bush White House, civil servants, think tank and interest group representatives, and many others. The result is a unique portrait of American politics as viewed through the lens of the death tax repeal saga. Graetz and Shapiro brilliantly illuminate the repeal campaign's many fascinating and unexpected turns--particularly the odd end result whereby the repeal is slated to self-destruct a decade after its passage. They show that the stakes in this fight are exceedingly high; the very survival of the long standing American consensus on progressive taxation is being threatened. Graetz and Shapiro's rich narrative reads more like a political drama than a conventional work of scholarship. Yet every page is suffused by their intimate knowledge of the history of the tax code, the transformation of American conservatism over the past three decades, and the wider political implications of battles over tax policy.

The Joy Luck Club Amy Tan 2006-09-21 "The Joy Luck Club is one of my favorite books. From the moment I first started reading it, I knew it was going to be incredible. For me, it was one of those once-in-a-lifetime reading experiences that you cherish forever. It inspired me as a writer and still remains hugely inspirational." —Kevin Kwan, author of Crazy Rich Asians Amy Tan's beloved, New York Times bestselling tale of mothers and daughters, now the focus of a new documentary Amy Tan: Unintended Memoir on Netflix Four mothers, four daughters, four families whose histories shift with the four winds depending on who's "saying" the stories. In 1949 four Chinese women, recent immigrants to San Francisco, begin meeting to eat dim sum, play mahjong, and talk. United in shared unspeakable loss and hope, they call themselves the Joy Luck Club. Rather than sink into tragedy, they choose to gather to raise their spirits

and money. "To despair was to wish back for something already lost. Or to prolong what was already unbearable." Forty years later the stories and history continue. With wit and sensitivity, Amy Tan examines the sometimes painful, often tender, and always deep connection between mothers and daughters. As each woman reveals her secrets, trying to unravel the truth about her life, the strings become more tangled, more entwined. Mothers boast or despair over daughters, and daughters roll their eyes even as they feel the inextricable tightening of their matriarchal ties. Tan is an astute storyteller, enticing readers to immerse themselves into these lives of complexity and mystery.

Digital Marketplaces Unleashed Claudia Linnhoff-Popien 2017-09-14 This collection of different views on how digitalization is influencing various industrial sectors addresses essential topics like big data and analytics, fintech and insurtech, cloud and mobility technologies, disruption and entrepreneurship. The technological advances of the 21st century have been massively impacted by the digital upheaval: there is no future without digitalization. The sale of products and services has left the classical point of sale and now takes place on a variety of channels. Whether in the automotive industry, travel and traffic, in cities, or the financial industry – newly designed ecosystems are being created everywhere; data is being generated and analyzed in real time; and companies are competing for mobile access channels to customers in order to gain knowledge about their individual contexts and preferences. In turn, customers can now publicly share their opinions, experiences and knowledge as User Generated Content, allowing them to impact the market and empowering them to build or destroy trust.

Genocide, Torture, and Terrorism Thomas W. Simon 2016-04-29 We are understandably reluctant to "rank" moral atrocities. What is worse, genocide or terrorism? In this book, Thomas W. Simon argues that politicians use this to manipulate our sense of injustice by exaggerating terrorism and minimizing torture. He advocates for an international criminal code that encourages humanitarian intervention.

Pathogenic Policing Nolan Kline 2019-07-12 In Pathogenic Policing, Nolan Kline focuses on the hidden, health-related impacts of immigrant policing to examine the role of policy in shaping health inequality in the U.S., and responds to fundamental questions regarding biopolitics, especially the ways in which policy can reinforce 'race' as a vehicle of social division.

Power to the People Mark V. Tushnet 2021 Power to the People proposes that some forms of populism are inconsistent with constitutionalism, while others aren't. By providing a series of case studies, some organized by nation, others by topic, the book identifies these populist inconsistencies with constitutionalism-and, importantly, when and how they are not. Opening a dialogue for the possibility of a deeper, populist democracy, the book examines recent challenges to the idea that democracy is a good form of government by exploring possibilities for new institutions that can determine and implement a majority's views without always threatening constitutionalism.

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10,000 Chinese Numbers

Death by a Thousand Cuts Matt Qvortrup 2021-06-21 Putting the current crisis of democracy into historical perspective, this book chronicles how would-be despots, dictators, and outright tyrants have finessed the techniques of killing democracies. It shows how autocratic government becomes a kleptoc

Questionable Dismissal Jerome A. Cranston 2016-06-02 Dr. Keith Bernard has earned a reputation as a professor with strong convictions and warm rapport with students, rarely has reason to recall that he was once considered a human resources "hit man." But to those who observed him from a safe distance in his previous career in personnel management, it often appeared that he was someone who was capable of firing people without any visible displays of emotion. One afternoon, Bernard is summoned to the law offices of Harper and Fowler to be deposed in a questionable dismissal wrongful case of one of the district's former employees. Bernard testifies and, somewhat reluctantly, teaches about the very real ethical dimensions of personnel management. Through a story-telling style that often confounds the lawyers asking scripted questions, Bernard reveals for us the unvarnished truth and subtle complexities inherent in educational leadership by responding to the question that is at once both ethical and dramatic, that is: How shall I act?

Ecce Homo Kent L. Brintnall 2011-12-01 Images of suffering male bodies permeate Western culture, from Francis Bacon's paintings and Robert Mapplethorpe's photographs to the battered heroes of action movies. Drawing on perspectives from a range of disciplines—including religious studies, gender and queer studies, psychoanalysis, art history, and film theory—Ecce Homo explores the complex, ambiguous meanings of the enduring figure of the male-body-in-pain. Acknowledging that representations of men confronting violence and pain can reinforce ideas of manly tenacity, Kent L. Brintnall also argues that they reveal the vulnerability of men's bodies and open them up to eroticization. Locating the roots of our cultural fascination with male pain in the crucifixion, he analyzes the way narratives of Christ's death and resurrection both support and subvert cultural fantasies of masculine power and privilege. Through stimulating readings of works by Georges Bataille, Kaja Silverman, and more, Brintnall delineates the redemptive power of representations of male suffering and violence.

Financial Death Insurance Dan Keppel 2013-09 Debt is a knife that is killing us slowly. Indenture to our bank kills the pleasures of life. Break the chains and gain financial freedom. Let's admit it. Most of us are spendaholics. 70% of us live paycheck to paycheck. Most of us will NEVER pay off our loans. We will die by a thousand cuts to our paychecks. How can we get free of the Master or the VISA? How do we protect ourselves against indenture to banks for the rest of our lives? Freedom from our chains of lifelong payments requires immediate action: cutting credit cards and amputation of some of our costly toys and habits. Going cold turkey is the only way to save your life in rehab. When you have financial freedom, you can buy new toys using the profits from your investments. Right now, you are making other people wealthy from your monthly payments. Stop it! Consider this example: You pay \$161 per month for 10+ years to pay off the average unsecured debt of \$10,050 at 15%. You will spend at least \$19,360 to pay off that \$10,050. (If your rate is 25%, you will pay \$25,080 for \$10,050.) You pay almost double for that same \$10,050! But that's not all-THE REAL COST IS MORE! If you did not have to use that \$161 each month to pay off the loan of \$10,050 and \$9,310 in interest, you would be able to use the \$161 per month to make money. You could have made about \$37,036 in the 10 years using a growth mutual fund. So the REAL cost of that \$10,050 debt is actually \$56,396!! The lender gets the \$19,360 (to pay the debt over time) and YOU gave up earning \$37,036 from the \$161 payment per month for 10 years. You give up the down payment on a house! You can be building your wealth in 24 months. Start now.

Heaven Has Eyes Xiaoqun Xu 2020-08-03 Heaven Has Eyes is a comprehensive but concise history of Chinese law and justice from the imperial era to the post-Mao era. Never before has a single book treated the traditional Chinese law and judicial practices and their modern

counterparts as a coherent history, addressing both criminal and civil justice. This book fills this void. Xiaoqun Xu addresses the evolution and function of law codes and judicial practices throughout China's long history, and examines the transition from traditional laws and practices to modern ones in the twentieth century. To the Chinese of the imperial era, justice was an alignment of heavenly reason (tianli), state law (guofa), and human relations (renqing). Such a conception did not change until the turn of the twentieth century, when Western-derived notions—natural rights, legal equality, the rule of law, judicial independence, and due process—came to replace the Confucian moral code of right and wrong. The legal-judicial reform agendas that emerged in the beginning of the twentieth century (and are still ongoing today) stemmed from this change in Chinese moral and legal thinking, but to materialize the said principles in everyday practices is a very different order of things, and the past century was fraught with legal dramas and tragedies. *Heaven Has Eyes* lays out how and why that is the case.

Financial Services and General Government Appropriations for 2008 United States. Congress. House. Committee on Appropriations. Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government 2007

Death by a Thousand Cuts Victor E. Schwartz 2003

Screening Torture Michael Flynn 2012-09-18 Before 9/11, films addressing torture outside of the horror/slasher genre depicted the practice in a variety of forms. In most cases, torture was cast as the act of a desperate and depraved individual, and the viewer was more likely to identify with the victim rather than the torturer. Since the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, scenes of brutality and torture in mainstream comedies, dramatic narratives, and action films appear for little other reason than to titillate and delight. In these films, torture is devoid of any redeeming qualities, represented as an exercise in brutal senselessness carried out by authoritarian regimes and institutions. This volume follows the shift in the representation of torture over the past decade, specifically in documentary, action, and political films. It traces and compares the development of this trend in films from the United States, Europe, China, Latin America, South Africa, and the Middle East. Featuring essays by sociologists, psychologists, historians, journalists, and specialists in film and cultural studies, the collection approaches the representation of torture in film and television from multiple angles and disciplines, connecting its aesthetics and practices to the dynamic of state terror and political domination.

The Successful Dean Mari Koerner 2020 What does leadership and change actually look like in myriad situations? This "boots-on-the-ground" resource, written by a former dean of education, pulls back the curtain on the crucial and complicated role of senior leadership and brings to the forefront experiences that often go unspoken. With humor and common-sense advice, the author draws on relevant scholarship to uncover the process for succeeding and thriving as a leader. The portrait of a dean is presented as a thoughtful activist whose leadership is defined by careful consideration of the responsibilities of the position and ethical responses to it all. Themes woven throughout the book include staying authentic, having courage, and remaining fair. Learning from the past but presenting a contemporary view, *The Successful Dean* responds to the rapidly changing context of higher education. "This book tells a story that feels authentic and cathartic." —Karen Symms Gallagher, USC Rossier School of Education "Koerner proved to be an exceptionally able dean in an especially complex university setting. She has terrific advice for any aspirants to the deanship." —David C. Berliner, Regents' Professor Emeritus, Arizona State University "A must-read for novice and seasoned higher education leaders." —Alfredo J. Artilles, professor and dean, Arizona State University

Talk talk TC Boyle 2013-03-14 Talk Talk is op het eerste oog vooral een spannend kat-en-muisspel. Maar in één moeite door laat Boyle zien hoe kwetsbaar ons 'zelf' geworden is in een tijdperk van elektronische informatiesystemen, digitale handtekeningen en onoverzichtelijk geworden cyberwerelden. Zo ontwikkelt Talk Talk zich tot een ademloze road novel, waarin Boyle bijna achteloos filosofische vragen doet rijzen.' - Trouw

De tranen van Eros Georges Bataille 1993 Cultuurfilosofisch essay met vele reproducties van kunstwerken over het verband tussen erotiek en geweld in de westerse beeldende kunst.

Surviving Death By A Thousand Cuts Marilyn (Penny) Brumbaugh 2021-03 This memoir, written in novel form, is the true story of a legal immigrant family that had a price on its head, a dream in their hearts and a chance to come to America. The Wetzels were Dutch-Indonesian colonists living in South East Asia until 1950 when they made a harrowing escape from Muslim rebel insurgents in Indonesia and fled back to Holland. It includes family pictures and exclusive historical photos and brings transparency and truth to a complicated family history

and disparages past vicious rumors and attempts to rewrite the history of the Wetzel family. Their journey brought them from Holland to the United States in 1956 where the family patriarch, Willy Wetzel, built an American dynasty around a successful family business bringing a previously close kept secret of Indonesian style martial arts to mainstream America. As children, Wim and his younger brothers and sister were trained and groomed to be the first Poekoelan Tjimindie karate instructors in the United States. As Willy Wetzel's oldest son, Wim takes the reader on a unique tumultuous journey through their family history and his personal experiences while walking in his father's shadow. He reveals his personal challenges and triumphs over a brutally dysfunctional family, undiagnosed dyslexia, typhoid fever, and the brothers coming of age while being engaged in the bloodiest battles of the Viet Nam war. The sons returned home from war with life altering injuries and were greeted by a family in crisis that was so intense that his brother Roy is forced to take their father's life in self-defense in order to save his own life and the life of his daughter. It is a story of family love and forgiveness and as the oldest son, Wim tells his personal story beyond his father's death and walks the reader through the good and bad choices that he made throughout his life.

Forging Romantic China Peter J. Kitson 2013-11-21 The first major study to focus on British and Chinese cultural relations in the Romantic period.

Death by a Thousand Cuts Timothy Brook 2008-03-15 In Beijing in 1904, multiple murderer Wang Weiqin became one of the last to suffer the extreme punishment known as lingchi, called by Western observers "death by a thousand cuts." This is the first book to explore the history, iconography, and legal contexts of Chinese tortures and executions from the 10th century until lingchi's abolition in 1905.

Steve's Doughnut! J. K. Smart 2006

De laatste rit Jess Kidd 2016-10-18 'Beeldrijk geschreven, fascinerende, spannende en ongewone thriller met een paranormaal kantje' NBD Mahony is als kind in de steek gelaten door zijn moeder. Jaren later keert hij terug naar zijn geboortedorp, een Twin Peaks-achtige setting, om uit te zoeken wat er is gebeurd. Zijn geograaf in het verleden - niet des dorps - veroorzaakt rumoer. Zijn moeder Orla was een rebelse tiener, die het dorp liever kwijt was dan rijk. En bovendien laten allerlei verdwenen gewaande dorpsgenoten ineens hun gezicht zien. Leeft Mahony's moeder nog? Of zien de dorpsbewoners dingen die er niet zijn? Niemand laat iets los, alhoewel Mahony zeker weet dat de dorpingen meer weten.

Innovation is Everybody's Business Tamara Ghandour 2020-05-01 Tamara Ghandour, author, podcaster, keynote speaker and founder of innovation training company, LaunchStreet, used to believe that innovation was the domain of a select few, exclusive to certain industries, or relegated to a specific job role. But, as Tamara discovered in her 25 years of work and research, everybody has the capacity to innovate. It's a person's unique innovation style, which can be assessed and channelled, that can transform inertia into innovation. Drawing on eye-opening data from her proprietary Innovation Quotient Edge Assessment, Innovation is Everybody's Business is for those looking for solutions to the daily pain of "how do I prove my worth," a reality for many people whether they work in the C-Suite or on the front-lines. This book will resonate with those that recognize that being more innovative is their ticket to being indispensable. It is also for leaders under pressure to build a culture of innovation but don't know how. As organizations face pressure to innovate, the accountability for making it happen falls on senior and mid-level leaders. They are told what to do, but not how to do it. This book will give them a tool to build a team of innovators who make an impact every day in big and small ways.

Vreemdelingen in hun eigen land Arlie Russell Hochschild 2017-08-29 In 'Vreemdelingen in hun eigen land' verlaat de beroemde socioloog Arlie Hochschild Californië, haar progressief linkse, kosmopolitische enclave vol gelijkgestemden, en trekt vijf jaar op met haar rechtse landgenoten in Louisiana, een van de armste en meest conservatieve staten van Amerika. Daar leert ze mensen kennen die een heel ander leven leiden en er ideeën op nahouden die haaks staan op die van haar. Hochschild raakt bevriend met een automonteur, een aannemer, een telefoonreparateur, een handelsreiziger, een vrachtwagenchauffeur, een conciërge en een gospelzanger, en probeert te achterhalen waarom zij tegen hun eigen belangen in aanhangers zijn van politici als Donald Trump en op hem stemmen. Het blijkt dat de angst voor culturele achterstelling, economische achteruitgang en het gevoel verraden te zijn door de staat doorslaggevend zijn. Tijdens haar zoektocht vindt Hochschild antwoorden op een van de cruciale vragen van de hedendaagse westerse politiek: waarom verzetten mensen zich met hand en tand tegen 'progressieve' overheidsinterventies terwijl zij daar zelf het meest van kunnen profiteren? Een must read voor iedereen die de opkomst van het rechtspopulisme en de alt-

right-beweging wil doorgronden.

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