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BASED ON THE LATEST GROUNDBREAKING SCIENCE
THE ULTIMATE GUIDE FROM THE CREATOR OF THE 5:2

THE NO.1 BESTSELLER

the fast 800

How to combine rapid weight loss and intermittent fasting for long-term health

AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND EDITION

DR MICHAEL MOSLEY
INTERNATIONAL BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Michael Mosley trained as a doctor before becoming a journalist and television presenter. He is the internationally bestselling author of *The Fast Diet*, *The 8-week Blood Sugar Diet* and *The Clever Guts Diet*.

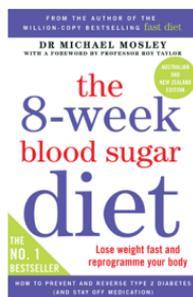
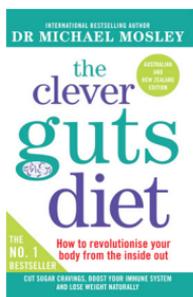
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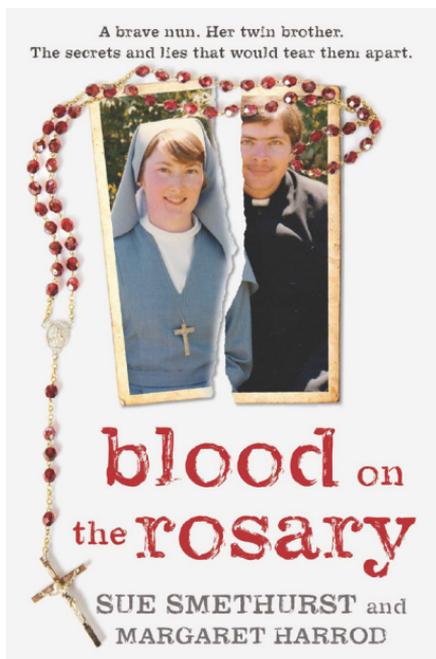
An instant No. 1 bestseller, the ultimate guide to fasting, weight loss and long-term good health by the internationally bestselling author

Dr Michael Mosley started a health revolution with *The 5:2 Fast Diet*, telling the world about the incredible power of intermittent fasting. Here he brings together all the latest science (including a new approach: Time Restricted Eating) to create an easy-to-follow program.

Studies show that 800 calories is the magic number when it comes to successful dieting – it's high enough to be manageable but low enough to speed weight loss and trigger a range of positive metabolic changes. Depending on your goals, you can choose how intensively you want to do the programme: how many fasting days to include each week, and how to adjust them as you progress. Along with delicious, low-carb recipes and menu plans by Dr Clare Bailey, *The Fast 800* offers a flexible way to help you lose weight, improve mood and reduce blood pressure, inflammation and blood sugars.

'I lost 16kg in 8 weeks and then another 6kg. I've never been healthier' **Denise, 51**





Blood On The Rosary

Sue Smethurst and Margaret Harrod

A woman's heartfelt, brave and inspiring memoir about the power of speaking out and exposing paedophile priests, including her own twin brother.

A brave nun. Her twin brother. The secrets and lies that would tear them apart.

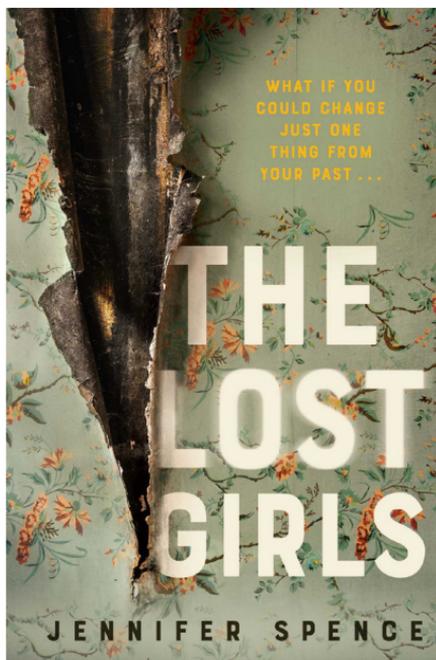
Margaret Harrod shared a unique bond with her twin brother Michael. Inseparable as children, at age 22 they gave their lives to the Catholic Church. Margaret became a nun and Michael a priest – it was the proudest day of their deeply religious parents' lives. Margaret cherishes those carefree memories because the brother she adored is now in jail. Father Michael Aulsebrook pleaded guilty to multiple charges of molesting children. And the unlikely whistleblower was his courageous twin sister. It cost Margaret everything, but she couldn't stay silent any longer about the damage her brother was wreaking in his community. Margaret knows of that damage firsthand, having had that trust betrayed herself.

Blood on the Rosary is Margaret's story – how she sacrificed everything she held dear, and how she bravely fought her church and her community to bring paedophile priests to justice.

Margaret Harrod became a crisis supporter and Lifeline coach and now runs her own life coaching business.

Sue Smethurst is an award-winning writer, a senior journalist for the *Australian Women's Weekly* and the author of seven other books.

See www.suesmethurstmedia.com



Jennifer Spence has worked as an English teacher, a scriptwriter of soap operas and a technical writer. She is the author of three children's books and a crime novel. She lives in Sydney.

'A clever and haunting book that plays on the butterfly effect' *Spectrum*

'Tightly written and compulsive, the twists had me frantically turning the pages'

Emma Viskic award-winning author of *And Fire Came Down*

The Lost Girls

Jennifer Spence

A haunting tale of love and loss that will make you think twice ...

What would you do if you had the chance to change a pivotal moment from your past?

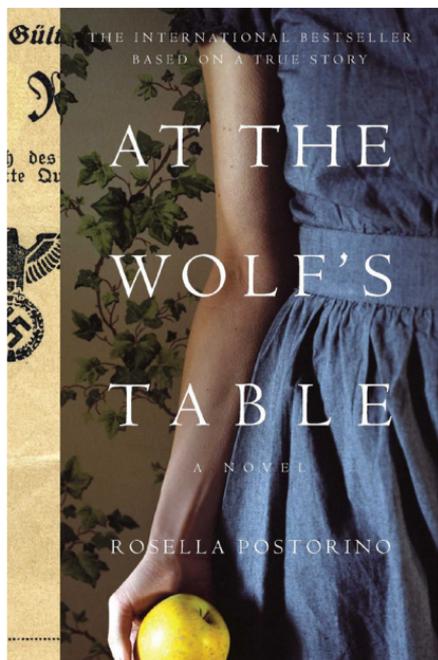
How far would you go to save someone you loved? These are just two of the fateful choices a woman must face in this highly original and hauntingly evocative detective story of love and loss.

At the core of the enigmatic Stella's story, past and present, is a mystery she is compelled to solve, a beautiful young woman who went missing fifty years ago – and a tragedy much closer to home she must try to prevent.

As Stella unravels the dark secrets of her family's past and her own, it becomes clear that everyone remembers the past differently and the small choices we make every day can change our future irrevocably.

This utterly original, gripping and mind-bending tale will stay with you long after the last page.

'A beautifully compelling book that dares to not only ask "What if?" ... but to explore that question with heart-busting yearning, wry humour and masterful storytelling'
Kate Mulvany, playwright and actor



Rosella Postorino is an internationally bestselling author and an editor.

At the Wolf's Table is an international success story. The book was an instant bestseller in Italy, rights have been sold to 22 territories and the book has been optioned for a film.

'Vividly written, tense historical fiction that's well on the way to becoming a global bestseller' *Spectrum*

'As engaging as a great film' *Vanity Fair*

At the Wolf's Table

Rosella Postorino

The international bestseller based on the shocking true story of the women conscripted to risk their lives as Hitler's food tasters

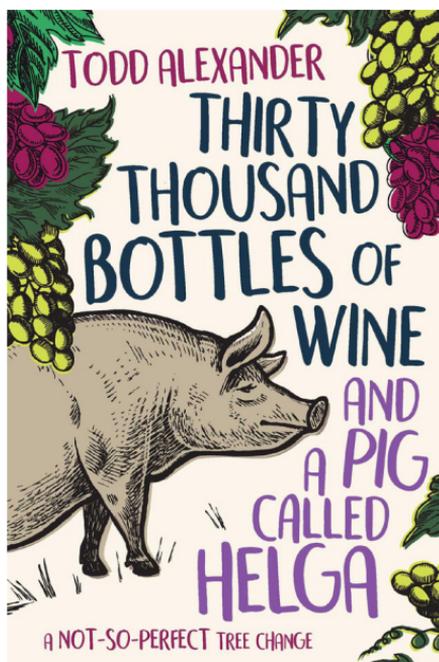
Germany, 1943: Twenty-six-year-old Rosa Sauer's parents are gone and her husband Gregor is fighting on the front lines. Impoverished and alone in war-torn Berlin, she makes the fateful decision to seek refuge with her in-laws in the countryside.

But one morning the SS arrive to inform her she has been conscripted as one of Hitler's food tasters. Twice a day, Rosa and nine other women must go to his secret headquarters, the Wolf's Lair, to eat his meals before he does. After each meal, the women must wait an hour to see if they will die.

Forced into this deadly game of roulette, the tasters divide into those loyal to Hitler, and those like Rosa who insist they aren't Nazis, even as they risk their lives every day for his.

As secrets and resentments grow, one of the SS guards becomes dangerously familiar.

And as the war escalates, it becomes clear that Rosa and everyone she knows are on the wrong side of history.



Todd Alexander is the author of novels *Pictures of Us* and *Tom Houghton*, and he has also written numerous bestselling books about online business. He lives in the Hunter Valley of New South Wales with his partner Jeff where they run a boutique vineyard and accommodation business, Block Eight.

Thirty Thousand Bottles of Wine and a Pig Called Helga

Todd Alexander

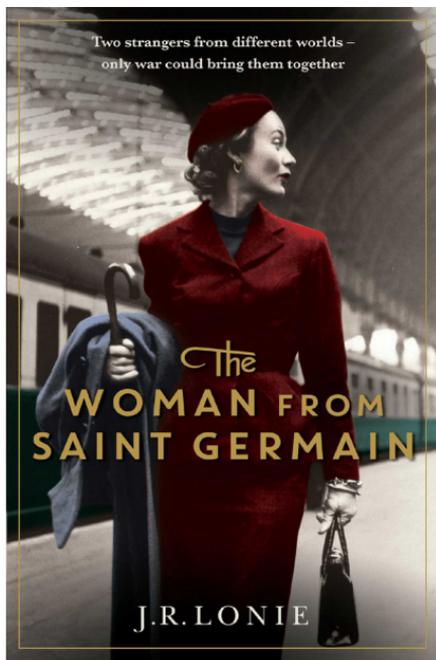
Sharply observed, funny and poignant, a tree change story with a twist.

Once I was the poster boy for corporate success, but now I'm crashing through the bush in search of a missing pig. How the hell did we end up here?

Todd and Jeff have had enough of the city. Sick of the daily grind and workaday corporate shenanigans, they throw caution to the wind and buy 100 acres in the renowned Hunter Valley wine region, intent on living a golden bucolic life and building a fabulous B&B, where they can offer the joys of country life to heart-weary souls. Todd will cook, Jeff will renovate. They have a vineyard, they can make wine. They have space, they can grow their own food. They have everything they need to make their dreams come true. How hard can it be?

'This joyously honest account will make you laugh and shed more than a few tears'

Bradley Trevor Greive AM,
internationally bestselling author of
The Blue Day Book and *Penguin Bloom*



J.R. Lonie is otherwise known as John Lonie, an author, playwright, script editor and screenwriter whose credits include some of Australia's most successful television dramas and films, including *A Place to Call Home*. He lives in Brisbane.

'A necessary murder, a race to freedom, James Joyce and a bookshop set the stage for a tautly paced and thrilling chase that hurls you towards a revelatory finish'

Marta Dusseldorp

The Woman from Saint Germain

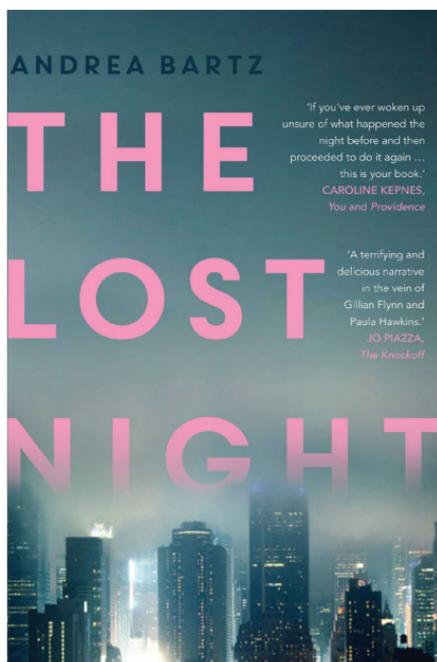
J.R. Lonie

Suite Française meets *The Fugitive* as two strangers go on the run to outwit the Nazis in 1941

She is a celebrated writer stranded in Paris after her French lover is killed fighting the German invasion. He is an enigmatic foreigner with a dangerous secret, fleeing Nazi-controlled Austria. Only the war could bring them together.

Armed with a precious first edition of *Finnegans Wake* and an even more precious stash of Chesterfield cigarettes to barter with, Eleanor Gorton Clarke joins the sea of refugees escaping the city. But when a stranger kills two German soldiers to save her life, Eleanor is forced on the run with her mysterious rescuer, pursued by a vengeful detective from the Wehrmacht. Two strangers from vastly different worlds, the unlikely pair initially despise each other. But as the ruthless hunt escalates and they are forced to become allies to survive, a powerful attraction erupts between them.

As their relentless pursuer begins to close the net, a heartbreaking discovery forces the great romantic novelist to experience something she was supposed to know all about – the true nature of love.



Andrea Bartz is a Brooklyn-based journalist and co-author of the blog-turned-book *Stuff Hipsters Hate*, which *The New Yorker* called ‘depressingly astute’. Her work has appeared in *The Wall Street Journal*, *Marie Claire*, *Vogue*, *Cosmopolitan* and *Elle* and she’s held editorial positions at *Glamour*, *Psychology Today* and *Self*.

‘If you’ve ever woken up unsure of what happened the night before and then proceeded to do it again ... this is your book’

Caroline Kepnes, author of *You and Providence*

The Lost Night

Andrea Bartz

That feeling of dread when you can’t remember what you did last night is taken a terrifying step further ...

Edie was once the shining star in her twenty-something circle in New York’s coolest neighbourhood. Like Andy Warhol’s muse, the seductive, beguiling and mercurial party girl had the social world in her thrall. Every girl wanted to be Edie, every boy wanted her, and she and her clique treated their slice of the city like a playground.

When Edie committed suicide at the end of a long, drunken night, no one could quite believe it. An overwhelming mix of grief, shock and resentment drove each of her ‘devoted’ friends into their own corner and, for years, that’s where they stayed.

Ten years later a chilling chance reunion forces Edie’s best friend to wonder if there was more to her death. When a deeply unsettling video from that wild and terrible, hazy night emerges she starts to wonder if Edie was actually murdered – and, worse, if she herself was involved.

‘Bartz has crafted a terrifying and delicious narrative in the vein of Gillian Flynn and Paula Hawkins’
Jo Piazza, bestselling co-author of *The Knockoff*

'Gianni Russo walks the walk and talks the talk. What a life. Fascinating ...'

Robert De Niro

Hollywood Godfather

MY LIFE IN
THE MOVIES
AND THE MOB

GIANNI RUSSO

with Patrick Picciarelli

Gianni Russo has appeared in more than thirty movies, including *The Godfather*, and numerous TV shows.

He is also a producer and a singer, whose shows sell out across the US.

Russo's life-long association with organised crime has seen him witness to Mob history.

Patrick Picciarelli is a retired NYPD lieutenant, Vietnam veteran and private investigator.

'Gianni Russo has seen a lot, done a lot, and tells it all. Amazing.'

Nick Pileggi, Academy Award-nominated screenwriter of *Goodfellas*

Hollywood Godfather

Gianni Russo

In the tradition of *Catch Me If You Can* and *The Wolf of Wall Street*, the rollercoaster adventures of a real life mobster-turned-actor who helped make *The Godfather* a reality.

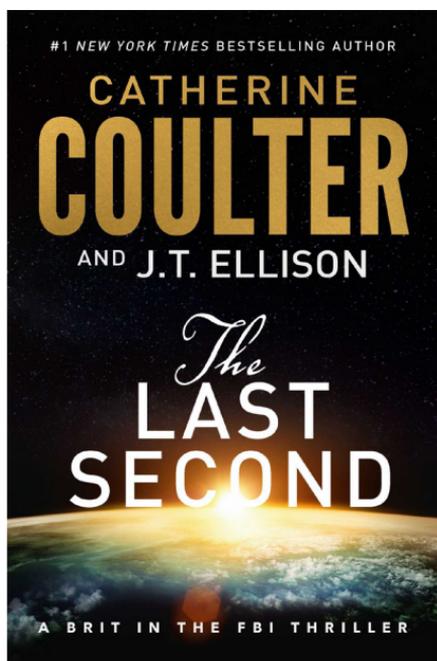
Gianni Russo was a handsome 25-year-old mobster with no acting experience when he walked onto the set of *The Godfather* and entered Hollywood history. He played Carlo Rizzi, the husband of Connie Corleone, who set her brother Sonny – played by James Caan – up for the hit that created an indelible cinematic moment.

But Russo didn't have to act. He knew the Mob inside and out: from his childhood in Little Italy, where mafia legend Frank Costello took him under his wing, acting as messenger for New Orleans Mob boss

Carlos Marcello during the Kennedy assassination, to being forced on the lam after shooting a member of Pablo Escobar's Colombian drug cartel in his Vegas club.

Along the way, Russo befriended Frank Sinatra – who became his son's godfather – and Marlon Brando, had passionate affairs with Marilyn Monroe, Liza Minelli and scores of other stars, all while walking the tightrope between Hollywood glamour and working for the Mob.

A no-holds-barred rollercoaster ride of life lived on the edge: shocking, thoroughly entertaining, full of glamour, sex, violence, cheek – and fun.



Catherine Coulter is the #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of novels, including the FBI Thriller series and *The Brit in the FBI* series, co-written with J.T. Ellison. Coulter lives in Sausalito, California.

J.T. Ellison is a *New York Times* bestselling author who writes dark psychological thrillers and pens the Nicholas Drummond series with Catherine Coulter. Ellison lives in Nashville.



The Last Second

Catherine Coulter and J.T. Ellison

Special agents Drummond and Caine are pitted against the head of a private space agency with the power to end the world.

It's Bastille Day in France, and the private space agency Galactus, France's answer to Space X, owned by the eccentric treasure hunter Jean-Pierre Broussard has just sent a satellite payload into orbit. Billed as a communications satellite, it harbours a frightening reality: a nuclear electromagnetic pulse has been hidden aboard. In days, when the satellite is in position, Galactus's head and Broussard's second in command, Dr Neveah Patil, will have the power to lay waste to the world with her EMP, and create her own immortality with the Holy Grail – the stones of the heavens and the very treasure Broussard has spent his life searching for.

The countdown has begun, and Special Agents Nicholas Drummond and Michaela Caine will go down to the wire to stop this heinous attack. With their signature nonstop action, Coulter and Ellison have created a thriller to take you on a breakneck and breathtaking journey.

STEVE BIDDULPH RAISING GIRLS

IN THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY

From babyhood to womanhood – helping your daughter to grow up wise, strong and free



Steve Biddulph AM, is one of the world's best-known parent educators. A psychologist for 30 years, he is now retired but continues to write and teach. His books are in four million homes and published in 31 languages around the world. Steve's work has influenced the way we look at childhood, the development of boys and men, the exploitation of girls and the misuse of young women globally.

STEVE BIDDULPH
RAISING
BOYS
In the 21st Century



Raising Girls in the Twenty-first Century Steve Biddulph

The revised and updated edition of the bestselling parenting classic, *Raising Girls*.

Raising Girls in the Twenty-first Century is Steve Biddulph's warm, wise and up-to-the minute look at how to help your daughter – at every age, from baby to teen. Girls today need to be strong, but also keep their hearts open. Steve brings the very best help from around the globe to build girls' self-belief in a world that often wants to tear them down.

In this revised and updated edition, you'll learn how to raise your daughter to have a joyful childhood and not be forced to grow up too fast; navigate the fraught world of friends, peer pressure and bullying; be free and wild, to reduce anxiety, depression or self-harm; prevent technology addiction and other social media pitfalls; relate to boys with a clear head and strong heart.

There is also a powerful and provocative section on '#MeToo in School', shining a light on the reality of childhood sexual harassment, and how best to build strength and resilience.

Filled with unforgettable stories that will bring you to tears, and offering clear, practical help, this is not just a guidebook but a fierce call-to-arms.


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Danielle Alvarez
 Jill Dupleix
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 Adam Liaw
 Andrew McConnell
 Katrina Meynink
 Neil Perry



Favourite Recipes

Danielle Alvarez is the head chef of acclaimed restaurant Fred's in Sydney where she champions a produce-driven philosophy. **Jill Dupleix** is a long-time *Good Food* recipe columnist, restaurant critic and author of 16 cookbooks. **Helen Goh** is currently part of the Ottolenghi creative team and co-author with Yotam Ottolenghi of *Sweet*. **Kylie Kwong** is the owner of Sydney institution Billy Kwong where she uses Australian native ingredients in traditional Cantonese dishes. **Dan Leopard** is an innovative baker and chef who travels the world cooking and consulting on restaurant menus. **Adam Liaw** is a popular cook, writer and television presenter and in 2010 won *MasterChef Australia*. **Andrew McConnell** defines Melbourne's culinary landscape with restaurants such as Cumulus, Cutler & Co and Supernormal. **Katrina Meynink** is a food writer and recipe developer who really understands what home cooks want from a recipe – flavour and results. **Neil Perry** is one of Australia's leading, most influential chefs and leads the Rockpool Dining Group.

Good Food Favourite Recipes

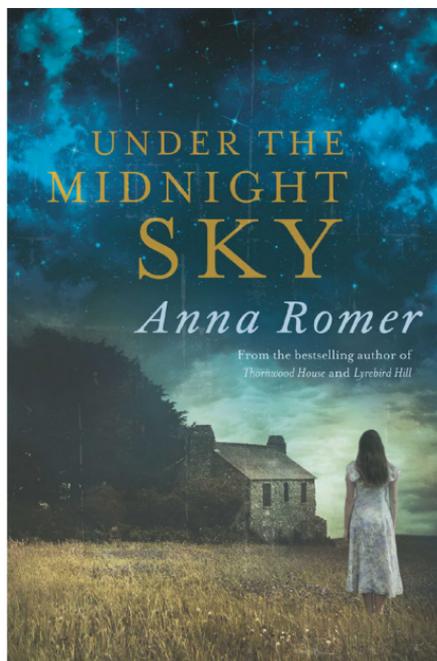
100 favourite recipes collected for the first time from Australia's leading cooks, as previously published in *Good Food*, *Good Weekend* and *Sunday Life*.

Over 100 recipes chosen by *Good Food* editor Ardyn Bernoth from the outstanding professional cooks she charges every week to bring us recipes for the seasonal food they are passionate about.

Here are inspiring, delicious, easy weeknight dishes along with plenty to make your guests gasp such as Danielle Alvarez's Chocolate, butterscotch and raspberry trifle and Neil Perry's Spicy braised lamb with apricots, pistachios and roast pumpkin.

The recipes have been clearly labelled for those looking for gluten-free, vegetarian and vegan options and every recipe has an accompanying photograph.

The chapters include: soups; veggies, sides and salads; pasta, grains, eggs and tarts; fish and seafood; chicken, duck and meat; desserts and treats.



Anna Romer was born in Australia to a family of booklovers and is the author of the bestselling novels *Thornwood House*, *Lyrebird Hill* and *Beyond the Orchard*. She lives in an old cottage surrounded by bushland, writing stories about dark family secrets, rambling houses, characters haunted by the past, with settings that feature the uniquely beautiful Australian landscape.

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Under the Midnight Sky

Anna Romer

Romance, intrigue and a chilling murder in wild bushland drive this compelling new novel from the bestselling author

When an injured teenager goes missing at a remote bushland campground, local journalist Abby Bardot is determined to expose the area's dark history. The girl bears a striking resemblance to the victims of three brutal murders that occurred there twenty years before.

Abby fears the killer is still on the loose, but the newspaper she works for wants to suppress the story. Haunted by her own turbulent memories, Abby is desperate to learn the truth and enlists the help of Tom Gabriel, a reclusive crime writer. When they discover a hidden attic room in his house that shows evidence of imprisonment from half a century before, they become convinced it holds the key to solving the bushland murders and finding the missing girl alive.

But their quest has drawn out a killer with a shocking secret who will stop at nothing to keep the truth buried.

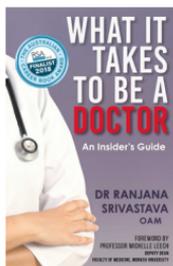
A better death



Dr Ranjana Srivastava

Dr Ranjana Srivastava OAM is a practising oncologist, internationally published and award-winning author, broadcaster, columnist and Fulbright scholar. Her book *Dying for a Chat* won a Human Rights Literature Prize and she is the author of two other books, *Tell Me the Truth* and *What it Takes to be a Doctor*. She lives in Victoria.

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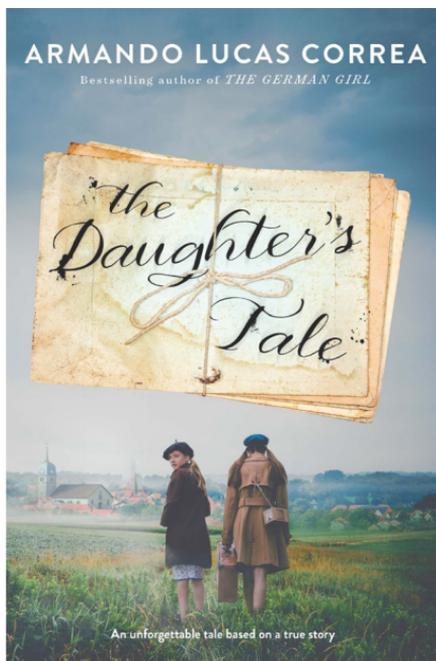
A Better Death

Dr Ranjana Srivastava

Intelligent and uplifting, *A Better Death* is a passionate exploration of the art of living and dying well by one of Australia's most respected voices

Two universal events bookend our lives: we were all born and we will all die. We don't have a choice in how we enter the world but we can have a say in how we leave it. In order to die well, we must be prepared to contemplate our mortality and to broach it with our loved ones. These are some of the most important conversations we can have with each other – to find peace, kindness and gratitude for what has gone before, and acceptance of what is to come.

Dr Ranjana Srivastava draws on two decades of experience to share her observations and advice on leading a meaningful life and finding dignity and composure at the end. With an emphasis on advocacy, leaving a legacy and staying true to our deepest convictions, Srivastava tells stories of strength, hope and resilience in the face of grief and offers an optimistic meditation on approaching the end of life.



Armando Lucas Correa is an award-winning journalist, editor, author, and the recipient of several awards from the National Association of Hispanic Publications and the Society of Professional Journalism. He is the author of the international bestseller *The German Girl*, which is now being published in thirteen languages. He lives in New York with his partner and their three children.



The Daughter's Tale

Armando Lucas Correa

Based on the true story of the Nazi massacre of a French village in 1944, an unforgettable tale of love and redemption from the bestselling author of *The German Girl*.

New York City, 2015: Eighty-year-old Elise Duval receives a phone call from a woman recently arrived from Cuba bearing messages from a time and country that she's long forgotten. A French Catholic who arrived in New York after World War II, Elise and her world are changed forever when she discovers that the letters written by her mother during the war unravel more than seven decades of secrets.

Berlin, 1939: Bookstore owner and recent widow Amanda Sternberg is fleeing Nazi Germany with her two young daughters, heading towards unoccupied France. She arrives in Haute-Vienne with only one of her girls. Their freedom is short-lived and soon they are taken to a labour camp.

Inspired by one of the most shocking atrocities perpetrated by the Nazis during World War II, the 1944 massacre of all the inhabitants of the village of Oradour-Sur-Glane in the south of France, *The Daughter's Tale* is a beautifully crafted family saga of love, survival and hope against all odds.

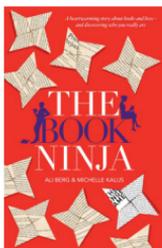
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Ali Berg and Michelle Kalus are the authors of *The Book Ninja*, which has sold in 9 territories and has been optioned for a film. They began Books on the Rail in Melbourne which is now Australia-wide. Ali is Creative Director and co-founder of Hedgehog Agency, Melbourne, and Michelle is a primary school teacher.

See www.aliandmichelle.com
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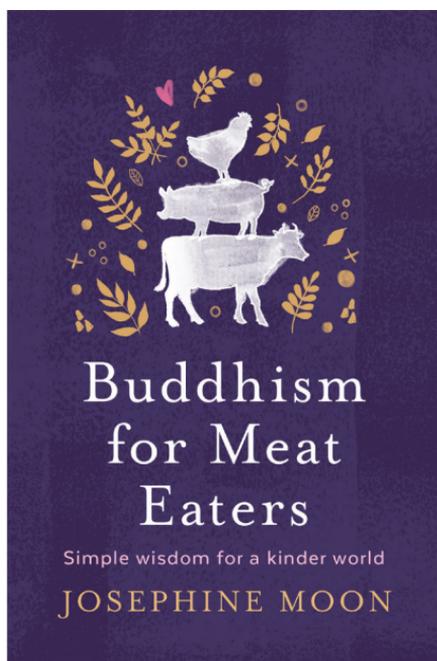
While You Were Reading Ali Berg and Michelle Kalus

**Words are messy. Love is messier.
A love story for book lovers that
celebrates much more than romance**

Meet Beatrix Babbage – twenty-nine-year-old dog-earer of books and accidental destroyer of weddings.

After ruining her best friend's nuptials, Bea relocates to the other side of the country in search of a fresh start, including meeting new people, living life to the fullest and finally pulling off balayage. But after a few months, life is more stagnant than ever. Bea's job is dead-end. Her romantic life? Non-existent. And her only friends are her books, her barista and her cleaning lady.

Then Bea stumbles across a second-hand novel, inscribed with notes. Besotted with the poetic inscriptions, Bea is determined to find the author ... and finds herself entangled in one hell of a love quadrangle. Funny, poignant and insightful, *While You Were Reading* reveals that there's no such thing as perfection, the value of true friendship and, most importantly, the power of not living in fiction, but still reading it ... Often.



Josephine Moon is an animal welfare activist, founder of a horse rescue charity and sponsor of Story Dogs, a charity that takes dogs to primary schools to promote literacy. She is the author of novels *The Tea Chest*, *The Chocolate Promise*, *The Beekeeper's Secret*, *Three Gold Coins* and *The Gift of Life*.

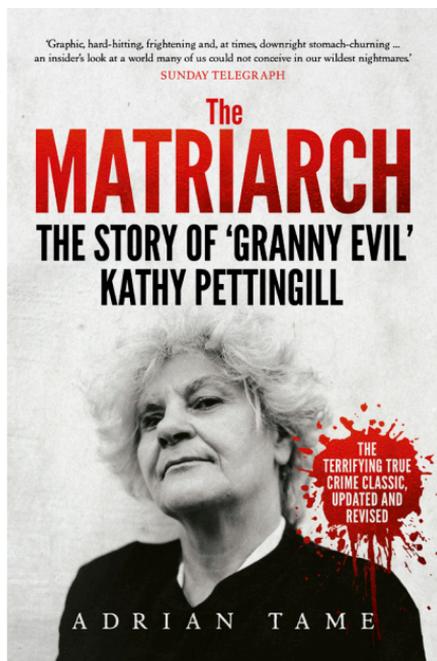
Buddhism for Meat Eaters

Josephine Moon

An engaging, thought-provoking and ultimately uplifting guide on how to live a compassionate life in our consumerist times.

For many years Josephine Moon struggled with the question of eating meat, fervently wishing to live as a vegetarian yet requiring meat in her diet. From Josephine's philosophical, spiritual and physical battle with eating meat came *Buddhism for Meat Eaters* – a book for animal lovers, the environmentally and ethically conscious, and generally thoughtful people who eat meat but perhaps aren't entirely comfortable doing so.

Open, honest and totally without judgement, *Buddhism for Meat Eaters* encourages readers to be more mindful about their choices, rather than berating themselves for them, and offers ways to live ethically, honestly and guilt-free, whether as a carnivore, vegetarian or vegan. This highly practical guide also includes workbook-style activities and topics for consideration to guide you in your own journey to making wiser decisions on how to consume, how to live, and how to change the world around you.



Adrian Tame has worked as a writer, journalist and broadcaster in Australia, the UK, North America and Mexico.

He is the author of *Deadlier than the Male* and co-author with F.P.J.

Robotham, of *Maralinga: British A-bomb, Australian Legacy*. Tame has also scripted several award-winning TV documentaries, a feature film and produced radio and TV programs.

The Matriarch

Adrian Tame

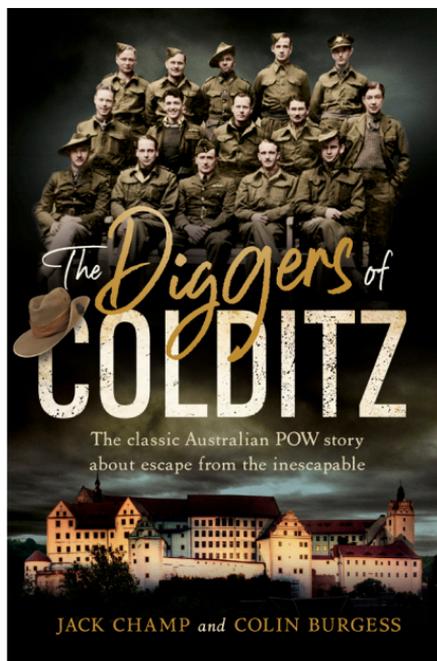
Shocking, confronting and fascinating, the matriarch of the most violent and notorious criminal family in Australian history tells her side of the story.

As the matriarch at the head of the most notorious and violent family in Australian criminal history, Kathy Pettingill is a name that's both respected and feared. Her life has revolved around murder, drugs, prison, prostitution and bent coppers –and the intrigue and horror that surround such crimes.

Her eldest son, Dennis Allen, was a mass murderer and a \$70,000-a-week drug dealer who dismembered a Hell's Angel with a chainsaw. Two younger sons were acquitted of an infamous cold-blooded assassination of two police officers. One of the two, Victor, was gunned down himself in the street 14 years later. Pettingill and her deadly family are rumoured to be the inspiration for the Oscar-nominated *Animal Kingdom*.

Forthright and deeply disturbing, like its subject, *The Matriarch* pulls no punches.

And its leading lady is back in the spotlight after featuring in a recent Netflix documentary and soon to star in an Amazon Audible documentary to be released later in 2019.



The Diggers of Colditz

Colin Burgess

An updated edition of the classic Australian POW story of survival under hardship, mateship behind enemy lines – and a daring escape

Colditz Castle was Nazi Germany's infamous 'escape-proof' wartime prison, where hundreds of the most determined and resourceful Allied prisoners were sent. Despite having more guards than inmates, Australian Lieutenant Jack Champ and other prisoners tirelessly carried out their campaign to escape from the massive floodlit stronghold by any means necessary.

Lieutenant Jack Champ, 2/6th Infantry Battalion, was captured by German forces following the 1941 Battle of Crete, and sent to Colditz after escaping from multiple POW camps. Champ took part in many infamous escape attempts. He died in 1998 at the age of 85.

Colin Burgess has written or co-authored 35 books covering the Australian prisoner-of-war experience, aviation and space exploration. He lives near Sydney.

In this riveting account – by turns heartfelt, humorous and tragic – Lieutenant Jack Champ and historian Colin Burgess tell the story of the twenty Australians who made this castle their 'home', and the plans that were so crazy that some even achieved the seemingly impossible – escape!

'A stirring testimony of mateship . . . We are often on tenterhooks, always impressed by their determination, industry and courage'

Australian Book Review

STEVE BIDDULPH

THE NEW MANHOOD



Steve Biddulph AM, is one of the world's best-known parent educators. A psychologist for 30 years, he is now retired but continues to write and teach. His books are in four million homes and published in 31 languages around the world. Steve's work has influenced the way we look at childhood, the development of boys and men, the exploitation of girls and the misuse of young women globally.

The New Manhood Revised and Updated Steve Biddulph

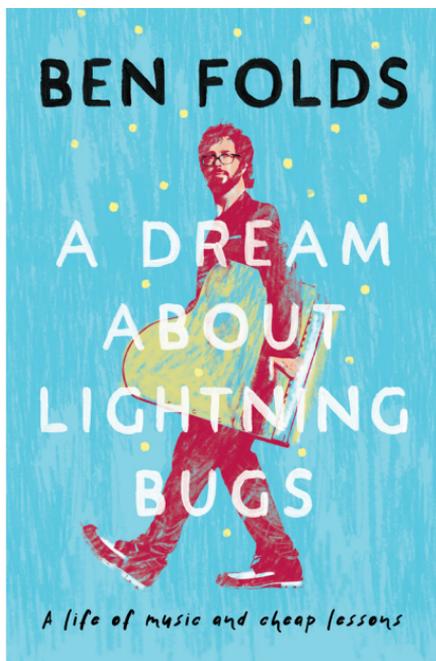
The landmark text aimed at conquering toxic masculinity and paving the way for a fairer world, updated for a new generation.

For twenty years, Steve Biddulph's groundbreaking book *Manhood* and the revised edition, *The New Manhood*, have had a remarkable impact around the world. Thousands of men have reconciled with their fathers, become more involved with their children, rejuvenated their marriages and made sweeping changes to their lives.

In this revised and updated edition, Steve explores every aspect of a man's life in an honest and uplifting way: love, friendship, sex, marriage, raising children, spirituality and finding your true work – all in plain language and illuminated with powerful stories, real-life stories. This is a handbook for men of all ages, and for the women who love them.

'This landmark work is for those who truly want to understand and nurture the men and boys in their lives, and for men who want to understand themselves better'

**Maggie Hamilton, author of
*What Men Don't Talk About***



A Dream About Lightning Bugs

Ben Folds

Reflections on art, life, and music from the genre-defying icon, in a memoir that is as nuanced, witty and relatable as his cult-classic songs.

Ben Folds is a celebrated American singer-songwriter and frontman of the alternative rock band Ben Folds Five, beloved for songs such as 'Brick', 'You Don't Know Me' and 'The Luckiest'. In *A Dream About Lightning Bugs*, he looks back on his life in a charming, funny and wise chronicle of his artistic coming-of-age, infused with the wry observations of a natural storyteller. He opens up about finding his voice as a musician, becoming a rock anti-hero, and hauling a baby grand piano around for every performance. From growing up in working class North Carolina, to painful life lessons learned the hard way, he also ruminates on creativity in the digital age, the absurdity of life on the road, and the challenges of sustaining a multi-decade career in the music business.

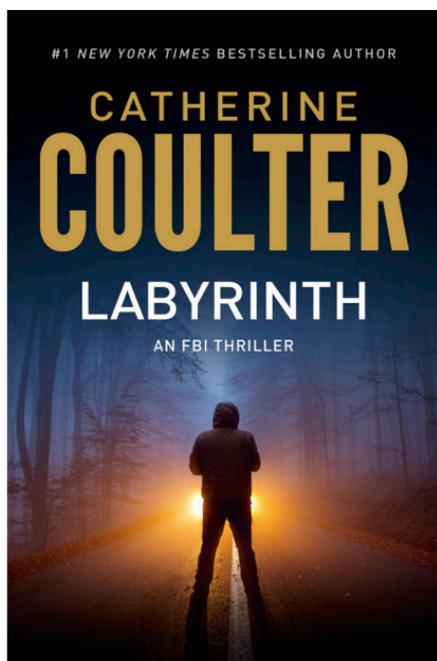
A Dream about Lightning Bugs embodies what Folds has been singing about for years: Smile like you've got nothing to prove, because it hurts to grow up, but everybody does, and life flies by in seconds.

Ben Folds is a celebrated musician who has created a unique body of genre-bending music that includes pop albums with Ben Folds Five, multiple solo albums, and collaborative records with artists from Regina Spektor to William Shatner. In 2017 he was named the first artistic advisor to the National Symphony Orchestra at the Kennedy Center.

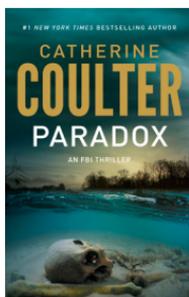
'I'm gonna learn to read for this.'

Josh Groban

'As a lifelong fan of [Ben's] work and as a musician, this is truly a gift. There were moments to geek out, moments to laugh and cry and many fragments of pure, hard won wisdom and honesty.' **Jamie Cullum**



Catherine Coulter is the #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of over eighty novels, including the FBI Thriller series and the Brit in the FBI international thriller series, co-written with J.T. Ellison. She lives in Sausalito.



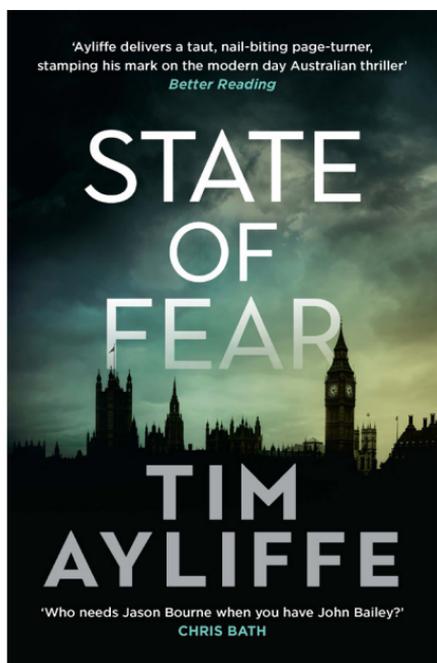
Labyrinth

Catherine Coulter

Agent Sherlock risks losing her career –and her sanity – over a case that is more complicated and twisted than any she’s ever encountered.

On a dark night, Agent Lacey Sherlock is driving along circuitous mountain roads in West Virginia when her car is suddenly T-boned at an intersection. As her car spins out of control, a man’s body slams against her windshield and then—blackness. When she finally comes to, Sherlock has no memory of the accident. But what she does know is that the man she hit is a local CIA analyst ... and now he’s missing.

Meanwhile, in the small town of Gaffer’s Ridge, Virginia, Special Agent Griffin Hammersmith has just rescued a kidnapped woman who claims her captor admitted to the murder of three teenage girls. However, the man she accuses is related to the local sheriff and a member of a very powerful family. Special Agent Hammersmith reaches out to Sherlock for help, and they soon realise that the disappearance of the CIA analyst is connected to the string of murders. But how?



State of Fear

Tim Ayliffe

‘Ayliffe delivers a taut, nail-biting page-turner straight from the headlines, stamping his mark on the modern day thriller’

John Bailey has a history of being in the wrong place at the wrong time. The veteran war reporter has been kidnapped and tortured – twice. Finally he’s living something that resembles a normal life. But all that changes when a terrorist murders a woman in front of Bailey in London.

The mastermind behind the attack is Mustafa al-Baghdadi – No.1 on the FBI’s most wanted list – and the man who tortured Bailey in Fallujah a decade ago.

Mustafa has a deadly axe to grind with Bailey. He taunts Bailey with threats of more attacks in other cities, closer to home. Back in Sydney the teenage son of Bailey’s old driver from Iraq is missing, and the people who matter most to Bailey have become targets.

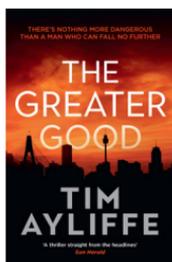
Bailey enlists the help of the only man he knows he can trust – ruthless CIA veteran Ronnie Johnson, supposedly retired – in a race against time to take down the world’s most deadly terrorist, once and for all.

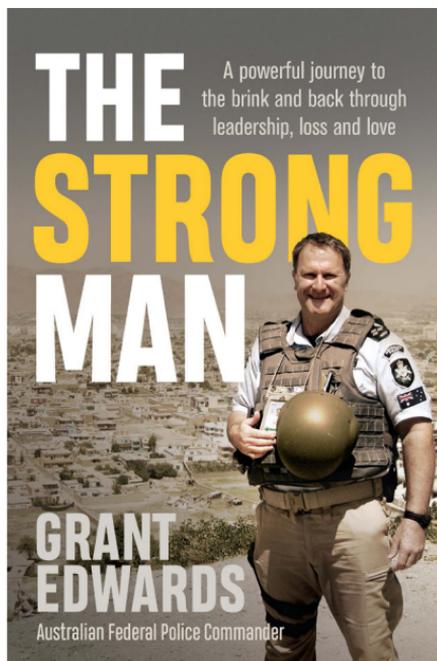
Praise for *The Greater Good*

‘A brilliantly written character starring in a cracking crime thriller’ *Herald Sun*

‘As a correspondent, I lived this world. Tim Ayliffe has written it.’ *Stan Grant*

Tim Ayliffe has been a journalist for 20 years and is the managing editor of television and video for ABC News. He has also worked as TV news editor for ABC News and executive producer of ABC News Breakfast. Before joining the ABC Tim worked in London for Sky News. He is the author *The Greater Good*, the first of a three-book series featuring John Bailey. He lives in Sydney.





Commander **Grant Edwards** is a highly decorated Australian Federal Police Officer, former elite athlete and strongman competitor, and an ambassador for mental health services in policing and first responders.

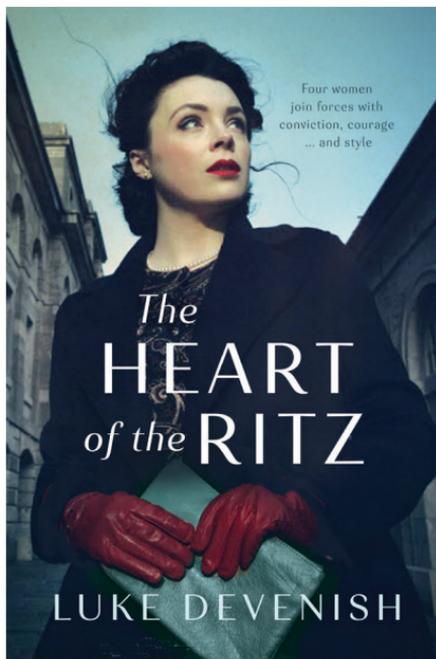
The Strong Man

Grant Edwards

The powerful, inspiring memoir of life under fire and the battle back from the brink by a man who has seen conflict around the world

Grant Edwards was once an elite athlete, Olympics qualifier and Australia's strongest man. His Guinness Book of Records feats of strength were acclaimed internationally, and as a high ranking police officer he spent decades protecting vulnerable people around the world. But nothing could shield him from catastrophic harm in the line of duty.

Rising above his tough beginnings in 1970s suburbia, where he was bullied for his father's decision to live as a gay man, Edwards found sanctuary in sport. But he found his true calling with the Australian Federal Police, rising swiftly through the ranks to Commander and personally establishing cybercrime units to fight child exploitation and human trafficking. A highly sought after and disciplined security advisor for governments around the world such as East Timor, Afghanistan and the Americas, Edwards was considered the last person to 'crack' – but a narrow escape from a deadly attack in Kabul pushed him to breaking point. This is the story of an extraordinary man and his extraordinary battle back from the brink.



The Heart of the Ritz Luke Devenish

Four women join forces to survive the invasion of Paris with conviction, courage – and style

France, April 1940. Polly Hartford has been sent across oceans to her Aunt Marjorie, known only from letters. When Marjorie dies in suspicious circumstances, Polly is left with her aunt's loaded pistol in a beautiful Hermès handbag – and to the care of Marjorie's three friends: an elegant Comtesse, a gutter-born film star, and a big-hearted American heiress.

Luke Devenish is an author, scriptwriter and playwright. His bestselling novels *Den of Wolves*, *Nest of Vipers* and *The Secret Heiress* were translated internationally. He has written numerous plays, and television dramas such as *Neighbours* and *Home and Away*. Luke is a film and television academic at the Victorian College of the Arts, and lives in Castlemaine, Victoria.

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Polly is taken to live at the Hôtel Ritz, where those who live there think money protects them from war ... But when the Nazis invade, the illusion is shattered. As Paris deteriorates, Polly and her guardians face the horrors of the Occupation with courage, humour, style – even romance – and discover just what they are capable of. As the Liberation approaches, those who survive must face a day of reckoning, but one truth stands tall: at the heart of the Ritz is the soul of resistance. A dramatic story about conviction and courage, drawn from real characters and extraordinary events.

THE OFFICIAL RECIPE BOOK FOR DR MICHAEL MOSLEY'S
INTERNATIONAL BESTSELLING DIET SERIES

the fast 800 recipe book



Flexible, calorie-counted recipes to make Fast Days that suit YOU

150 delicious recipes to help you combine rapid weight loss and intermittent fasting for long-term health

DR CLARE BAILEY

WITH AN INTRODUCTION BY DR MICHAEL MOSLEY

Dr Clare Bailey is a general practitioner doing diet research with Oxford University. She is married to Dr Michael Mosely and is the author of *The 8-Week Blood Sugar Diet Recipe Book* and *The Clever Guts Diet Recipe Book*.

Dr Michael Mosley is the internationally bestselling author of *The Fast Diet*, *The 8-week Blood Sugar Diet*, *The Clever Guts Diet* and *The Fast 800*. He is married to Dr Clare Bailey.

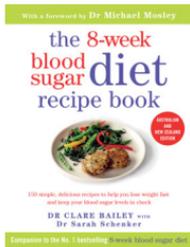
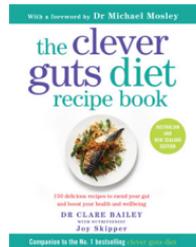
The Fast 800 Recipe Book

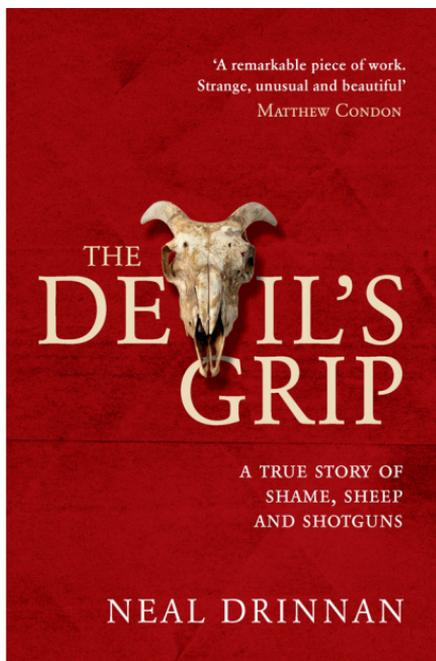
**Dr Clare Bailey and
Dr Michael Mosley**

150 delicious recipes to help you combine rapid weight loss and intermittent fasting for long term good health

This companion cookbook to the international bestseller *The Fast 800* by Dr Michael Mosley is filled with delicious, easy, low carb recipes and essential weekly meal planners, all carefully formulated by Dr Clare Bailey to help you lose weight, improve mood and reduce blood pressure, inflammation and blood sugars.

Studies show that 800 calories is the magic number when it comes to successful dieting – it's high enough to be manageable but low enough to speed weight loss and trigger a range of positive metabolic changes. In *The Fast 800*, Dr Michael Mosley brought together all the latest science, including Time Restricted Eating, to create an easy-to-follow programme, and this collection of all-new recipes, all photographed in full colour will help you achieve all your goals on the path to long term good health.





The Devil's Grip

Neal Drinnan

Wake in Fright meets *Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil* in this darkly compelling and provocative Australian true crime story

Seven shots ring out in the silence of Victoria's rolling Barrabool Hills. As the final recoil echoes through the paddocks, a revered sheep-breeding dynasty comes to a bloody and inglorious end.

No one could have anticipated the orgy of violence that wiped out three generations of the Wettenhall family, much less the lurid sex life of the mastermind behind the world famous Stanbury sheep stud, Darcy Wettenhall, that emerged from the aftermath.

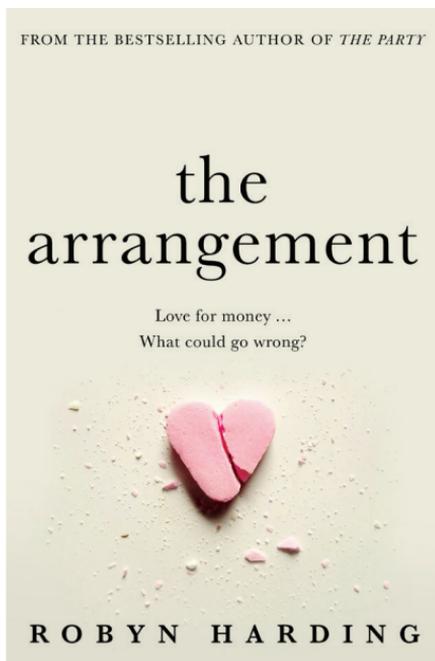
Almost three decades later, the web of secrets and lies that led to this bizarre and seemingly motiveless murder spree are unravelled with the help of Bob Perry, Darcy Wettenhall's secret lover for a decade prior to his murder.

From the bucolic majesty, privilege and snobbery of the Western District's prized pastoral lands and dynasties to the bleak, loveless underworld of orphanages, rodeo stables and homeless shelters, *The Devil's Grip* is a courageous, thought-provoking and unforgettable meditation on the fragility of reputation, the folly of deception and the power of shame.

Neal Drinnan is an award-winning Australian writer and independent bookseller. His previous works include the novels *Pussy's Bow*, *Glove Puppet*, *Izzy and Eve* (winner of the Lambda Literary Award), *Rare Bird of Truth*, *Quill* and *Rural Liberties*.

'A remarkable piece of work. Strange, unusual and beautiful, with an incredibly unique setting. I don't think I've read anything quite like it. There is so much going on yet it is compulsive reading'

Matthew Condon, author of the *Three Crooked Kings* series



Robyn Harding is the author of *The Party*, *Her Pretty Face* and *The Arrangement*. She has written and executive produced an independent film. She lives in Vancouver, British Columbia with her husband and two children.

The Arrangement

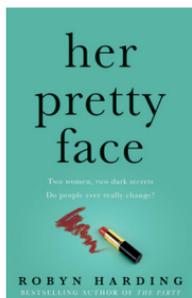
Robyn Harding

A *Pretty Woman* tale turns deadly in this provocative thriller of sex, obsession, and murder from the bestselling author of *The Party*.

Natalie, an art student in New York City, is struggling to pay her bills when a friend makes a suggestion: Why not find a sugar daddy – a wealthy, older man who will pay her for dates, and a monthly allowance. All that’s required is to look pretty. Sexual favours are optional.

Gabe, a handsome finance attorney, seems like the perfect candidate, and within a month, they are madly in love. At least, Nat is – Gabe already has a family, who he has no intention of leaving.

When he abruptly ends things, Nat can’t let go. She begins drinking heavily and stalking Gabe and his family. Their supposedly mutually beneficial arrangement devolves into a nightmare of deception, obsession, and, when a body is found near Gabe’s Upper East Side apartment, murder.





Kristina Olsson is an award-winning author of fiction and non-fiction. *Boy, Lost: A Family Memoir* won the 2014 Kibble Literary Award, 2014 NSW Premier's Literary Award, 2013 Queensland Literary Award, 2014 Western Australia Premier's Literary Award and was shortlisted for the several other awards.

'Kristina Olsson is such a graceful, wise and perceptive writer. The woman's massive heart is one big literary taproot feeding all of us answers about the Australian condition.' **Trent Dalton**, bestselling author of *Boy Swallows Universe*

'A shimmering love letter to Sydney, with the husk of the emerging Opera House its beating heart ... Required reading'

Australian Women's Weekly

Shell

Kristina Olsson

A big, bold and hauntingly beautiful story that captures a defining moment in Australia's history.

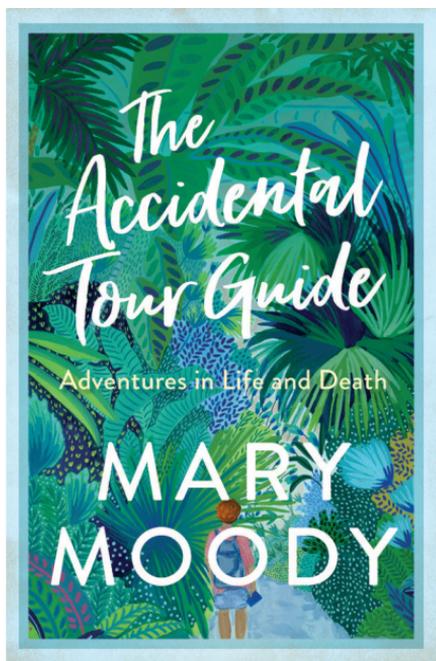
Everywhere he looked he saw what Utzon saw. The drama of harbour and horizon, and at night, the star-clotted sky. It held the shape of the possible, of a promise made and waiting to be kept . . .

In 1965 as Danish architect Jørn Utzon's striking vision for the Sydney Opera House transforms the skyline and unleashes a storm of controversy, the shadow of the Vietnam War and a deadly lottery threaten to tear the country apart.

Journalist Pearl Keogh, exiled to the women's pages after being photographed at an anti-war protest, is desperate to find her two brothers and save them from the draft. Axel Lindquist, a visionary young glass artist from Sweden, is obsessed with creating a unique work that will do justice to Utzon's masterpiece.

In this big, bold and hauntingly beautiful portrait of art and life, *Shell* captures a world on the brink of seismic change. And reminds us why taking a side matters.

***Shell* has been shortlisted for the ABIA Literary Fiction Book of the Year 2019 and it was also shortlisted for the Indie Book Awards Fiction Book of the Year 2019.**



Mary Moody inspired thousands of women with her bestselling memoirs *Au Revoir* and *Last Tango In Toulouse*.

A journalist, popular TV and radio presenter, she has edited more than forty gardening books and leads gardening tours in France, Morocco and the Himalayas.

The Accidental Tour Guide

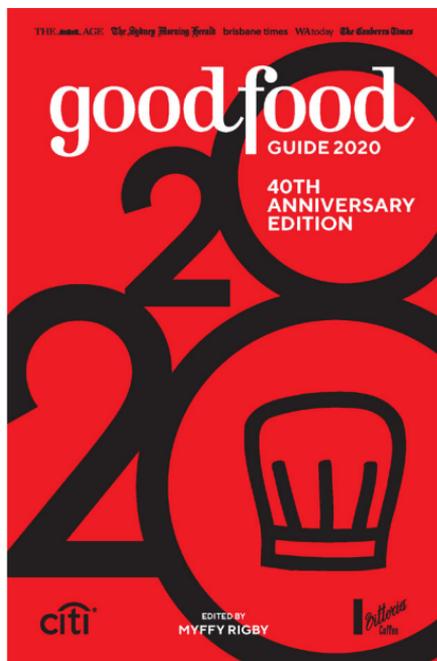
Adventures in Life and Death

Mary Moody

Eat, Pray, Love meets *The Year of Magical Thinking* in this powerful memoir of love, loss and taking risks from a true adventurer

The irrepressible Mary Moody knows better than anyone the joy of breaking new ground and discovering new frontiers. She is the bestselling author of *Au Revoir* and *Last Tango In Toulouse*, and her life as a journalist, TV and radio presenter, popular gardening guru and inveterate traveller has been an inspiration to thousands of women for decades.

But when Moody loses two of the people she loves most – her beloved husband and the half sister she had only just been reunited with – her world is turned upside down. Part of her journey to recovery is her decision to boldly go where she has never been before – both in her travels as a tour guide and in her everyday life. This leads to exploring uncharted territories in Morocco and a wrenching move from her beloved mountain home and garden to make a fresh start while rediscovering her passions – travel, gardening, food, family and the joy of new adventures. A warm, heartbreakingly moving and thoroughly entertaining story of how to rebuild your life without the people who matter most.



Myffy Rigby is the National Editor of the *Good Food Guide*, and the Food and Drink Events Creative Director for Fairfax Media. With 15 years in the restaurant industry from her days as a short order cook, terrible waitress and restaurant critic for Sydney's *Time Out*, she is one of Australia's most prominent voices in the Food and Drink scene.

Good Food Guide 2020

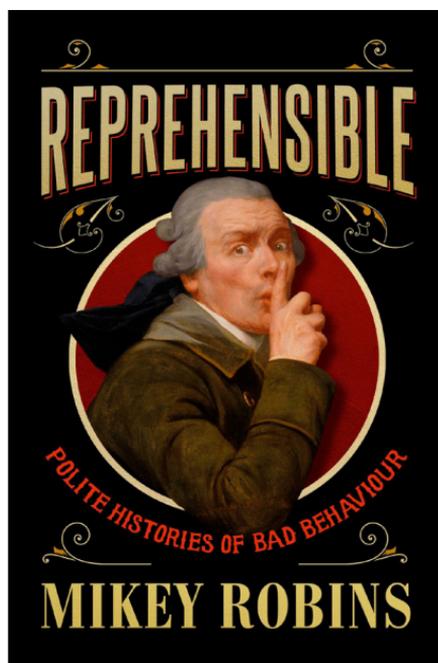
Edited by Myffy Rigby

The most prestigious food guide in Australia, now brought to you by Simon & Schuster Australia.

The 2020 edition of this acclaimed national guide – the home of the hats – reviews 500 restaurants around Australia and awards the best eateries from Darwin to Hobart, Melbourne to Perth, and Sydney to Brisbane.

The Age Good Food Guide was launched in 1979 and *The Sydney Morning Herald Good Food Guide* followed five years later. With the addition of *The Brisbane Times*, *The Canberra Times* and *WA Today*, the *Good Food Guide* is Australia's most trusted restaurant guide, compiled and edited by respected, independent critics. Reviewers arrive unannounced, pay for their own meals and are stringent judges, looking at service, ambiance, the X factor and, of course, the food.

Hats are awarded to the best of the best. To achieve a hat is a pinnacle of a chef's career and a restaurant's history, and the term 'hatted' has become part of the Australian lexicon.



Mikey Robins is one of Australia's most well known comedians and broadcasters. He spent seven years as the host of Triple J's National Breakfast Show before appearing as team leader on the smash hit TV series *Good News Week*. He has written for *The Daily Telegraph*, *GQ* and *Men's Style*, and co-authored the books *Three Beers and a Chinese Meal* (with Helen Razor) and *Big Man's World* (with Tony Squires and The Sandman).

Reprehensible: Polite Histories of Bad Behaviour

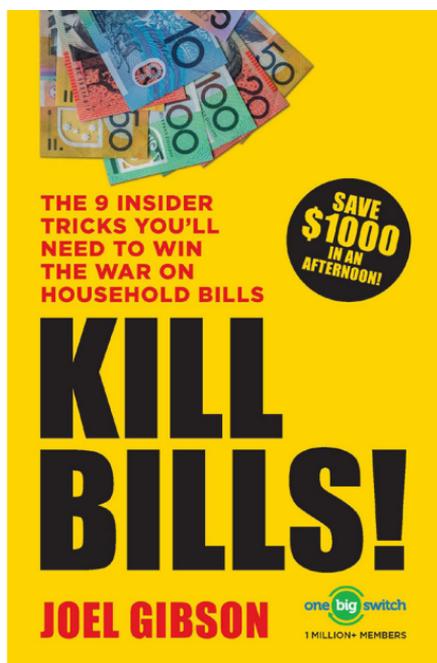
Mikey Robins

Rollicking and informative, *Reprehensible* is your guide through some of the most shameful behaviour indulged in by humanity's most celebrated figures.

It is often said that we live in era of constant outrage, but we are definitely not the inventors of outrageousness. Let's be honest, human beings have always been appalling. Not everyone and not all the time, but our history is littered with those whose work and deeds have rendered them . . . reprehensible.

Sometimes it's our most esteemed luminaries who behave the worst. In *Reprehensible*, Mikey Robins holds the mirror up to everyone, from Popes to politicians, from certified artistic geniuses to scientific and mathematical minds without peer – few emerge without blush or blemish.

So sit back and rest your conscience: there will be a host of scoundrels, bounders and reprobates, tales of lust and power aplenty, as we indulge in that sweet spot where history meets outrage, with just a bit of old-school TMZ thrown in for good measure.



Joel Gibson saved over \$3000 on his household bills last year with half a dozen phone calls, and now he wants to show others how to do it too. A former reporter and editor at the *Sydney Morning Herald*, he's spent the past seven years as the face of Australia's biggest consumer network, One Big Switch, which has over 1 million members. He's a sought-after commentator in the Australian media, and possibly the world's worst surfer.

KILL BILLS!

The 9 Insider Tricks You'll Need to Win the War on Household Bills

Joel Gibson

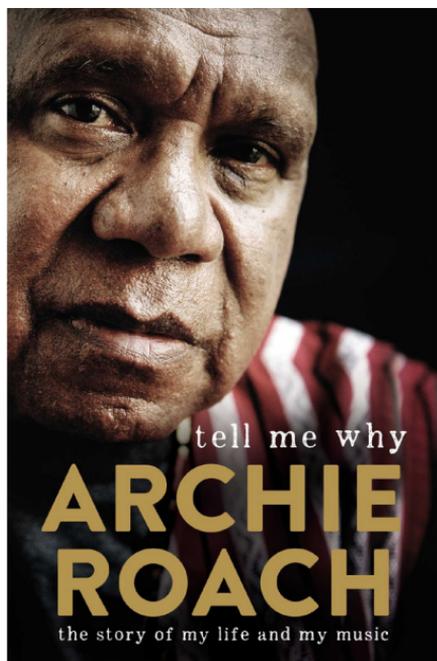
Kill Bills! 9 Insider Tricks You'll Need to Win the War on Household Bills is the bible for saving thousands of dollars on all your major household bills.

Kill Bills! is the bible for saving thousands of dollars on your major household bills. From power bills to telco, mortgage, insurance, credit cards, petrol and groceries, it describes the *9 Insider Tricks You'll Need to Win the War on Household Bills*.

You'll start saving straightaway. As the resident money-saving guru at One Big Switch, Joel Gibson has done the hard yards over 7 years, tracking down the best inside info and the simplest money-saving strategies so you don't have to.

If you're in a hurry, there's an easy-to-follow guide to saving over \$1000 in an afternoon.

Need a crash course on the insider tricks of the energy or insurance industries? *Kill Bills!* will help you take the power – and the dollars – back with an in-depth chapter on 9 of the major household bills. If you want to become a fully-fledged money-saving expert, read this book from cover to cover and it will arm you with everything you need the next time that big power bill or insurance renewal lands on your doorstep.



Archie Roach's song 'Took the Children Away' won an International Human Rights Achievement Award and his first album *Charcoal Lane* featured in US *Rolling Stone* magazine's Top 50 in 1992, going gold in Australia and winning two ARIA awards. Archie's recording history – including 10 albums, soundtracks, film and theatrical scores – has been hugely successful, hitting ARIA charts and winning awards, year in, year out.

Tell Me Why Archie Roach

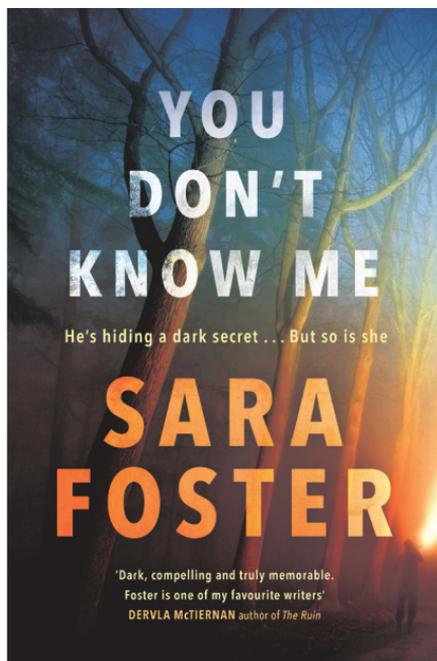
One of the most powerful and highly anticipated life stories to be told in Australian history

No one has lived as many lives as Archie Roach – stolen child, seeker, lover, leader, and musical and lyrical genius – but it took him almost a lifetime to find out who he really was.

Roach was only a few years old when he was forcibly removed from his family. Brought up by loving foster parents until his early teens, his world imploded when he received a letter that spoke of a life he had no memory of.

In this intimate, moving and often shocking memoir, Roach's story is an extraordinary odyssey through love and heartbreak, family and community, survival and renewal – and music. Overcoming enormous odds to find his story and his people, Roach voiced the joy, pain and shining hope he found on his path through song and became the legendary singer-songwriter that he is today – beloved by millions and the beating heart of our country.

A stunning story of resilience and strength – and of one of the greatest love stories ever told.



Sara Foster has written five critically acclaimed novels: *Come Back to Me*, *Beneath the Shadows*, *Shallow Breath*, *All That is Lost Between Us* and *The Hidden Hours*. She was born and raised in England, and moved to Australia in 2004. She lives in Perth with her husband and two children.

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You Don't Know Me

Sara Foster

He's guarding a deep secret,
but so is she.

A stunning new thriller about the burden of shame from blockbuster author Sara Foster

Lizzie Burdett was eighteen when she vanished, and Noah Carruso has never forgotten her. She was his first crush, his unrequited love. She was also his brother's girlfriend.

Tom Carruso hasn't been home in over a decade. He left soon after Lizzie disappeared under a darkening cloud of suspicion, and now he's back for the inquest into Lizzie's death – intent on telling his side of the story. As the inquest looms, Noah meets Alice Pryce on holiday. They fall for each other fast and hard, but Noah can't bear to tell Alice his deepest fears. And Alice is equally stricken – she carries a terrible secret of her own. Is the truth worth telling if it will destroy everything?

Praise for Sara Foster

'Effortless suspense and dramatic power'
Sydney Morning Herald

'An enthralling mystery'
Jane Harper, *New York Times*
bestselling author of *The Dry*

'Dark, compelling and truly memorable.
Foster is one of my favourite writers.'
Dervla McTiernan, author of *The Ruin*



Bob Hawke: The Complete Biography

Blanche D'Alpuget

Blanche d'Alpuget's 1982 biography of Bob Hawke set the benchmark for political biographies. To mark his 90th year, this master work has been updated to create a definitive commemorative hardback edition.

The definitive biography of the man, featuring new chapters detailing Hawke's life after his prime ministership, alongside never-before-published photographs. The book brings together for the first time d'Alpuget's classic 1982 *Robert J Hawke: The Biography*, republished in 2010 as *Hawke: The Early Years*, alongside *Hawke: The Prime Minister*, and updates his story for a new generation.

Blanche d'Alpuget is the acclaimed author of biographies, fiction and essays. Her bestselling *Robert J. Hawke: A Biography*, became a bestselling classic and set the benchmark for political biographies. *Mediator: A Biography of Sir Richard Kirby* is used as a university text in the study of industrial relations. Her award-winning fiction includes *Monkeys in the Dark*, *Turtle Beach*, *Winter in Jerusalem*, *White Eye*, *The Young Lion*, *The Lion Rampant* and *The Lions' Torment*.

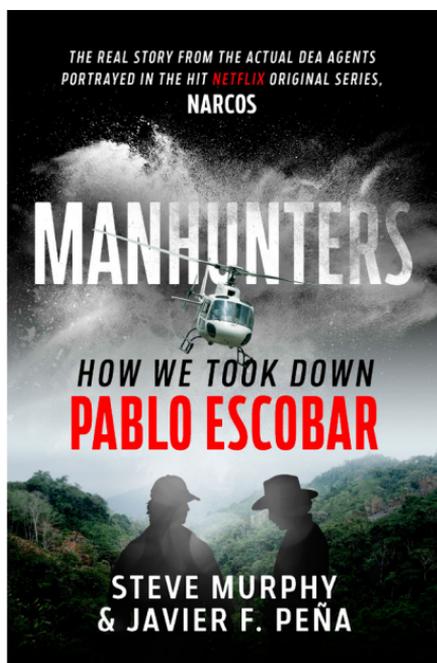
Bob Hawke began life as a good Christian boy from a teetotal family, became a wild, drinking, womanising student, a Rhodes Scholar, a champion of workers, a folk hero recognised throughout the country, was elected four times as Australia's Prime Minister - -and transformed his country. He was our longest serving Labor Prime Minister and considered by many our greatest. In today's fractured political climate it is almost unimaginable we will see his like again, a man of towering passions and commitment to causes.

His journey from a small South Australian country town to the palaces of Europe, Asia and America is a great Australian political romance, the odyssey of a man whom many believe was the outstanding Australian of the twentieth century.

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Javier Peña was hired by the DEA in 1984 as a special agent, and spent four years tracking Pablo Escobar with partner Steve Murphy. **Steve Murphy** worked undercover sting operations in Miami, and was eventually dispatched to Colombia where he worked with partner Javier Peña to track Escobar.

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‘A riveting account. A must read on the take down of Pablo Escobar’

Joe Pistone, aka Donnie Brasco

‘A fast-paced tale by two agents who had the inside track on bringing down the most wanted man in recent US history’

Bruce Porter, bestselling author of *Blow*

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Manhunters

Steve Murphy &
Javier F. Peña

The explosive memoir of the two drug enforcement agents responsible for taking down Pablo Escobar and the subject of the hit Netflix series ‘Narcos’.

Javier Peña and Steve Murphy risked their lives hunting large and small drug traffickers in the decades they spent working for the US Drug Enforcement Administration. But their biggest challenge was the hunt for Pablo Escobar in Colombia. The two agents, who began their careers as small-town cops, have been immortalised in Netflix’s ‘Narcos’, a fictionalised account of their hunt for Escobar. Now, for the first time, they tell the real story of how they brought down the world’s first narco-terrorist.

Manhunters takes you deep inside the inner workings of the Search Bloc, the joint Colombian-US task force and its intensive operation to track Escobar. Between July 1992 and December 1993, Peña and Murphy lived on the edge, setting up camp in Medellín at the Carlos Holguin Military Academy, to hunt down a man thought to be untouchable.

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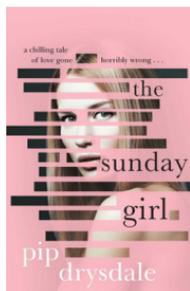
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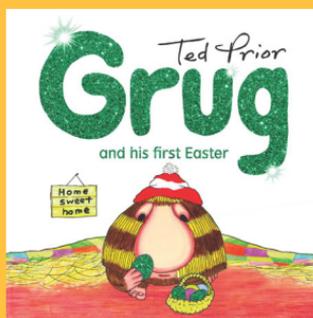
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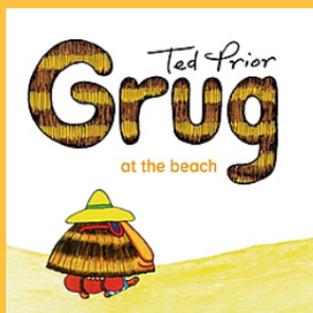
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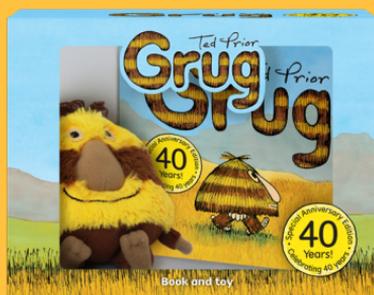
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