

# Defending Morgan Mountain Mercenaries

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GETTING THE BOOKS **DEFENDING MORGAN MOUNTAIN MERCENARIES BOOK 3 ENGL** NOW IS NOT TYPE OF CHALLENGING MEANS. YOU COULD NOT DESERTED GOING PAST EBOOK HOARD OR LIBRARY OR BORROWING FROM YOUR CONTACTS TO CONTACT THEM. THIS IS AN ENORMOUSLY SIMPLE MEANS TO SPECIFICALLY GET GUIDE BY ON-LINE. THIS ONLINE REVELATION DEFENDING MORGAN MOUNTAIN MERCENARIES BOOK 3 ENGL CAN BE ONE OF THE OPTIONS TO ACCOMPANY YOU AFTERWARD HAVING NEW TIME.

IT WILL NOT WASTE YOUR TIME. PUT UP WITH ME, THE E-BOOK WILL UNQUESTIONABLY BROADCAST YOU SUPPLEMENTARY BUSINESS TO READ. JUST INVEST TINY EPOCH TO EDIT THIS ON-LINE MESSAGE **DEFENDING MORGAN MOUNTAIN MERCENARIES BOOK 3 ENGL** AS WITH EASE AS EVALUATION THEM WHEREVER YOU ARE NOW.

THE DEFENSIVE ARMOUR AND THE WEAPONS AND ENGINES OF WAR OF MEDITERRANEAN VAL TIME ROBERT COLTMAN CLEPHAN 1900

**SECURING PIPER** SUSAN STOKER 2021-04 WHAT STARTED AS AN ADVENTURE, SOON BECAME HELL. PIPER JOHNSON'S THRILLED TO SPEND TIME IN TIMOR-LESTE WITH HER BEST FRIEND, A PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEER...UNTIL CIVIL UNREST ERUPTS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRYSIDE, INCLUDING AN ATTACK AT THE ORPHANAGE THE WOMEN WERE VISITING. WITH THE AID OF A SEAL TEAM SENT TO EXTRACT THE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE, PIPER FLEES WITH THE ONLY OTHER KNOWN SURVIVORS-THREE YOUNG ORPHAN GIRLS. PIPER WASN'T ABLE TO SAVE HER FRIEND, BUT SHE'LL BE DAMNED IF SHE LEAVES THE GIRLS TO THE MERCY OF CHILD TRAFFICKERS IN THE COUNTRY'S IMPOVERISHED CAPITAL. HOWEVER, TAKING THEM WITH HER TO THE STATES REQUIRES SOMETHING DRASTIC, SOMETHING CRAZY...SOMETHING SHE CAN'T DO ALONE. WHAT STARTED AS A MISSION, SOON BECOMES FATE. SINCE NEARLY DYING ON A PREVIOUS OP, BECKETT "ACE" MORGAN HAS NO TIME FOR REGRETS. LIFE IS FAR TOO SHORT. SO WHEN HE LEARNS THE BRAVE, BEAUTIFUL, SELFLESS WOMAN HE'S RESCUED HAS A BETTER CHANCE OF GETTING THREE ORPHANS OUT OF THE COUNTRY IF SHE'S MARRIED, HE DOESN'T HESITATE. ACE MARRIES HER THEN AND THERE, INSTANTLY GAINING THE FAMILY HE'S ALWAYS WANTED. WITH TIME, HE KNOWS HIS RESPECT FOR PIPER CAN GROW INTO LOVE, AND MEANWHILE, HE'S SAVED BOTH HER AND THEIR NEW DAUGHTERS FROM A FAST-SPREADING REBEL INCURSION. PROTECTING HIS GIRLS ON FOREIGN SOIL TURNS OUT TO BE THE EASY PART OF THE TEAM'S MISSION. PROTECTING THEM FROM A THREAT WAITING AT HOME MAY BE THE BIGGEST FIGHT OF ACE'S LIFE. \*\* SECURING PIPER IS THE 3RD BOOK IN THE SEAL OF PROTECTION: LEGACY SERIES. EACH BOOK IS A STAND-ALONE, WITH NO CLIFFHANGER ENDINGS.

*AMERICAN MILITARY HISTORY VOLUME 1* ARMY CENTER OF MILITARY HISTORY 2016-06-05 AMERICAN MILITARY HISTORY PROVIDES THE UNITED STATES ARMY-IN PARTICULAR, ITS YOUNG OFFICERS, NCOs, AND CADETS-WITH A COMPREHENSIVE BUT BRIEF ACCOUNT OF ITS PAST. THE CENTER OF MILITARY HISTORY FIRST PUBLISHED THIS WORK IN 1956 AS A TEXTBOOK FOR SENIOR ROTC COURSES. SINCE THEN IT HAS GONE THROUGH A NUMBER OF UPDATES AND REVISIONS, BUT THE PRIMARY INTENT HAS REMAINED THE SAME. SUPPORT FOR MILITARY HISTORY EDUCATION HAS ALWAYS BEEN A PRINCIPAL MISSION OF THE CENTER, AND THIS NEW EDITION OF AN INVALUABLE HISTORY FURTHERS THAT PURPOSE. THE HISTORY OF AN ACTIVE ORGANIZATION TENDS TO EXPAND RAPIDLY AS THE ORGANIZATION GROWS LARGER AND MORE COMPLEX. THE PERIOD SINCE THE VIETNAM WAR, AT WHICH POINT THE MOST RECENT EDITION ENDED, HAS BEEN A SIGNIFICANT ONE FOR THE ARMY, A BUSY PERIOD OF EXPANDING ROLES AND MISSIONS AND OF FUNDAMENTAL ORGANIZATIONAL CHANGES. IN PARTICULAR, THE EXPLOSION OF MISSIONS AND DEPLOYMENTS SINCE 11 SEPTEMBER 2001 HAS NECESSITATED THE CREATION OF ADDITIONAL, OPEN-ENDED CHAPTERS IN THE STORY OF THE U.S. ARMY IN ACTION. THIS FIRST VOLUME COVERS THE ARMY'S HISTORY FROM ITS BIRTH IN 1775 TO THE EVE OF WORLD WAR I. BY 1917, THE UNITED STATES WAS ALREADY A WORLD POWER. THE ARMY HAD SENT LARGE EXPEDITIONARY FORCES BEYOND THE AMERICAN HEMISPHERE, AND AT THE BEGINNING OF THE NEW CENTURY SECRETARY OF WAR ELIHU ROOT HAD PROPOSED CHANGES AND REFORMS THAT WITHIN A GENERATION WOULD SHAPE THE ARMY OF THE FUTURE. BUT WORLD WAR-GLOBAL WAR-WAS STILL TO COME. THE SECOND VOLUME OF THIS NEW EDITION WILL TAKE UP THAT STORY AND EXTEND IT INTO THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY AND THE EARLY YEARS OF THE WAR ON TERRORISM AND INCLUDES AN ANALYSIS OF THE WARS IN AFGHANISTAN AND IRAQ UP TO JANUARY 2009.

**THE BOSS'S PREGNANCY PROPOSAL** RAYE MORGAN 2007-02-01 WORKING FOR HER HEART-STOPPINGLY HANDSOME BOSS SHOULDN'T HAVE BEEN SO HARD, BUT COULD CALLIE STEVENS LET HER ATTRACTION GET THE BEST OF HER WHEN HE ASKED HER TO HAVE HIS BABY? OF COURSE, LOVE WOULDN'T ENTER INTO THE ARRANGEMENT. OR WOULD IT? A BUSY CEO, GRANT

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WANTED A FAMILY, BUT HE'D BEEN DEVASTATED BY LOVE. SENSIBLE CALLIE WAS EXACTLY WHAT HE WAS LOOKING FOR. YET AS THEY PREPARED FOR THEIR LITTLE BUNDLE OF JOY, GRANT'S CONTROL SLIPPED. MAYBE CALLIE WAS EXACTLY WHAT HIS HEART NEEDED....

**TRIUMPH OF THE CITY** EDWARD GLAESER 2011-02-10 SHORTLISTED FOR THE FINANCIAL TIMES AND MCKINSEY BEST BOOK OF THE YEAR AWARD IN 2011 "A MASTERPIECE." —STEVEN D. LEVITT, COAUTHOR OF FREAKONOMICS "BURSTING WITH INSIGHTS." —THE NEW YORK TIMES BOOK REVIEW A PIONEERING URBAN ECONOMIST PRESENTS A MYTH-SHATTERING LOOK AT THE MAJESTY AND GREATNESS OF CITIES AMERICA IS AN URBAN NATION, YET CITIES GET A BAD RAP: THEY'RE DIRTY, POOR, UNHEALTHY, ENVIRONMENTALLY UNFRIENDLY . . . OR ARE THEY? IN THIS REVELATORY BOOK, EDWARD GLAESER, A LEADING URBAN ECONOMIST, DECLARES THAT CITIES ARE ACTUALLY THE HEALTHIEST, GREENEST, AND RICHEST (IN BOTH CULTURAL AND ECONOMIC TERMS) PLACES TO LIVE. HE TRAVELS THROUGH HISTORY AND AROUND THE GLOBE TO REVEAL THE HIDDEN WORKINGS OF CITIES AND HOW THEY BRING OUT THE BEST IN HUMANKIND. USING INTREPID REPORTAGE, KEEN ANALYSIS, AND COGENT ARGUMENT, GLAESER MAKES AN URGENT, ELOQUENT CASE FOR THE CITY'S IMPORTANCE AND SPLENDOR, OFFERING INSPIRING PROOF THAT THE CITY IS HUMANITY'S GREATEST CREATION AND OUR BEST HOPE FOR THE FUTURE.

**COUNTERFEIT COMFORTS** ROBIA SCOTT 2016-09-06 HOW DO WE OVERCOME WHAT WE ARE BEING OVERCOME BY--WHETHER DEPRESSION, ANXIETY, OVEREATING, A NEGATIVE VIEW OF OURSELVES OR ANY OTHER STRONGHOLD--IN ORDER TO EXPERIENCE THE FREEDOM THAT IS AVAILABLE TO US IN CHRIST? WHEN THE PRESSURES OF LIFE BECOME OVERWHELMING, WE OFTEN FIND OURSELVES TURNING TO FOOD, SHOPPING, ALCOHOL, TELEVISION OR WHATEVER OUR "COUNTERFEIT" MIGHT BE IN SEARCH OF THE RELIEF, RELEASE AND PEACE WE ARE LONGING FOR. THESE CHOICES ARE NOT NECESSARILY BAD, BUT THE SATISFACTION IS MERELY TEMPORARY. BEFORE WE KNOW IT, WE CAN FIND OURSELVES ENSLAVED BY ADDICTIVE AND DESTRUCTIVE BEHAVIORS, BUT THERE IS A WAY OUT. WITH GRACE AND WARMTH, AUTHOR ROBIA SCOTT SHOWS HOW TRUE HEALING AND LASTING SATISFACTION CAN BE FOUND ONLY AS WE LEARN TO TRANSFER OUR DEPENDENCE FROM COUNTERFEIT COMFORTS ONTO OUR ONE TRUE COMFORTER: THE HOLY SPIRIT. DRAWING FROM THE EXPERIENCE OF BATTLING HER OWN COUNTERFEITS--PRIMARILY HER TUMULTUOUS RELATIONSHIP WITH FOOD AND OBSESSION WITH DIETING, WEIGHT AND BODY IMAGE--ROBIA LEADS YOU STEP BY STEP THROUGH THE PROCESS OF TRANSFORMATION. IT IS THROUGH LEARNING HOW TO EXPERIENCE AND CONNECT WITH THE PERSON, THE PRESENCE AND THE POWER OF GOD THAT WE DISCOVER WHO WE TRULY ARE, AND ACQUIRE FREEDOM TO LIVE THE LIFE OF PURPOSE THAT WE WERE CREATED FOR.

**LSD, MY PROBLEM CHILD** ALBERT HOFMANN 2005 THIS IS THE STORY OF LSD TOLD BY A CONCERNED YET HOPEFUL FATHER, ORGANIC CHEMIST ALBERT HOFMANN. HE TRACES LSD'S PATH FROM A PROMISING PSYCHIATRIC RESEARCH MEDICINE TO A RECREATIONAL DRUG SPARKING HYSTERIA AND PROHIBITION. WE FOLLOW DR. HOFMANN'S TREK ACROSS MEXICO TO DISCOVER SACRED PLANTS RELATED TO LSD, AND LISTEN IN AS HE CORRESPONDS WITH OTHER NOTABLE FIGURES ABOUT HIS REMARKABLE DISCOVERY. UNDERLYING IT ALL IS DR. HOFMANN'S POWERFUL CONCLUSION THAT MYSTICAL EXPERIENCE MAY BE OUR PLANET'S BEST HOPE FOR SURVIVAL. WHETHER INDUCED BY LSD, MEDITATION, OR ARISING SPONTANEOUSLY, SUCH EXPERIENCES HELP US TO COMPREHEND THE WONDER, THE MYSTERY OF THE DIVINE IN THE MICROCOSM OF THE ATOM, IN THE MACROCOSM OF THE SPIRAL NEBULA, IN THE SEEDS OF PLANTS, IN THE BODY AND SOUL OF PEOPLE. NOW, MORE THAN SIXTY YEARS AFTER THE BIRTH OF ALBERT HOFMANN'S PROBLEM CHILD, HIS VISION OF ITS TRUE POTENTIAL IS MORE RELEVANT, AND MORE NEEDED, THAN EVER.

**UNRESTRICTED WARFARE** LIANG QIAO 2002 THREE YEARS BEFORE THE SEPTEMBER 11 BOMBING OF THE WORLD TRADE CENTER--A CHINESE MILITARY MANUAL CALLED UNRESTRICTED WARFARE TOUTED SUCH AN ATTACK--SUGGESTING IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT FOR THE U.S. MILITARY TO COPE WITH. THE EVENTS OF SEPTEMBER 11 WERE NOT A RANDOM ACT PERPETRATED BY INDEPENDENT AGENTS. THE DOCTRINE OF TOTAL WAR OUTLINED IN UNRESTRICTED WARFARE CLEARLY DEMONSTRATES THAT THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA IS PREPARING TO CONFRONT THE UNITED STATES AND OUR ALLIES BY CONDUCTING "ASYMMETRICAL" OR MULTIDIMENSIONAL ATTACK ON ALMOST EVERY ASPECT OF OUR SOCIAL, ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL LIFE.

**TRUSTING TAYLOR** SUSAN STOKER 2021 FROM NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR SUSAN STOKER COMES A SCORCHING SILVERSTONE INSTALLMENT THAT FINDS A FORMER MILITARY MAN RACING TO SAVE THE WOMAN HE LOVES AS DANGER CLOSES IN ON THEM BOTH. FORMER MILITARY MAN TURNED GOVERNMENT ASSASSIN KELLAN "EAGLE" TROWBRIDGE ISN'T LOOKING FOR LOVE. HE'D RATHER KEEP HIS HEAD DOWN AT HIS COVER JOB AS AN EMPLOYEE OF SILVERSTONE TOWING. THAT ALL CHANGES, HOWEVER, WHEN HE MEETS TAYLOR CARDIN. BEAUTIFUL, SMART, AND WITTY TAYLOR INSTANTLY FALLS FOR THE MYSTERIOUS TOW TRUCK DRIVER, WHO COMFORTS HER BOTH IN THE AFTERMATH OF THE CAR CRASH SHE SEES FIRSTHAND AND WHEN THE POLICE DISMISS HER AS A CREDIBLE WITNESS BECAUSE OF HER PROSOPAGNOSIA, OR FACE BLINDNESS. EAGLE, ON THE OTHER HAND, CAN REMEMBER EVERY PERSON HE'S EVER MET--AND THE TWO COUNTERPARTS FORGE AN IMMEDIATE CONNECTION. BUT SOMEONE ELSE IS JUST AS INTRIGUED BY TAYLOR'S UNIQUE CONDITION AS EAGLE IS...AND HIS INTENTIONS ARE DOWNRIGHT DEADLY. SOON, EAGLE AND TAYLOR ARE TOO

CAUGHT UP IN EACH OTHER TO SEE THE DANGER THAT'S APPROACHING. BUT AS TIME RUNS OUT, THEY'LL DISCOVER THEIR LOVE ISN'T THE ONLY THING FIGHTING TO SURVIVE.

**STRATEGIC LATENCY UNLEASHED** ZACHARY DAVIS 2021-01-30 THE WORLD IS BEING TRANSFORMED PHYSICALLY AND POLITICALLY. TECHNOLOGY IS THE HANDMAIDEN OF MUCH OF THIS CHANGE. BUT SINCE THE CURRENT SWEEP OF GLOBAL CHANGE IS TRANSFORMING THE FACE OF WARFARE, SPECIAL OPERATIONS FORCES (SOF) MUST ADAPT TO THESE CIRCUMSTANCES. FORTUNATELY, ADAPTATION IS IN THE SOF DNA. THIS BOOK EXAMINES THE CHANGES AFFECTING SOF AND OFFERS POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS TO THE COMPLEXITIES THAT ARE CHALLENGING MANY LONG-HELD ASSUMPTIONS. THE CHAPTERS EXPLORE WHAT HAS CHANGED, WHAT STAYS THE SAME, AND WHAT IT ALL MEANS FOR U.S. SOF. THE AUTHORS ARE A MIX OF LEADING EXPERTS IN TECHNOLOGY, BUSINESS, POLICY, INTELLIGENCE, AND GEOPOLITICS, PARTNERED WITH EXPERIENCED SPECIAL OPERATORS WHO EITHER COWROTE THE CHAPTERS OR REVIEWED THEM TO ENSURE ACCURACY AND RELEVANCE FOR SOF. OUR GOAL IS TO PROVIDE INSIGHTS INTO THE CHANGES AROUND US AND GENERATE IDEAS ABOUT HOW SOF CAN ADAPT AND SUCCEED IN THE EMERGING OPERATIONAL ENVIRONMENT.

**OPEN VEINS OF LATIN AMERICA** EDUARDO GALEANO 1997 [IN THIS BOOK, THE AUTHOR'S] ANALYSIS OF THE EFFECTS AND CAUSES OF CAPITALIST UNDERDEVELOPMENT IN LATIN AMERICA PRESENT [AN] ACCOUNT OF ... LATIN AMERICAN HISTORY. [THE AUTHOR] SHOWS HOW FOREIGN COMPANIES REAPED HUGE PROFITS THROUGH THEIR OPERATIONS IN LATIN AMERICA. HE EXPLAINS THE POLITICS OF THE LATIN AMERICAN BOURGEOISIES AND THEIR SUBSERVIENCE TO FOREIGN POWERS, AND HOW THEY INTERACTED TO CREATE INCREASINGLY UNEQUAL CAPITALIST SOCIETIES IN LATIN AMERICA.-BACK COVER.

**SUN TZU AND THE ART OF MODERN WARFARE** MARK R. McNEILLY 2015 LONG ACKNOWLEDGED AS A CLASSIC TEXT ON STRATEGY, SUN TZU'S THE ART OF WAR HAS BEEN ADMIRER BY LEADERS AS DIVERSE AS MAO ZEDONG AND GENERAL NORMAN SCHWARTZKOPF. HOWEVER, HAVING BEEN WRITTEN TWO THOUSAND YEARS AGO, THE BOOK CAN BE SOMEWHAT DAUNTING TO THE MODERN READER. MARK McNEILLY, AUTHOR OF SUN TZU AND THE ART OF BUSINESS (OUP, 2011), WHICH MADE SUN TZU ACCESSIBLE TO THE BUSINESS EXECUTIVE, HAS EXTRACTED THE SIX CONCEPTS MOST APPLICABLE TO MODERN WARFARE, MAKING THEM EASY TO UNDERSTAND AND APPLY TO MILITARY SITUATIONS. DRAWING ON A WEALTH OF FASCINATING HISTORICAL EXAMPLES, McNEILLY SHOWS HOW THESE SIX PRINCIPLES MIGHT BE USED IN WARS OF THE FUTURE---BOTH CONVENTIONAL WARS AND TERRORIST CONFLICTS---AND HOW THEY CAN PROVIDE INSIGHT INTO CURRENT AFFAIRS, SUCH AS THE WAR ON TERRORISM AND CHINA'S INCREASINGLY IMPORTANT STRATEGIC AND MILITARY ROLE IN THE WORLD. THIS UPDATED EDITION REFLECTS ON ALL THAT HAS HAPPENED IN THE PAST TEN YEARS, INCLUDING THE WARS IN IRAQ AND AFGHANISTAN, THE CHALLENGE OF IRAN, THE "ARAB SPRING," AND THE CONTINUED RISE OF CHINA. EACH CHAPTER INCLUDES BRAND NEW EXAMPLES TO EXPLAIN IMPORTANT CONCEPTS IN THE ART OF WAR. INCLUDING THE FULL TEXT OF THE ART OF WAR IN THE POPULAR TRANSLATION BY SAMUEL GRIFFITH, WITH CROSS-REFERENCES TO QUOTATIONS USED IN THE BOOK, SUN TZU AND THE ART OF MODERN WARFARE UNLOCKS THESE ELUSIVE SECRETS FOR ANYONE INTERESTED IN STRATEGY AND WARFARE, WHETHER THEY ARE PROFESSIONAL SOLDIERS, MILITARY HISTORY BUFFS, OR BUSINESS EXECUTIVES.

**THE SPECIALIST** ANNA HACKETT 2021-03-26 SHE'S IN DANGER AND NOW HER PERSONAL PROTECTOR IS HER TOO HANDSOME, TOTALLY AGGRAVATING BILLIONAIRE BOSS. EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT HARLOW CARLSON IS HAVING A VERY BAD WEEK. FIRSTLY, SHE'S BEEN TEMPORARILY REASSIGNED TO WORK FOR BOSSY, WORKAHOLIC TYRANT, EASTON NORCROSS. HE MIGHT BE SEX IN A SUIT, BUT MOSTLY SHE JUST WANTS TO STAB HIM WITH HER STYLUS. SECONDLY, HER FATHER'S IN TROUBLE AND HAS GONE MISSING. LASTLY, WHEN A STRANGE MAN ATTACKS HER ON THE STREET, HARLOW KNOWS SHE'S IN OVER HER HEAD. THAT'S WHEN EASTON STEPS IN. NOW HER BOSS IS HER OWN PERSONAL PROTECTOR AND HE ISN'T TAKING NO FOR AN ANSWER. AFTER HE LEFT THE ARMY RANGERS, EASTON NORCROSS FOUND A PURPOSE IN BUILDING HIS COMPANY, NORCROSS INC. HE WORKS HARD, LIKES CONTROL, TAKES CARE OF HIS FAMILY AND EMPLOYEES, AND THRIVES ON MAKING MONEY. BUT HIS NEW ASSISTANT PUSHES BUTTONS HE NEVER KNEW HE HAD. HARLOW'S SMART, EFFICIENT, AND NOT AFRAID TO SPEAK HER MIND. AND HER CURVY BODY MAKES IT VERY HARD TO REMEMBER THAT HE'S HER BOSS. BUT WHEN HE SEES SHE'S IN DANGER, EASTON IS WILLING TO BREAK ALL THE RULES TO KEEP HER SAFE. AS DANGER SWIRLS AROUND HARLOW AND SHE'S SUCKED INTO HER FATHER'S DANGEROUS DEALINGS, EASTON KNOWS HE'LL NEED ALL THE SPECIALIST SKILLS THE ARMY GAVE HIM TO PROTECT HER, AS WELL AS PULLING IN HIS BROTHERS AT NORCROSS SECURITY. BUT THE TOUGHEST JOB HE'LL HAVE IS CONVINCING HIS BEAUTIFUL ASSISTANT TO TAKE THE BIGGEST RISK OF ALL- FALLING IN LOVE.

*TOWARD THE AFRICAN REVOLUTION* FRANTZ FANON 1988 POLITICAL ESSAYS, ARTICLES, AND NOTES WRITTEN BETWEEN 1952 AND 1961.

**PROTECTING SUMMER** SUSAN STOKER 2016-06-08 DOWN ON HER LUCK, STARVING, AND BEATEN DOWN BY LIFE, HOTEL MAID

SUMMER WAS HANGING ON WITH EVERYTHING SHE HAD. THEN NAVY SEAL MOZART UNEXPECTEDLY ENTERED HER LIFE AND BROUGHT HER THE MOST JOY SHE'D EVER EXPERIENCED...AND THE MOST FEAR WHEN A KILLER BENT ON REVENGE TARGETED HER TO GET BACK AT HIM.

**WHEN SCOTLAND WAS JEWISH** ELIZABETH CALDWELL HIRSCHMAN 2015-05-07 THE POPULAR IMAGE OF SCOTLAND IS DOMINATED BY WIDELY RECOGNIZED ELEMENTS OF CELTIC CULTURE. BUT A SIGNIFICANT NON-CELTIC INFLUENCE ON SCOTLAND'S HISTORY HAS BEEN LARGELY IGNORED FOR CENTURIES? THIS BOOK ARGUES THAT MUCH OF SCOTLAND'S HISTORY AND CULTURE FROM 1100 FORWARD IS JEWISH. THE AUTHORS PROVIDE EVIDENCE THAT MANY OF THE NATIONAL HEROES, VILLAINS, RULERS, NOBLES, TRADERS, MERCHANTS, BISHOPS, GUILD MEMBERS, BURGESSES, AND MINISTERS OF SCOTLAND WERE OF JEWISH DESCENT, THEIR ANCESTORS ORIGINATING IN FRANCE AND SPAIN. MUCH OF THE TRADITIONAL HISTORICAL ACCOUNT OF SCOTLAND, IT IS PROPOSED, RESTS ON FUNDAMENTAL INTERPRETIVE ERRORS, PERPETUATED IN ORDER TO AFFIRM SCOTLAND'S IDENTITY AS A CELTIC, CHRISTIAN SOCIETY. A MORE ACCURATE AND PROFOUND UNDERSTANDING OF SCOTTISH HISTORY HAS THUS BEEN BURIED. THE AUTHORS' WIDE-RANGING RESEARCH INCLUDES EXAMINATION OF CENSUS RECORDS, ARCHAEOLOGICAL ARTIFACTS, CASTLE CARVINGS, CEMETERY INSCRIPTIONS, RELIGIOUS SEALS, COINAGE, BURGESS AND GUILD MEMBER ROLLS, NOBLE GENEALOGIES, FAMILY CRESTS, PORTRAITURE, AND GEOGRAPHIC PLACE NAMES.

**CRITIQUE OF BLACK REASON** ACHILLE MBEMBE 2017-02-17 IN CRITIQUE OF BLACK REASON EMINENT CRITIC ACHILLE MBEMBE OFFERS A CAPACIOUS GENEALOGY OF THE CATEGORY OF BLACKNESS—FROM THE ATLANTIC SLAVE TRADE TO THE PRESENT—TO CRITICALLY REEVALUATE HISTORY, RACISM, AND THE FUTURE OF HUMANITY. MBEMBE TEASES OUT THE INTELLECTUAL CONSEQUENCES OF THE REALITY THAT EUROPE IS NO LONGER THE WORLD'S CENTER OF GRAVITY WHILE MAPPING THE RELATIONS AMONG COLONIALISM, SLAVERY, AND CONTEMPORARY FINANCIAL AND EXTRACTIVE CAPITAL. TRACING THE CONJUNCTION OF BLACKNESS WITH THE BIOLOGICAL FICTION OF RACE, HE THEORIZES BLACK REASON AS THE COLLECTION OF DISCOURSES AND PRACTICES THAT EQUATED BLACKNESS WITH THE NONHUMAN IN ORDER TO UPHOLD FORMS OF OPPRESSION. MBEMBE POWERFULLY ARGUES THAT THIS EQUATION OF BLACKNESS WITH THE NONHUMAN WILL SERVE AS THE TEMPLATE FOR ALL NEW FORMS OF EXCLUSION. WITH CRITIQUE OF BLACK REASON, MBEMBE OFFERS NOTHING LESS THAN A MAP OF THE WORLD AS IT HAS BEEN CONSTITUTED THROUGH COLONIALISM AND RACIAL THINKING WHILE PROVIDING THE FIRST GLIMPSES OF A MORE JUST FUTURE.

**HYPERION, OR THE HERMIT IN GREECE** FRIEDRICH H[?] LDERLIN 2019-03-05 FRIEDRICH H[?] LDERLIN'S ONLY NOVEL, HYPERION (1797-99), IS A FICTIONAL EPISTOLARY AUTOBIOGRAPHY THAT JUXTAPOSES NARRATION WITH CRITICAL REFLECTION. RETURNING TO GREECE AFTER GERMAN EXILE, FOLLOWING HIS PART IN THE ABORTIVE UPRISING AGAINST THE OCCUPYING TURKS (1770), AND HIS FAILURE AS BOTH A LOVER AND A REVOLUTIONARY, HYPERION ASSUMES A HERMITIC EXISTENCE, DURING WHICH HE WRITES HIS LETTERS. CONFRONTING AND COMMENTING ON HIS OWN PAST, WITH ALL ITS JOY AND GRIEF, THE NARRATOR UNDERGOES A TRANSFORMATION THAT CULMINATES IN THE REALISATION OF HIS TRUE VOCATION. THOUGH H[?] LDERLIN IS NOW ESTABLISHED AS A GREAT LYRIC POET, RECOGNITION OF HIS NOVEL AS A SUPREME ACHIEVEMENT OF EUROPEAN ROMANTICISM HAS BEEN BELATED IN THE ANGLOPHONE WORLD. INCORPORATING THE AESTHETIC EVANGELISM THAT IS A CHARACTERISTIC FEATURE OF THE AGE, HYPERION PREACHES A MESSAGE OF REDEMPTION THROUGH BEAUTY. THE RESOLUTION OF THE CONTRADICTIONS AND ANTI-NOMIES RAISED IN THE NOVEL IS FOUND IN THE ACT OF ARTICULATION ITSELF. TO A DEGREE REMARKABLE IN A PROSE WORK OF ANY LENGTH, WHAT IT MEANS IS INSEPARABLE FROM HOW IT MEANS. IN THIS SKILFUL TRANSLATION, GASKILL CONVEYS THE BEAUTIFUL MUSIC AND RHYTHMS OF H[?] LDERLIN'S LANGUAGE TO AN ENGLISH-SPEAKING READER.

**LAND OF ENCHANTMENT** JANET DAILEY 2014-04-01 A NEW YORK FASHION MODEL FALLS FOR A HANDSOME COWBOY IN THIS AMERICANA ROMANCE SET IN NEW MEXICO BY THE NEW YORK TIMES-BESTSELLING AUTHOR. BLESSED WITH SILVERY BLOND HAIR, A SHOW-STOPPING FIGURE, AND A CREAMY, FLAWLESS COMPLEXION, DIANA ENJOYS A THRIVING CAREER AS A MODEL IN NEW YORK CITY. STILL, IN HER HEART, SHE LONGS ONLY FOR THE LOVE OF A GOOD MAN AND THE SIMPLE JOYS OF MARRIAGE AND MOTHERHOOD. AT TWENTY-FOUR, DIANA HAS LEARNED THAT MOST OF THE GOOD MEN ARE INTIMIDATED BY HER LOOKS, AND SHE ATTRACTS ONLY THOSE WHOSE EGOS NEED TO BE STROKED BY HAVING A BEAUTIFUL WOMAN ON THEIR ARM. BUT ALL OF THAT IS ABOUT TO CHANGE WHEN SHE TRAVELS OUT WEST FOR A PHOTO SHOOT AT A RODEO AND MEETS NEW MEXICO RANCHER LIJE MASTERS. THE DESERT AFTERNOON IS HOT AND STILL WHEN A STARTLED HORSE SENDS DIANA LITERALLY FALLING INTO LIJE'S STRONG ARMS. FROM AFAR, DIANA HAD ALREADY NOTICED THE COWBOY'S RUGGED GOOD LOOKS; UP CLOSE, SHE CAN FEEL HIS GRANITE-COLORED EYES SEEING PAST HER EXTERIOR AND STRAIGHT INTO HER SOUL. BUT IS SHE WILLING TO GIVE UP LIFE IN THE BIG CITY FOR THE LAND OF ENCHANTMENT?

**HOT DEMON NIGHTS** ELLE JAMES 2012-05-01 ROOKIE COP KATYA DANSKE DIDN'T ASK TO BECOME A MEMBER OF MANHATTAN'S PARANORMAL INVESTIGATION TEAM—OR TO BE PARTNERED WITH A SEXY-AS-HELL DEMON. THEN A ZOMBIE LITERALLY DROPS INTO HER LAP AND SHE'S RECRUITED TO HELP BLAISE MICHAELS BATTLE AN IMPENDING ZOMBIE OUTBREAK. BLAISE IS AS EXASPERATING AS

HE IS AROUSING, BUT WHILE KATYA'S HEAD TELLS HER SHE SHOULD KEEP HER DISTANCE, HER BODY WANTS SOMETHING ELSE ENTIRELY. FORCED TO WORK CLOSELY TOGETHER, THEIR INVESTIGATION TAKES THEM INTO THE DARKEST SHADOWS OF THE MANHATTAN UNDERWORLD—AND MAKES THEIR ATTRACTION IMPOSSIBLE TO DENY. BUT WITH THE ZOMBIE THREAT RISING, THEIR HOT NIGHTS TOGETHER MAY BE THEIR LAST....

**CARIBBEAN** JAMES A. MICHENER 2014-02-18 IN THIS ACCLAIMED CLASSIC NOVEL, JAMES A. MICHENER SWEEPS READERS OFF TO THE CARIBBEAN, BRINGING TO LIFE THE ETERNAL ALLURE AND TUMULTUOUS HISTORY OF THIS GLITTERING STRING OF ISLANDS. FROM THE 1310 CONQUEST OF THE ARAWAKS BY CANNIBALS TO THE DECLINE OF THE MAYAN EMPIRE, FROM COLUMBUS'S ARRIVAL TO BUCCANEER HENRY MORGAN'S NOTORIOUS REIGN, FROM THE BLOODY SLAVE REVOLT ON HAITI TO THE RISE OF CUBA'S FIDEL CASTRO, CARIBBEAN PACKS SEVEN HUNDRED DRAMATIC YEARS INTO A TALE TEEMING WITH REVOLUTION AND ROMANCE, AUTHENTIC CHARACTERS AND THUNDEROUS DESTINIES. THROUGH ABSORBING, MAGNIFICENT PROSE, MICHENER CAPTURES THE ESSENCE OF THE ISLANDS IN ALL OF THEIR AWE-INSPIRING SCOPE AND WONDER. BONUS: THIS EDITION INCLUDES AN EXCERPT FROM JAMES A. MICHENER'S HAWAII. PRAISE FOR CARIBBEAN "MICHENER IS A MASTER."—BOSTON HERALD "A GRAND EPIC . . . [JAMES A. MICHENER] SYMPATHIZES WITH THE STRUGGLES OF THE REGION'S MOST OPPRESSED, AND SUCCEEDS IN PRESENTING THE CARIBBEAN IN ITS RICH DIVERSITY."—THE PLAIN DEALER "REMARKABLE AND PRAISEWORTHY . . . UTTERLY ENGAGING."—THE WASHINGTON POST BOOK WORLD "EVEN AMERICAN TOURISTS FAMILIAR WITH SOME OF THE SERENE ISLANDS WILL FIND THEMSELVES ENLIGHTENED. . . IN CARIBBEAN, THERE APPEARS TO BE A STRONG AURA OF TRUTH BEHIND THE STORYTELLING."—THE NEW YORK TIMES

**START-UP NATION** DAN SENOR 2011-09-07 START-UP NATION ADDRESSES THE TRILLION DOLLAR QUESTION: HOW IS IT THAT ISRAEL-- A COUNTRY OF 7.1 MILLION, ONLY 60 YEARS OLD, SURROUNDED BY ENEMIES, IN A CONSTANT STATE OF WAR SINCE ITS FOUNDING, WITH NO NATURAL RESOURCES-- PRODUCES MORE START-UP COMPANIES THAN LARGE, PEACEFUL, AND STABLE NATIONS LIKE JAPAN, CHINA, INDIA, KOREA, CANADA AND THE UK? WITH THE SAVVY OF FOREIGN POLICY INSIDERS, SENOR AND SINGER EXAMINE THE LESSONS OF THE COUNTRY'S ADVERSITY-DRIVEN CULTURE, WHICH FLATTENS HIERARCHY AND ELEVATES INFORMALITY-- ALL BACKED UP BY GOVERNMENT POLICIES FOCUSED ON INNOVATION. IN A WORLD WHERE ECONOMIES AS DIVERSE AS IRELAND, SINGAPORE AND DUBAI HAVE TRIED TO RE-CREATE THE "ISRAEL EFFECT", THERE ARE ENTREPRENEURIAL LESSONS WELL WORTH NOTING. AS AMERICA REBOOTS ITS OWN ECONOMY AND CAN-DO SPIRIT, THERE'S NEVER BEEN A BETTER TIME TO LOOK AT THIS REMARKABLE AND RESILIENT NATION FOR SOME IMPRESSIVE, SURPRISING CLUES.

**THE ARMY MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, 1775-1818** MARY C. GILLETT 1981

**RECOLLECTIONS OF A REBEL REEFER** JAMES MORRIS MORGAN 1918

**THE USE OF FORCE IN UN PEACE OPERATIONS** TREVOR FINDLAY 2002 ONE OF THE MOST VEXING ISSUES THAT HAS FACED THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY SINCE THE END OF THE COLD WAR HAS BEEN THE USE OF FORCE BY THE UNITED NATIONS PEACEKEEPING FORCES. UN INTERVENTION IN CIVIL WARS, AS IN SOMALIA, BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA, AND RWANDA, HAS THROWN INTO STARK RELIEF THE DIFFICULTY OF PEACEKEEPERS OPERATING IN SITUATIONS WHERE CONSENT TO THEIR PRESENCE AND ACTIVITIES IS FRAGILE OR INCOMPLETE AND WHERE THERE IS LITTLE PEACE TO KEEP. COMPLEX QUESTIONS ARISE IN THESE CIRCUMSTANCES. WHEN AND HOW SHOULD PEACEKEEPERS USE FORCE TO PROTECT THEMSELVES, TO PROTECT THEIR MISSION, OR, MOST TROUBLINGLY, TO ENSURE COMPLIANCE BY RECALCITRANT PARTIES WITH PEACE ACCORDS? IS A PEACE ENFORCEMENT ROLE FOR PEACEKEEPERS POSSIBLE OR IS THIS SIMPLY WAR BY ANOTHER NAME? IS THERE A GREY ZONE BETWEEN PEACEKEEPING AND PEACE ENFORCEMENT? TREVOR FINDLAY REVEALS THE HISTORY OF THE USE OF FORCE BY UN PEACEKEEPERS FROM SINAI IN THE 1950s TO HAITI IN THE 1990s. HE UNTANGLES THE ARGUMENTS ABOUT THE USE OF FORCE IN PEACE OPERATIONS AND SETS THESE WITHIN THE BROADER CONTEXT OF MILITARY DOCTRINE AND PRACTICE. DRAWING ON THESE INSIGHTS THE AUTHOR EXAMINES PROPOSALS FOR FUTURE CONDUCT OF UN OPERATIONS, INCLUDING THE FORMULATION OF UN PEACEKEEPING DOCTRINE AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A UN RAPID REACTION FORCE.

**SURRENDER** PAMELA CLARE 2006 AN ARMY RANGER HEADS OUT TO TAME THE WILD FRONTIER--NOT REALIZING THAT A STUBBORN BEAUTY WILL BE THE ONE TO TAME HIS HEART.

**THE RAMAPO MOUNTAIN PEOPLE** DAVID STEVEN COHEN 1986 NORTHWEST OF MANHATTAN WHERE THE NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY BOUNDARY CROSSES THE TREE-COVERED RIDGES AND HOLLOW RIDGES AND HOLLOW OF THE RAMAPO MOUNTAINS THERE IS A GROUP OF ABOUT 1,500 RACIALLY MIXED PEOPLE WHO HAVE LONG BEEN REFERRED TO BY JOURNALISTS AND HISTORIANS AS THE "JACKSON WHITES." IN A STUDY COMBINING THE DISCIPLINES OF ANTHROPOLOGY, SOCIOLOGY, FOLKLORE, AND HISTORY, DAVID COHEN FOUND THAT THE OLD STORIES ABOUT THESE PEOPLE WERE LEGENDS, NOT HISTORY. HE FOUND NO RELIABLE EVIDENCE THAT THEIR ANCESTORS WERE TUSCARORA INDIANS, HESSIAN DESERTERS FROM THE BRITISH ARMY, ESCAPED SLAVES, AND BRITISH AND

WEST INDIAN PROSTITUTES IMPORTED BY A SEA CAPTAIN NAMED JACKSON FOR THE PLEASURE OF BRITISH SOLDIERS OCCUPYING MANHATTAN DURING THE WAR FOR INDEPENDENCE. DAVID COHEN LIVED AMONG THE RAMAPO MOUNTAIN PEOPLE FOR A YEAR, CONDUCTING GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH INTO CHURCH RECORDS, DEEDS, WILLS, AND INVENTORIES IN COUNTY COURTHOUSES AND LIBRARIES. HE ESTABLISHED THAT THEIR ANCESTORS INCLUDED FREE BLACK LANDOWNERS IN NEW YORK CITY AND MULATTOES WITH SOME DUTCH ANCESTRY WHO WERE AMONG THE FIRST PIONEERS TO SETTLE IN THE HACKENSACK RIVER VALLEY OF NEW JERSEY. IN DESCRIBING HIS FINDINGS AND HIS EXPERIENCES, PROFESSOR COHEN SHOWS HOW THEIR RACIALLY MIXED ANCESTRY, THEIR SPECIAL FAMILY AND KINSHIP SYSTEM, AND THEIR INTERGROUP ATTITUDES AND FOLKWAYS DISTINGUISH AND SOCIALLY ISOLATE THESE PEOPLE AS A SEPARATE RACIAL GROUP TODAY, DESPITE MODERN COMMUNICATIONS AND TRANSPORTATION AND THEIR PROXIMITY TO NEW YORK CITY.

**VIETNAM STUDIES** COL FRANCIS J. KELLY 2016-12-10 AS LONG AGO AS 1957, U.S. ARMY SPECIAL FORCES SOLDIERS WERE IN THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM. GOING ABOUT THEIR BUSINESS OF TRAINING, ADVISING, AND ASSISTING MEMBERS OF THE VIETNAMESE ARMY. DESPITE THE OLD ARMY WITTICISM ABOUT NEVER VOLUNTEERING FOR ANYTHING, THE SPECIAL FORCES SOLDIER IS. IN FACT, A DOUBLE VOLUNTEER, HAVING FIRST VOLUNTEERED FOR AIRBORNE TRAINING AND THEN AGAIN FOR SPECIAL FORCES TRAINING. FROM A VERY MEAGER BEGINNING BUT SUSTAINED BY A STRONG MOTIVATION AND CONFIDENCE IN HIS MISSION, THE SPECIAL FORCES SOLDIER HAS MARCHED THROUGH THE VIETNAM STRUGGLE IN SUPERB FASHION. IN 1957 SOME FIFTY-EIGHT VIETNAMESE SOLDIERS WERE GIVEN MILITARY TRAINING BY SPECIAL FORCES TROOPS. TEN YEARS LATER THE SPECIAL FORCES WERE ADVISING AND ASSISTING OVER 40,000 PARAMILITARY TROOPS, ALONG WITH ANOTHER 40,000 REGIONAL FORCES AND POPULAR FORCES SOLDIERS. THIS MONOGRAPH TRACES THE DEVELOPMENT AND NOTES THE PROGRESS, PROBLEMS, SUCCESSES, AND FAILURES OF A UNIQUE PROGRAM UNDERTAKEN BY THE U.S. ARMY FOR THE FIRST TIME IN ITS HISTORY. IT IS HOPED THAT ALL THE SIGNIFICANT LESSONS LEARNED HAVE BEEN RECORDED AND THE MANY PITFALLS OF SUCH A PROGRAM UNCOVERED. I AM RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CONCLUSIONS REACHED, YET MY THOUGHT PROCESSES COULD NOT ESCAPE THE INFLUENCE OF THE MANY OUTSTANDING OFFICERS AND MEN IN THE SPECIAL FORCES WHO JOINED IN THE STRUGGLE. PARTICULARLY, I MUST TAKE NOTE OF THE CONTRIBUTIONS OF THE SPECIAL FORCES NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICERS, WITHOUT QUESTION THE MOST COMPETENT SOLDIERS IN THE WORLD. WITH THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE SPECIAL FORCES FROM VIETNAM IN 1971, THE ARMY COULD HONESTLY LAY CLAIM TO A NEW DIMENSION IN GROUND WARFARE-THE ORGANIZED EMPLOYMENT OF A PARAMILITARY FORCE IN SUSTAINED COMBAT AGAINST A DETERMINED ENEMY. I KNOW I SPEAK FOR MY PREDECESSORS AND SUCCESSORS IN CLAIMING THAT THE 5TH SPECIAL FORCES GROUP (AIRBORNE) WAS THE FINEST COLLECTION OF PROFESSIONAL SOLDIERS EVER ASSEMBLED BY THE U.S. ARMY, ANYWHERE, ANYTIME. FRANCIS JOHN KELLY COLONEL, ARMOR 1972

*RESCUING MARY: A MILITARY ROMANTIC SUSPENSE* SUSAN STOKER 2018-10-28 JUST WHEN HE THINKS HE'S GOT THE GIRL...LIFE HAS A FEW MORE CURVEBALLS TO THROW HIS WAY. FORD "TRUCK" LAUGHLIN AND MARY WESTON HAVE WEATHERED THEIR SHARE OF STORMS OVER THE LAST COUPLE YEARS. TRUCK'S JOB, MARY'S HEALTH. HIS BOSSINESS, HER BITCHINESS. ALL WHILE DANCING AROUND THEIR INTENSE ATTRACTION. MARY'S TRIED TO PUSH HIM AWAY FOR HIS OWN GOOD BUT TRUCK WON'T LET HER GIVE UP...ON HERSELF OR ON THEM. JUST WHEN SHE DECIDES THEY DESERVE A FAIR SHOT, DISASTER STRIKES. TRUCK HAS WANTED MARY SINCE THE MOMENT HE SAW HER. THE PRICKLY WOMAN PUSHES ALL HIS BUTTONS AND LOOKS BEYOND HIS SCARRED EXTERIOR, SOMETHING FEW WOMEN HAVE MANAGED. HIS PLAN TO TAKE THEIR RELATIONSHIP TO THE NEXT LEVEL IS STALLED WHEN HE'S INJURED ON A MISSION. AND HE'S BARELY FEELING LIKE HIS OLD SELF AGAIN BEFORE THE COUPLE IS DEALT ANOTHER BLOW, ONE THAT COULD PERMANENTLY END THEIR CHANCES...AND THEIR LIVES. \*\*RESCUING MARY IS THE 9TH BOOK IN THE DELTA FORCE HEROES SERIES. USUALLY MY BOOKS ARE STAND-ALONES, BUT IN THIS CASE, I FEEL YOU WOULD GET MORE ENJOYMENT OUT OF THE STORY IF YOU READ THE OTHER BOOKS FIRST, SINCE MARY AND TRUCK'S RELATIONSHIP EVOLVES THROUGHOUT THE SERIES. IF NOTHING ELSE, I RECOMMEND READING THE FIRST BOOK IN THE SERIES, RESCUING RAYNE, WHERE THEIR RELATIONSHIP BEGAN. --- READ WHAT OTHERS ARE SAYING ABOUT NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR, SUSAN STOKER: "SUSAN STOKER IS THE MASTER OF MILITARY ROMANTIC SUSPENSE. SHE'S MY GO-TO AUTHOR FOR SEXY ALPHA HERO AND STRONG, SASSY HEROINES." RILEY EDWARDS, USAT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "SUSAN STOKER NEVER DISAPPOINTS. SHE DELIVERS ALPHA MALES WITH HEART AND HEROINES WITH MOXIE." JANA ASTON, NYT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "NO ONE DOES MILITARY ROMANCE LIKE SUSAN STOKER!" CORINNE MICHAELS, NYT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "SUSAN STOKER KNOWS WHAT WOMEN WANT. A HOT HERO WHO NEEDS TO SAVE A DAMSEL IN DISTRESS...EVEN IF SHE CAN SAVE HERSELF!" CD REISS, NYT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "WHEN YOU PICK UP A SUSAN STOKER BOOK YOU KNOW EXACTLY WHAT YOU'RE GOING TO GET...A HOT ALPHA HERO AND A SMART, SASSY HEROINE. I CAN'T GET ENOUGH!" JESSICA HAWKINS, USAT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "I LOVE READING ABOUT MEN IN UNIFORM AND SUSAN ALWAYS DELIVERS...THE FULL PACKAGE!" KAYTI MCGEE "SUSAN WRITES THE PERFECT BLEND OF TOUGH, ALPHA HEROES AND STRONG YET VULNERABLE HEROINES. I ALWAYS FEEL EMOTIONALLY SATISFIED AT THE END OF ONE OF HER STORIES!" MEGHAN MARCH, NYT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "ONE THING I LOVE ABOUT SUSAN STOKER'S BOOKS IS THAT SHE KNOWS HOW TO DELIVER A PERFECT HEA WHILE STILL MAKING SURE THE VILLAIN GETS WHAT HE/SHE DESERVES!" T.M. FRAZIER, NYT BESTSELLING AUTHOR --- READ THE ENTIRE DELTA FORCE HEROES ROMANCE SERIES, STARTING WITH THE USA TODAY BESTSELLING START! RESCUING RAYNE RESCUING EMILY RESCUING HARLEY MARRYING EMILY RESCUING KASSIE RESCUING BRYN RESCUING CASEY RESCUING SADIE RESCUING WENDY

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**THE AGE OF SURVEILLANCE CAPITALISM** SHOSHANA ZUBOFF 2019-01-15 THE CHALLENGES TO HUMANITY POSED BY THE DIGITAL FUTURE, THE FIRST DETAILED EXAMINATION OF THE UNPRECEDENTED FORM OF POWER CALLED "SURVEILLANCE CAPITALISM," AND THE QUEST BY POWERFUL CORPORATIONS TO PREDICT AND CONTROL OUR BEHAVIOR. IN THIS MASTERWORK OF ORIGINAL THINKING AND RESEARCH, SHOSHANA ZUBOFF PROVIDES STARTLING INSIGHTS INTO THE PHENOMENON THAT SHE HAS NAMED SURVEILLANCE CAPITALISM. THE STAKES COULD NOT BE HIGHER: A GLOBAL ARCHITECTURE OF BEHAVIOR MODIFICATION THREATENS HUMAN NATURE IN THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY JUST AS INDUSTRIAL CAPITALISM DISFIGURED THE NATURAL WORLD IN THE TWENTIETH. ZUBOFF VIVIDLY BRINGS TO LIFE THE CONSEQUENCES AS SURVEILLANCE CAPITALISM ADVANCES FROM SILICON VALLEY INTO EVERY ECONOMIC SECTOR. VAST WEALTH AND POWER ARE ACCUMULATED IN OMINOUS NEW "BEHAVIORAL FUTURES MARKETS," WHERE PREDICTIONS ABOUT OUR BEHAVIOR ARE BOUGHT AND SOLD, AND THE PRODUCTION OF GOODS AND SERVICES IS SUBORDINATED TO A NEW "MEANS OF BEHAVIORAL MODIFICATION." THE THREAT HAS SHIFTED FROM A TOTALITARIAN BIG BROTHER STATE TO A UBIQUITOUS DIGITAL ARCHITECTURE: A "BIG OTHER" OPERATING IN THE INTERESTS OF SURVEILLANCE CAPITAL. HERE IS THE CRUCIBLE OF AN UNPRECEDENTED FORM OF POWER MARKED BY EXTREME CONCENTRATIONS OF KNOWLEDGE AND FREE FROM DEMOCRATIC OVERSIGHT. ZUBOFF'S COMPREHENSIVE AND MOVING ANALYSIS LAYS BARE THE THREATS TO TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY SOCIETY: A CONTROLLED "HIVE" OF TOTAL CONNECTION THAT SEDUCES WITH PROMISES OF TOTAL CERTAINTY FOR MAXIMUM PROFIT -- AT THE EXPENSE OF DEMOCRACY, FREEDOM, AND OUR HUMAN FUTURE. WITH LITTLE RESISTANCE FROM LAW OR SOCIETY, SURVEILLANCE CAPITALISM IS ON THE VERGE OF DOMINATING THE SOCIAL ORDER AND SHAPING THE DIGITAL FUTURE -- IF WE LET IT.

**A PATRIOT'S HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES** LARRY SCHWEIKART 2004-12-29 FOR THE PAST THREE DECADES, MANY HISTORY PROFESSORS HAVE ALLOWED THEIR BIASES TO DISTORT THE WAY AMERICA'S PAST IS TAUGHT. THESE INTELLECTUALS HAVE SEARCHED FOR INSTANCES OF RACISM, SEXISM, AND BIGOTRY IN OUR HISTORY WHILE DOWNPLAYING THE GREATNESS OF AMERICA'S PATRIOTS AND THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF "DEAD WHITE MEN." AS A RESULT, MORE EMPHASIS IS PLACED ON HARRIET TUBMAN THAN ON GEORGE WASHINGTON; MORE ABOUT THE INTERNMENT OF JAPANESE AMERICANS DURING WORLD WAR II THAN ABOUT D-DAY OR IWO JIMA; MORE ON THE DANGERS WE FACED FROM JOSEPH MCCARTHY THAN THOSE WE FACED FROM JOSEF STALIN. A PATRIOT'S HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES CORRECTS THOSE DOCTRINAIRE BIASES. IN THIS GROUNDBREAKING BOOK, AMERICA'S DISCOVERY, FOUNDING, AND DEVELOPMENT ARE REEXAMINED WITH AN APPRECIATION FOR THE ELEMENTS OF PUBLIC VIRTUE, PERSONAL LIBERTY, AND PRIVATE PROPERTY THAT MAKE THIS NATION UNIQUELY SUCCESSFUL. THIS BOOK OFFERS A LONG-OVERDUE ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF AMERICA'S TRUE AND PROUD HISTORY.

**DINE LIKE A DRAGON: THE COMPLETE CHINESE COOKBOOK** ZIYI CHENG 2020-01-22 CHINESE FOOD REQUIRES NO INTRODUCTION. IT IS SOME OF THE MOST POPULAR AND COMMONLY AVAILABLE FOOD, REGARDLESS OF WHERE YOU LIVE. CHINESE FOOD IS DIVERSE, AND TASTES ABSOLUTELY AMAZING. ALL YOU NEED IS FIRE AND A STOVE TO COOK MOST OF THE RECIPES, AND THEY DON'T TAKE MUCH TIME EITHER. DELICIOUS, EASY, AND QUICK- CHINESE FOOD IS A MUST-HAVE IN THE ARSENAL OF ANY COOK. DINE LIKE A DRAGON: THE COMPLETE CHINESE COOKBOOK OFFERS: ALL THE BASIC INFORMATION YOU WILL NEED TO GET STARTED WITH CHINESE COOKING 22 CHINESE MARINADES AND CONDIMENTS 36 CHINESE APPETIZER RECIPES 40 CHINESE SOUP RECIPES 24 CHINESE SAUCE RECIPES 21 CHINESE DIPS AND DRESSINGS 25 CHINESE SALAD RECIPES 174 CHINESE CHICKEN, TURKEY, AND DUCK RECIPES 167 CHINESE SEAFOOD RECIPES 90 CHINESE BEEF RECIPES 100 CHINESE PORK RECIPES 28 CHINESE LAMB RECIPES 25 CHINESE EGG RECIPES 31 CHINESE RICE RECIPES 26 CHINESE NOODLE RECIPES 102 CHINESE VEGETABLE RECIPES 16 CHINESE TOFU RECIPES 35 CHINESE DESSERT, CAKE, AND CONFECTIONERY RECIPES 15 CHINESE TEAS, PICKLES, AND OTHER PRESERVES

**JUSTICE FOR MACKENZIE: A POLICE/FIREFIGHTER ROMANTIC SUSPENSE** SUSAN STOKER 2015-08-04 SHE BLINKED, HOPING SHE'D BE ABLE TO SEE SOMETHING...ANYTHING, BUT SHE REMAINED AS BLIND AS WHEN SHE WOKE UP. SHE WHIMPERED, KNOWING SHE WAS IN BIG TROUBLE. A MEMBER OF THE FAMED TEXAS RANGERS, DAXTON CHAMBERS HAS DEALT WITH MORE THAN HIS SHARE OF DEPRAVITY. BUT THE LONE STAR REAPER TAKES EVIL TO A WHOLE NEW LEVEL, KIDNAPPING AND BURYING WOMEN ALIVE. IT'S DAX'S JOB TO HELP KEEP SAN ANTONIO SAFE, BUT EVEN WITH HELP FROM FRIENDS IN VARIOUS LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, THE KILLER REMAINS TWO STEPS AHEAD. IT'S HARDLY THE IDEAL TIME FOR A RELATIONSHIP, BUT MACKENZIE MORGAN IS TOO LUSCIOUS TO RESIST. DAX WANTS HER--WHICH MAKES HER AN INSTANT TARGET FOR HIS NEWFOUND ENEMY. WHEN THE REAPER GETS PERSONAL, IT WILL TAKE EVERY OUNCE OF DAXTON'S CONSIDERABLE SKILL AND TRAINING TO KEEP MACK ALIVE. \*\*JUSTICE FOR MACKENZIE IS THE 1ST BOOK IN THE BADGE OF HONOR: TEXAS HEROES SERIES. EACH BOOK IS A STAND-ALONE, WITH NO CLIFFHANGER ENDINGS. --- READ WHAT OTHERS ARE SAYING ABOUT NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR, SUSAN STOKER: "RIVETING ACTION AND CHARACTERS YOU'LL LOVE!" ELLE JAMES, NYT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "SUSAN STOKER NEVER DISAPPOINTS. SHE DELIVERS ALPHA MALES WITH HEART AND HEROINES WITH MOXIE." JANA ASTON, NYT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "NO ONE DOES MILITARY ROMANCE LIKE SUSAN STOKER!" CORINNE MICHAELS, NYT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "SUSAN STOKER KNOWS WHAT WOMEN WANT. A HOT HERO WHO NEEDS TO SAVE A DAMSEL IN DISTRESS...EVEN IF SHE CAN SAVE HERSELF!" CD REISS, NYT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "WHEN YOU PICK UP A SUSAN STOKER BOOK YOU KNOW EXACTLY WHAT YOU'RE GOING TO GET...A HOT ALPHA HERO AND A SMART, SASSY HEROINE. I CAN'T GET ENOUGH!" JESSICA HAWKINS, USAT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "I LOVE READING ABOUT MEN IN UNIFORM AND SUSAN ALWAYS DELIVERS...THE FULL PACKAGE!" KAYTI MCGEE "SUSAN WRITES THE PERFECT BLEND OF TOUGH, ALPHA HEROES AND STRONG YET VULNERABLE HEROINES. I ALWAYS FEEL EMOTIONALLY SATISFIED AT THE END OF ONE OF HER STORIES!" MEGHAN MARCH, NYT BESTSELLING AUTHOR "ONE THING I LOVE ABOUT SUSAN STOKER'S BOOKS IS THAT SHE KNOWS HOW TO DELIVER A PERFECT HEA WHILE STILL MAKING SURE THE VILLAIN GETS WHAT HE/SHE DESERVES!" T.M. FRAZIER, NYT BESTSELLING AUTHOR --- READ THE ENTIRE BADGE OF HONOR ROMANCE SERIES, STARTING WITH THE NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING START! JUSTICE FOR MACKENZIE JUSTICE FOR MICKIE JUSTICE FOR CORRIE JUSTICE FOR LAINE SHELTER FOR ELIZABETH JUSTICE FOR BOONE SHELTER FOR ADELINE SHELTER FOR SOPHIE JUSTICE FOR ERIN JUSTICE FOR MILENA SHELTER FOR BLYTHE JUSTICE FOR HOPE SHELTER FOR QUINN SHELTER FOR KOREN SHELTER FOR PENELOPE TOPICS: CONTEMPORARY ROMANCE, MILITARY ROMANCE, SERIES, ROMANTIC SUSPENSE SERIES, MYSTERY, BBW ROMANCE, FUNNY ROMANCE, MODERN ROMANCE, URBAN ROMANCE, TEXAS, TEXAS ROMANCE, WEALTHY, USA TODAY, USA TODAY BESTSELLER, HOMELESS ROMANCE, CITY ROMANCE, SMART ROMANCE, MYSTERY, DOGS IN ROMANCE, LIGHTEARTED ROMANCE, HOT ROMANCE, SUSAN STOKER, SUSAN STOKER ROMANCE, PROPOSAL, PROPOSAL ROMANCE, ENGAGEMENT, ENGAGEMENT ROMANCE, NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER ROMANCE, NYT ROMANCE, NEW YORK TIMES ROMANCE, SEXY, HEARTWARMING, HEART-WARMING, FAMILY, LOVE, LOVE BOOKS, KISSING BOOKS, EMOTIONAL JOURNEY, CONTEMPORARY, CONTEMPORARY ROMANCE, ROMANCE SERIES, LONG SERIES, LONG ROMANCE SERIES, ARMY, ARMY SERIES, FORMER MILITARY, COP, POLICE OFFICER, POLICEMAN, COP ROMANCE, WEALTHY HERO, FIREFIGHTER, FIREMAN, FIREMAN ROMANCE, SASSY, STRONG HEROINE, CAPTIVATING ROMANCE, HOT, HOT ROMANCE, FORBIDDEN LOVE, SPARKS, LOYALTY, SWOON, CONTEMPORARY, RESCUE, KIDNAP, BLIND, HANDICAP, JUSTICE, SHELTER, CLAIMING, DEFENDING, PROTECT, DAMSEL IN DISTRESS, GANG, HOSPITAL, DOCTOR, DRAMA, ACTION AND ADVENTURE, ACTION ROMANCE, WELL, REALTOR, REAL ESTATE, BURY, SERIAL KILLER, SUSPENSE, SUSPENSEFUL, LAW ENFORCEMENT, FBI, SHERIFF, FREE, FREE BOOK, FREE STORY OTHER READERS OF STOKER'S BOOKS ENJOYED BOOKS BY: RILEY EDWARDS, CAITLYN O'LEARY, MARYANN JORDAN, DALE MAYER, LYNN RAYE HARRIS, CAT JOHNSON, ALEXIS ABBOTT, MELI RAINE, NICOLE ELLIOT, LORI RYAN, MEGHAN MARCH, KRISTIN ASHLEY, KRIS MICHAELS, BRITTNEY SAHIN, SHARON HAMILTON, CATHERINE COWLES, LEXI BLAKE, PIPER DAVENPORT, ABBIE ZANDERS, LANI LYNN VALE, AND KRISTEN PROBY.

**FINDING ELODIE** SUSAN STOKER 2021-04-13 RENOWNED CHEF ELODIE WINTERS' DREAM JOB, PRIVATE CHEF TO A POWERFUL FAMILY IN NEW YORK, QUICKLY BECOMES A NIGHTMARE WHEN HER EMPLOYER TURNS OUT TO BE THE HEAD OF A NOTORIOUS MOB FAMILY. NOW ON THE RUN, SHE THINKS SHE'S FINALLY SAFE, HAVING LANDED IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ARABIAN SEA, COOK ON THE ASAKA EXPRESS CARGO SHIP. WHEN THE SHIP IS TAKEN BY PIRATES, SHE CAN'T BELIEVE HER BAD LUCK...BUT IT'S ABOUT TO TAKE A TURN FOR THE BETTER. SCOTT "MUSTANG" WEBBER IS PULLED FROM HIS CURRENT MISSION, ALONG WITH THE REST OF HIS SEAL TEAM, TO PREVENT AN ACT OF PIRACY IN THE MIDDLE EAST. THEY'RE ALL SURPRISED WHEN THE FIRST PERSON TO RADIO FOR HELP IS A WOMAN. HE SOON SENSES "RACHEL WALTERS" IS HIDING SOMETHING, AND OFFERS HIS HELP. HE'S BOTH SHOCKED AND PLEASED WHEN SHE ACTUALLY COMES LOOKING FOR HIM IN HAWAII MONTHS LATER. HE'D FELT A CONNECTION WITH HER ON THAT CARGO SHIP...ONE HE'S LOOKING FORWARD TO EXPLORING FURTHER. KEEPING ELODIE SAFE IN HAWAII TURNS OUT TO BE EASY...UNTIL IT ISN'T. LONG DAYS IN PARADISE HAVE A WAY OF MAKING ONE COMPLACENT. NOW MUSTANG IS WORKING AGAINST THE CLOCK AND THE ELEMENTS THEMSELVES, AS HE FACES HIS GREATEST MISSION EVER-FINDING ELODIE. \*\* FINDING ELODIE IS THE 1ST BOOK IN THE SEAL TEAM HAWAII SERIES. EACH BOOK IS A STAND-ALONE, WITH NO CLIFFHANGER ENDINGS.

*THE STRANGLING OF PERSIA* WILLIAM MORGAN SHUSTER 1912

DEBT DAVID GRAEBER 2012 ECONOMIC HISTORY STATES THAT MONEY REPLACED A BARTERING SYSTEM, YET THERE ISN'T ANY

EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT THIS AXIOM. ANTHROPOLOGIST GRAEBER PRESENTS A STUNNING REVERSAL OF THIS CONVENTIONAL WISDOM. FOR MORE THAN 5000 YEARS, HUMANS HAVE USED ELABORATE CREDIT SYSTEMS TO BUY AND SELL GOODS. SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE AGRARIAN EMPIRES, HUMANS HAVE BEEN DIVIDED INTO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS. THROUGH TIME, VIRTUAL CREDIT MONEY WAS REPLACED BY GOLD AND THE SYSTEM AS A WHOLE WENT INTO DECLINE. THIS FASCINATING HISTORY IS TOLD FOR THE FIRST TIME.

*EMBRACE AND CONQUER* JENNIFER BLAKE 2000-01-20 YOUNG AND BEAUTIFUL FELICITE IS THE TOAST OF NEW ORLEANS, HER KINDNESS AND VIRTUE AN EXAMPLE TO OTHER YOUNG WOMEN. DAUGHTER OF AN OUTLAW MERCHANT, SISTER TO THE DANGEROUSLY HANDSOME SWASHBUCKLER VALCOUR MURAT, FELICITE'S HONOR IS WELL PROTECTED, AND HER FATHER AND BROTHER ARE THE ONLY MEN IN HER LIFE. HOWEVER, SUCH A BEAUTIFUL AND PROMINENT YOUNG WOMAN CANNOT REMAIN SHELTERED FOREVER. THE RUTHLESS LT. COLONEL MORGAN McCORMACK FORCES HIS WAY INTO HER LIFE, MAKING HER HIS MISTRESS WITH THE THREAT OF HER FATHER'S DEATH. WHEN HER FATHER DIES SUDDENLY UNDER MYSTERIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES, FELICITE FLEES HER SHAMEFUL RELATIONSHIP WITH McCORMACK, SEEKING SHELTER IN THE HAVEN OF HER BROTHER'S SHIP. BUT INSTEAD OF THE RESPITE SHE EXPECTED, SHE HAS UNWITTINGLY STUMBLING INTO A NEW DANGER--KIDNAPPED TO A SECRET TROPICAL ISLAND WHERE UNSCRUPULOUS PIRATES DUEL FOR THE RIGHTS TO HER FAVORS. THEN, UNEXPECTEDLY, SHE FINDS HERSELF ONCE AGAIN IN THE HANDS OF THE STRANGER WHO HAD TORTURED HER WITH EXQUISITE PLEASURE...

*THIN AIR* RICHARD K. MORGAN 2018-10-23 AN ATMOSPHERIC TALE OF CORRUPTION AND ABDUCTION SET ON MARS, FROM THE AUTHOR OF THE AWARD-WINNING SCIENCE FICTION NOVEL *ALTERED CARBON*, NOW AN EXCITING NEW SERIES FROM NETFLIX. NAMED ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR BY THE GUARDIAN HAKAN VEIL IS AN EX-CORPORATE ENFORCER EQUIPPED WITH MILITARY-GRADE BODY TECH THAT'S MADE HIM A HUMAN KILLING MACHINE. HIS FORMER EMPLOYERS HAVE ABANDONED HIM ON A TURBULENT MARS WHERE EARTH-BASED OVERLORDS BATTLE FOR PROFITS AND POWER AMID A HOMEGROWN INDEPENDENCE MOVEMENT. BUT HE'S HAD ENOUGH OF THE RED PLANET, AND ALL HE WANTS IS A TICKET BACK HOME--WHICH IS JUST WHAT HE'S OFFERED BY THE EARTH OVERSIGHT ORGANIZATION, IN EXCHANGE FOR BEING THE BODYGUARD FOR AN EO INVESTIGATOR. IT'S A BEYOND-EASY GIG FOR A HEAVY HITTER LIKE VEIL . . . UNTIL IT ISN'T. WHEN VEIL'S CHARGE STARTS LOOKING INTO THE MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE OF A LOTTERY WINNER, IT STIRS UP A HORNET'S NEST OF INTRIGUE AND MURDER. AND THE DEEPER VEIL IS DRAWN INTO THE GAME, THE MORE LONG-BURIED SECRETS CLAW THEIR WAY TO THE MARTIAN SURFACE. NOW IT'S THE EXPERT ASSASSIN POISED AGAINST POWERFUL ENEMIES HELLBENT ON TAKING HIM DOWN--BY ANY MEANS NECESSARY. PRAISE FOR *THIN AIR* "KICK-ASS . . . MIXED IN WITH THE THRILLER-ESQUE ACTION AND CYBERPUNK BACKDROP IS A HARD-BOILED NOIR STORY COMPLETE WITH A TWISTING AND TURNING PLOT THAT KEEPS READERS ON THEIR TOES."--LOS ANGELES TIMES "RICHARD K. MORGAN WANTS TO DESTROY YOUR MARS FANTASIES. . . IT'S A GRIM VISION, BUT ONE THAT MORGAN FINDS FAR MORE PLAUSIBLE THAN THE CHEERFUL VISIONS OF PLUCKY MARS COLONISTS COMMON IN SCI-FI."--WIRED "A ROBOTICALLY ENHANCED JACK REACHER [IN A] DAZZLINGLY INTRICATE GAME OF POLITICAL DOUBLE- AND TRIPLE-CROSS, SPICED WITH TASTILY KINETIC BATTLE SEQUENCES."--THE GUARDIAN "IF YOU EVER IMAGINED THAT THE CORE ESTHETICS AND THEMES OF CYBERPUNK--LOWLIFES AND HIGH TECH; CORPORATE DOMINANCE; FUTURE NOIR; POST-HUMAN EVOLUTION AND CYBORG ADAPTATIONS; HARDCRABBLE URBAN ENVIRONMENTS--WERE PLAYED OUT, *THIN AIR* WILL SET YOU STRAIGHT, AND KICK YOUR BUTT IN THE PROCESS. . . BOTH KINEMATIC AND CINEMATIC, [*THIN AIR* IS] LIMNED BY MORGAN WITH BALLETTIC PRECISION AND SMASHMOUTH GRACE."--PAUL DI FILIPPO, LOCUS

*THE PICTORIAL FIELD-BOOK OF THE REVOLUTION* BENSON JOHN LOSSING 1851

*EDGE OF REASON* FREYA BARKER 2019-11-18 BROTHERHOOD AND BEER MEETS SINGLE MOM AND APPLE PIE. I AM A RIDING CONTRADICTION. A SCHOLAR, A CYNIC, A BROTHER, AND A BIKER. MY NAME IS TRUNK. I'M SMART ENOUGH TO RECOGNIZE THE CHIP ON MY SHOULDER, AND CAUTIOUS ENOUGH TO KEEP IT RIGHT WHERE IT IS. I AM A MISGUIDED ROMANTIC. A MOM, A DAUGHTER, AN AGENT, AND A SURVIVOR MY NAME IS JAIMIE. I'M STRONG ENOUGH TO LOOK AFTER MY FAMILY ALONE, AND TOO STUBBORN TO ACCEPT I DON'T HAVE TO. WE MAKE AN ODD COUPLE--OUR DIFFERENCES OBVIOUS--BUT WHEN HATRED AND DANGER THREATEN TO DESTROY EVERYTHING OF VALUE IN OUR LIVES, WE ONLY GET STRONGER. TOGETHER.