

2017 Color Me Happy Wall Calendar

After a man dies on the job, he is turned into an Angel, and as an Angel, he has to learn many new things. As he is learning how to be a proper Angel, He learns there are many secrets hidden in the Heavens, and someone has labeled him as a traitor. He now has to fight not only demons invading, but he needs to know why he was labeled as a traitor.

The epic finale of the Celebration Series is finally here. Celebrate Christmas once again with the couple that started it all: Casey Lowe and Thad Wagner. Velvet & Vows starts out twenty days before the wedding and there is a lot to be done. With wedding showers, bachelor and bachelorette parties, the final dress fittings, holiday preparations and the last of the details for the ceremony and reception, Celebration is crackling with energy—but it's not all good. With a few misunderstandings, many secrets and a serial arsonist running rampant in the town, the days leading up to the wedding are far more stressful than Casey and Thad ever planned for it to be. It will take the entire town to tell this story as we pass from one leading character to another. Prepare yourself for this one-of-a-kind novel that will bring insight into every character you've fallen in love with during the series, and even a few characters you've never heard from first hand. NOTE: While Velvet & Vows can be a standalone novel, there have been twelve other books in this series before it. This book incorporates all twelve of those couples into one story and might be slightly hard to follow if you have not read the other books.

The shady crew of the White Raven run freight and salvage at the fringes of our solar system. They discover the wreck of a centuries-old exploration vessel floating light years away from its intended destination and revive its sole occupant, who wakes with news of First Alien Contact. When the crew break it to her that humanity has alien allies already, she reveals that these are very different extra-terrestrials... and the gifts they bestowed on her could kill all humanity, or take it out to the most distant stars.
File Under: Science Fiction

Just as Jack Kerouac captured the beat of the '50s, his daughter captured the rhythm of the generation that followed. With a graceful, often disturbing detachment and a spellbinding gift for descriptive imagery, Jan Kerouac explores the tortured, freewheeling soul of a woman on her own road. From an adolescence of LSD, detention homes, probation, pregnancy, and a stillbirth in the Mexican tropics at age 15; to the peace movement in Haight-Ashbury and Washington state; to traveling by bus through Central America with a madman for a lover, Baby Driver moves with the force of a tropical storm.

“A remarkable journey. I laughed. I cried. I got another cat.” —Lily Tomlin “Paula Poundstone is the funniest human being I have ever known.” —Peter Sagal, host of Wait Wait . . . Don't Tell Me! and author of The Book of Vice “Is there a secret to happiness?” asks comedian Paula Poundstone. “I don't know how or why anyone would keep it a secret. It seems rather cruel, really . . . Where could it be? Is it deceptively simple? Does it melt at a certain temperature? Can you buy it? Must you suffer for it before or after?” In her wildly and wisely observed book, the comedy legend takes on that most inalienable of rights—the pursuit of happiness. Offering herself up as a human guinea pig in a series of thoroughly unscientific experiments, Poundstone tries out a

different get-happy hypothesis in each chapter of her data-driven search. She gets in shape with taekwondo. She drives fast behind the wheel of a Lamborghini. She communes with nature while camping with her daughter, and commits to getting her house organized (twice!). Swing dancing? Meditation? Volunteering? Does any of it bring her happiness? You may be laughing too hard to care. The *Totally Unscientific Study of the Search for Human Happiness* is both a story of jumping into new experiences with both feet and a surprisingly poignant tale of a single working mother of three children (not to mention dozens of cats, a dog, a bearded dragon lizard, a lop-eared bunny, and one ant left from her ant farm) who is just trying to keep smiling while living a busy life. The queen of the skepticism-fueled rant, Paula Poundstone stands alone in her talent for bursting bubbles and slaying sacred cows. Like George Carlin, Steve Martin, and David Sedaris, she is a master of her craft, and her comedic brilliance is served up in abundance in this book. As author and humorist Roy Blount Jr. notes, “Paula Poundstone deserves to be happy. Nobody deserves to be this funny.”

Learn how to maximize profits in your redesign and staging business with 10 value-added services and products perfect for decorating consultants to offer their clients.

On his 9th birthday Abou, a young boy from India, travels into a miracle wonderland with his butterfly friend Jamou, to find the answers to five important questions his talking green bean tree friends have asked him. He finds the answers by talking with the very smart and interesting people he meets in this magic land. He also helps himself become smarter by remembering and using the knowledge and advice his wonderful grandparents taught him. He realizes the great importance of reading, and he gains confidence to continue searching for solutions and answers to new questions in his life.

Even the funny stuff is inspired by the Lord. I try to write about everyday ordinary things that may inspire another or allow them to identify with it.

Every revolution begins with a spark. In a world torn apart by war, one nation remains standing—Cinder City. It is surrounded by three state rings—Fringe, Boundary and Limits—and run by the Authority, President Atlas Gold, the tyrannical leader of the golden city. The population is divided into two groups, the rich and the poor, the Solvents and the Insolvents, and controlled under the threat of being named an Ember—a death sentence. Each year, Cinder officials open their Golden Gates and hold the Ember Harvest of all eighteen-year-olds. The Harvest is a test of the potential Embers. It is said that over three hundred years ago, the Insolvents had grown tired of their treatment and had mastered innate abilities to help them wage war against Cinder City. Now, as a precaution, every child is tested for the Scoria Singularity, remnants of the genetics from a time the world had been almost destroyed overnight, for the Authority would never risk another war. He would remove the sparks—the Embers—before they started another revolution. For Ezra, an Irish Chippewa—the last of the Chippewa people and recently named a potential Ember sent to Ember Gates—survival is in her blood. As the Ember Gates transforms her and the others, Ezra must determine who her real allies are, what parts of herself she is willing to sacrifice and where her newfound love fits into the cruel world of Ember Gates. Ezra will be pushed to the limits, having to decide between her humanity and staying.

This collection, edited by Daniel S. Strasser, was unearthed from the demand for more inclusive and expansive dialogues on intersectional identities, ethnicity, neuro-diversity, physical ability, religion, sexual orientation, class, and gender performance in academia. The autoethnographic and narrative accounts within *Communication and Identity in the Classroom: Intersectional Perspectives of Critical Pedagogy* offer personal, experiential perspectives on the power of identity to influence educators in classroom and mentoring spaces. The multiple perspectives offered here promote dialogue about how personal experience provides the ground upon which we build more dynamic relationships and communities. The contributors' experiences offer examples for a more expansive understanding of privilege, oppression, and identity. These seeds for conversation nourish discourses that build new communicative bridges between educators and students as we prepare to face the next interaction, class, and challenges and opportunity for resilience. This collection invites educators to be critical of their bodies, of their politics, of their intersecting identities, and acknowledge in words and actions that our bodies are political. Throughout this collection the contributors expand upon theories and methods of critical communication scholarship, radical love, and intersectionality using their embodied pedagogical experiences to ground the scholarship.

Own Your Glow is an inspirational, actionable, and wildly enriching companion for change. Celebrity wellness and lifestyle guru, Latham Thomas provides soulful principles that offer an illuminated path for examining life's challenges, helping you curate your path to greatness, while embracing your uniquely feminine attributes. Packed with rituals, meditations, and snackable lifestyle tips, Thomas provides a clear framework for harnessing your passion, developing spiritual fitness, and embracing true vulnerability. This guide is for anyone who wants to witness her own life transform and contribute to the positive change of the world around her. Combining spiritual, psychological, and self-reflective tools, Thomas offers an antidote to the hustle-hard, make-it-happen mainstream culture and fosters slowing down, intentionality, and self-care as a pathway to empowerment. How much more potent and powerful would we all be if we embraced our inherent talents, strengths, and feminine edge, rather than dwelling in patterns of self-criticism, doubt, and catty competition? Thomas invites you to step into a soulful, fulfilling life of freedom, transcending self-destructive habits and creating a blueprint for a more gratifying, centered, and bountiful way of living. *Own Your Glow* is an awakening roar for women to mobilize, become the masters of their lives, and hold their crowned heads up high, letting their relentless light from within shine bright for the world.

The *Wonderful Wizard of Oz* chronicles the adventures of a young farm girl named Dorothy in the magical Land of Oz, after she and her pet dog Toto are swept away from their Kansas home by a cyclone. The novel is one of the best-known stories in American literature and has been widely translated. The Library of Congress has declared it "America's greatest and best-loved homegrown fairytale. Contents: *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* *The Marvelous Land of Oz* *The Woggle-Bug Book* *Ozma of Oz* *Dorothy and the Wizard in Oz* *The Road to Oz* *The Emerald City of Oz* *The Patchwork Girl of Oz* *Little Wizard Stories of Oz* *Tik-Tok of Oz* *The Scarecrow of Oz* *Rinkitink in Oz* *The Lost Princess of Oz* *The Tin Woodman of Oz* *The Magic of Oz* *Glinda of Oz* Lyman Frank Baum (May 15, 1856 – May 6, 1919), better known as L. Frank Baum, was an American author chiefly famous for his

children's books, particularly *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* and its sequels.

Enjoy this new inspirational coloring book from illustrator Lindsay Hopkins! Color Happy features clever, inspirational sayings and phrases including: • Be you beautifully • Do what makes your heart sing • You matter • Always look for rainbows • and many more! Hopkins, known for her beautiful prints, invites you into the creative process as you color. Enjoy this stress-relieving activity by yourself or with friends and family! • Printed on thick, premium quality paper • Perforated edges for easy removal and framing • Beautiful coffee table book Provides hours of stress relief, mindful calm, and fulfilling expression through inspirational designs and soothing patterns

""The Yellow Wallpaper"" is a short story by American writer Charlotte Perkins Gilman, first published in January 1892 in *The New England Magazine*.^[1] It is regarded as an important early work of American feminist literature, due to its illustration of the attitudes towards mental and physical health of women in the 19th century. Narrated in the first person, the story is a collection of journal entries written by a woman whose physician husband (John) has rented an old mansion for the summer. Forgoing other rooms in the house, the couple moves into the upstairs nursery. As a form of treatment, the unnamed woman is forbidden from working, and is encouraged to eat well and get plenty of air, so she can recuperate from what he calls a ""temporary nervous depression - a slight hysterical tendency"", a diagnosis common to women during that period"

Led by stars like Walter Payton, Jim McMahon, Mike Singletary, William "Refrigerator" Perry, head coach Mike Ditka, and defensive coordinator Buddy Ryan, the Chicago Bears in the 1980s were an NFL powerhouse. As anyone who's seen "The Super Bowl Shuffle" surely knows, they were also an unforgettable group of characters. Otis Wilson, the Bears starting outside linebacker, was right in the center of the action, and in this book, Wilson provides a closer look at the great moments and personalities that made this era legendary. Readers will meet the players, coaches, and management and share in their moments of triumph and defeat. Be a fly on the wall as Wilson recounts stories from those days in Chicago, including the 1985 Super Bowl-winning season. *If These Walls Could Talk: Chicago Bears* will make fans a part of the team's storied history.

Scotty Reedville has had his office job for two years, long enough to fall for Ryker Callen, head of the landscaping crews. It's ridiculous, really. How could he fall for someone so completely his opposite in every way? Answer: he couldn't help it. Still, Scotty would never make a move because he doesn't think Ryker would go out with a guy who wears braces and snaps at everyone. However, when Ryker is injured in a softball game one weekend and needs a place to live temporarily that doesn't have steps, Scotty's boss Gavin suggests he stay with Scotty. The time they spend together is both the best and worst thing that has ever happened to Scotty, and he doesn't want it to end. But it must. Thankfully, Ryker has other plans. Can the two men stumble their way to love?

Football is everything, but love is the only game that matters. We've been best friends forever, but now I want more. We're going to be together, no matter what it takes. Quinn The guy who's been my best friend since we were kids is now the star of the football team. He's dating cheerleaders and hanging out at wild parties. He's leaving me behind, and it's breaking my heart. But every

player knows that sometimes, you have to plant your feet, throw a pass and hope for the best. If this is my only shot with Leo . . . I'm not going to waste a single moment. I want to be the girl he can never forget. Leo My life is a friggin' dream right now. Any girl I want is mine for the asking, and everyone treats me like royalty. What else could I need? Apparently, the answer is . . . the one girl I shouldn't want. The one who's been my friend forever. The one who is too good for me. The one I can't stop desiring. I'm screwed.

Discover your divine purpose and live the life you were meant to live with this inspirational and deeply spiritual guide. Who am I? Why am I here? What is my purpose? These are questions we have all asked ourselves at some point in our lives. Though we know ourselves best, it can be difficult to separate who we are from who we want to be or how others see us. We present so many different versions of ourselves to the world that our true identity can get lost in the process. Maybe you've been on a steady path for a while, and you're only now beginning to question if you've been heading in the right direction. Maybe you've wandered all your life with no direction at all. Either way, writer and spiritual guide Janet Conner offers the tools to reconnect with ourselves and the divine purpose affixed to our souls. Read Find Your Soul's Purpose and discover: An inspirational and spiritual book with a soul-community creator as your guide Renewal of meaning in your day-to-day life A journey to finding yourself and your divine purpose

This eBook features the unabridged text of 'Tik-Tok of Oz by L. Frank Baum - Delphi Classics (Illustrated)' from the bestselling edition of 'The Complete Works of L. Frank Baum'. Having established their name as the leading publisher of classic literature and art, Delphi Classics produce publications that are individually crafted with superior formatting, while introducing many rare texts for the first time in digital print. The Delphi Classics edition of Baum includes original annotations and illustrations relating to the life and works of the author, as well as individual tables of contents, allowing you to navigate eBooks quickly and easily. eBook features: * The complete unabridged text of 'Tik-Tok of Oz by L. Frank Baum - Delphi Classics (Illustrated)' * Beautifully illustrated with images related to Baum's works * Individual contents table, allowing easy navigation around the eBook * Excellent formatting of the text Please visit www.delphiclassics.com to learn more about our wide range of titles

Love Inspired Suspense brings you three new titles at a great value, available now! Enjoy these suspenseful romances of danger and faith. UNDERCOVER PROTECTOR Wilderness, Inc. by Elizabeth Goddard Hoping to bring down the person in charge of a wildlife trafficking ring, Special Agent Grayson Wilde goes undercover at Gemma Rollins's tiger sanctuary. At first, he's convinced Gemma must be involved, but when someone tries to kill her, all that matters is keeping her alive. BURIED MEMORIES by Carol J. Post As the mysterious threats on her life escalate, Nicki Jackson wonders if her nightmares of a murder are actually hidden memories. Childhood friend ex-soldier Tyler Brant vows to protect Nicki while she sorts out her past—even if it puts his own life in danger. CONCEALED IDENTITY by Jessica R. Patch After DEA agent Holt McKnight's criminal informant disappears, Holt must go undercover to get close to Blair Sullivan—the missing man's sister, who may know more than she's letting on. And when she's targeted by the drug cartel Holt's trying to take down, only he can save her.

****INSTANT NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER**** From one of the most followed booktubers today, comes *Again, but Better*, a story about second chances, discovering yourself, and being brave enough to try again. Shane has been doing college all wrong. Pre-med, stellar grades, and happy parents...sounds ideal -- but Shane's made zero friends, goes home every weekend, and romance...what's that? Her life has been dorm, dining hall, class, repeat. Time's a ticking, and she needs a change -- there's nothing like moving to a new country to really mix things up. Shane signs up for a semester abroad in London. She's going to right all her college mistakes: make friends, pursue boys, and find adventure! Easier said than done. She is soon faced with the complicated realities of living outside her bubble, and when self-doubt sneaks in, her new life starts to fall apart. Shane comes to find that, with the right amount of courage and determination one can conquer anything. Throw in some fate and a touch of magic - the possibilities are endless.

Portable art therapy for the over-worked and over-stimulated adult, *Color Me Stress-Free* offers 100 coloring templates for grown-ups looking to reduce stress and tension in a demanding digital age.

Wacky hairstylist Lacy Brown is a whirlwind of trouble just waiting to happen when she drives into the dying Texas town and joins up with the matchmakers determined help all the lonesome single cowboys find wives. She has big dreams and a vision, but she's not counting on a certain cowboy being the key to making her dreams come true. To save a dying town it'll take more than dreams and buckets of paint, it'll take a whole lot of love...if she can just open her own heart to the possibility.

She's forgotten her past. He's haunted by his mistakes. Can their love survive the painful truth behind a shared tragedy? After years in jail, Ryker Savage is still guilt-ridden over the bloody crime that traumatized his small town and tore his family apart. So when a stranger moves into a beloved victim's house, old emotions come bubbling to the surface. But he can't afford to turn down the alluring owner's odd jobs: it's the only way he can bankroll the search for his long-lost brother. Working alongside the beautiful woman, Ryker starts to feel her kindness melt his hardened heart to make room for love. After her grandma's death, Ana Barrett lost her only family in the world. So when the down-on-her-luck artist unexpectedly inherits property in Colorado, she hopes the move could be her chance at a new beginning. After hiring an ex-con to help whip the house in shape, she wonders if she should trust the small-town gossip... or what her heart is telling her. When shocking revelations intertwine their half-forgotten pasts, will the painful truth strengthen their love or tear them apart? *Redeeming Ryker* is the first book in *The Boys of Fury* suspenseful contemporary romance series. If you like complex characters, sizzling chemistry, and small-town romances, then you'll love Kelly Collins' emotional journey of loss and love. Buy *Redeeming Ryker* to unchain your heart for an unforgettable romance today!

Courting, Danger, & Seduction by Brooke Comeau Her Perfect Match Madaline was ready for an adventure and Ben Reed was the perfect gentlemen for her needs. If they can survive the unseen villain lurking in the shadows trying to destroy her happiness, then she might just get her happily ever after. After saving Mady from a carriage accident and looking into her lively green eyes, Ben knew he had found his perfect miss. Once he figured out who was behind the threats he might just get to claim her. Her Pirate Duke Daffney was determined to find her match this season - but who knew she would be thrown into the middle of an old war between pirates! The new Duke is unexpected; Daffney

is drawn to him and his wicked smile. Sebastian is not looking for a wife but can't seem to stay away from the delectable Miss Grey. When his enemies put her in harm's way he has no choice but, to his utter enjoyment, keep her close. And if he should steal a kiss or two all the better. Her Complete Surrender Abby was not interested in allowing any man to have complete control of her identity, hence the no husband policy! If the distracting Laird Merrick Murphy would just get the memo and stop making her pulse flutter she might just keep her single status. Merrick was smitten and wouldn't allow Abby to withdraw from him. But, with unexpected danger at his castle does he dare pursue her until she surrenders to a passion that will be an inferno? Or must he wait for the danger to pass?

This carefully edited collection of William Dean Howells has been designed and formatted to the highest digital standards and adjusted for readability on all devices. William Dean Howells (1837-1920) was an American realist author, literary critic, and playwright. Nicknamed "The Dean of American Letters", he was particularly known for his tenure as editor of the Atlantic Monthly as well as his own prolific writings, including the Christmas story "Christmas Every Day", and the novels *The Rise of Silas Lapham* and *A Traveler from Altruria*. Howells is known to be the father of American realism, and a denouncer of the sentimental novel. He was the first American author to bring a realist aesthetic to the literature of the United States. His stories of Boston upper crust life set in the 1850s are highly regarded among scholars of American fiction. Table of Contents: Introduction William Dean Howells by Charles Dudley Warner Novels *A Forgone Conclusion* *A Chance Acquaintance* *A Modern Instance* *A Pair of Patient Lovers* *A Traveler from Altruria* *An Open-Eyed Conspiracy* *Annie Kilburn* *April Hopes* *Dr. Breen's Practice* *Fennel and Rue* *Indian Summer* *Questionable Shapes* *Ragged Lady* *The Coast of Bohemia* *The Kentons* *The Lady of Aroostook* *The Landlord at Lion's Head* *The Leatherstocking* *God* *The Minister's Charge* *The Quality of Mercy* *The Rise of Silas Lapham* *The Story of a Play* *Through the Eye of the Needle* *The Flight of Pony Baker* *The March Family Trilogy: Their Wedding Journey* *A Hazard of New Fortunes* *Their Silver Wedding Journey* *Reminiscences and Autobiography* *A Boy's Town* *Years of My Youth*

Happy endings aren't always the end. Emmie Duncan believed in lots of things: fairy tales, destiny, knights in shining armor. She dreamed of a successful life in the big city and finding true love was all a part of the plan. Charlie Cooper was a modern day Prince Charming with a penthouse castle and a knack for sweeping girls off of their feet. But Emmie was about to find out that life isn't as easy as riding off into the sunset with the first handsome man you meet. And when she meets Jackson, an artist from SoHo who has nothing to offer her but his love, she must decide if love is worth giving up her dream of Fifth Avenue, or if fairy tales really do come true.

The Bureau has discovered evidence of the impossible--an invasion from the dimension of matter. Kerious Pye sends four Explorers to stop the plot, but when they come of age at fourteen, they're already too late. Under siege at the Academy, Matter-Combat Professor Ruskin Fately prepares a highly unusual defense of last resort.

From New York Times and USA Today bestselling author Gemma Halliday comes a dead tell-all host, a teen hacker-turned-sidekick, and a female tabloid reporter determined to catch a killer! Tabloid reporter Allie Quick thinks she has the hottest story in Hollywood when she lands an exclusive with the scandalous Bobby Baxter—host of the exposé TV show *Bobby Tells All*. But when Bobby turns up dead just hours before her interview, Allie wonders just whom he was planning to “tell all” about. Between an angry fan, a crew full of disgruntled employees, an estranged wife, and a list of secrets about to be exposed there's no shortage of people who wouldn't mind seeing Bobby cancelled permanently. And Allie isn't the only one digging—her rival is hot on her tail, and her editor-in-chief and maybe-boyfriend, Felix Dunn, isn't playing favorites when it comes to headlines. With the help of her eclectic co-workers at the L.A. Informer and a teenaged hacker with a major crush, Allie vows to get to the truth about Bobby's death...before the killer gets to her. The Hollywood Headlines books: *Hollywood Scandals* -

book #1 Hollywood Secrets - book #2 Hollywood Confessions - book #3 Hollywood Holiday - holiday short story Hollywood Deception - book #4 Hollywood Homicide - book #5 What critics are saying: "Halliday's Hollywood Headlines series is a fun story with intriguing characters and a good mystery. The action is fast paced, the hero is delightful and the heroine is spunky and independent but smart enough to know when she needs help." —RT Book Reviews "Fresh, funny, and has just enough heart to balance the snark." —All About Romance "Gemma Halliday's witty, entertaining writing style shines through in her new book! I look forward to seeing lots more of Tina as this series continues. A fun read!" —Fresh Fiction "Well written with smart and funny dialogue. It is a well-paced story that is thoroughly enjoyable with a mystery, a little romance, and a lot of laughs. Readers are sure to enjoy this delightful tale which is highly recommended." —Romance Reviews Today

Journalist Walls grew up with parents whose ideals and stubborn nonconformity were their curse and their salvation. Rex and Rose Mary and their four children lived like nomads, moving among Southwest desert towns, camping in the mountains. Rex was a charismatic, brilliant man who, when sober, captured his children's imagination, teaching them how to embrace life fearlessly. Rose Mary painted and wrote and couldn't stand the responsibility of providing for her family. When the money ran out, the Walls retreated to the dismal West Virginia mining town Rex had tried to escape. As the dysfunction escalated, the children had to fend for themselves, supporting one another as they found the resources and will to leave home. Yet Walls describes her parents with deep affection in this tale of unconditional love in a family that, despite its profound flaws, gave her the fiery determination to carve out a successful life. -- From publisher description.

Our lives become busier with each passing day, and as technology escalates, so does our access to work, obligations, and stress. Constant stimulation and expectation have left us burnt out and distanced from the present moment. "Now" has become something that happens online, not in the space and time that we physically occupy. Color Me Calm is a guided coloring book designed for harried adults. Art therapist Lacy Mucklow and artist Angela Porter offer up 100 coloring templates all designed to help you get coloring and get relaxed. Organized into seven therapeutically-themed chapters including Mandalas, Water Scenes, Wooded Scenes, Geometric Patterns, Flora & Fauna, Natural Patterns, and Spirituality - the book examines the benefits of putting pencil to paper and offers adults an opportunity to channel their anxiety into satisfying, creative accomplishment. Part of the international bestselling Color Me series, Color Me Calm is the perfect way step back from the stress of everyday life, color, and relax! Don't forget to try Color Me Happy and Color Me Stress-Free!

In *Shitfaced: Musings of a Former Drunk*, Seamus Kirst explores the milestones of self-destruction that marked his coming of age. At 13, he went to the ER for swallowing a bottle of pills. By 16, he was already a veteran of several in- and out-patient rehab programs for alcohol. As he walked across the stage at his high school graduation – just after delivering his valedictorian address – he had already been hospitalized three times for alcohol poisoning. The situation only accelerated at Brown University, where he abused a plethora of drugs, from Xanax to cocaine, while his alcohol abuse intensified. Most terrifying was his attitude toward his own dissolution, his rationalization of behaviors that brought him ever closer to death. In that sense, *Shitfaced*, is not just a memoir, but a dehortation for those who find themselves in the same place; Kirst goes back to find a self that he barely survived.

40 Amazing Coloring designs for teens and adults inspired by Volleyball! Complaining that other volleyball coloring books were too juvenile, the author's daughter requested a book that wouldn't bore her. Whether you want something to do during tournament downtime or back at the hotel, this volleyball coloring book will provide hours of relaxation and enjoyment! Makes a perfect gift for a coach, teammates or the volleyball nut in your life! Mom tested, volleyball player approved! This is the second edition of my book

which corrected a single typo (dyslexia gets me every time) and adds 8 more coloring pages! Tested on 600 volleyball players at a tournament - player approved!

Keith McNally, star restaurateur, gave author Reggie Nadelson unprecedented access to his legendary Soho brasserie, its staff, the archives, and the kitchens. Journalist Nadelson, who has covered restaurants and food for decades on both sides of the Atlantic, recounts the history of the French brasserie and how Keith McNally reinvented the concept for New York City. At Balthazar is an irresistible, mouthwatering narrative, driven by the drama of a restaurant that serves half a million meals a year, employs over two hundred people, and has operated on a twenty-four hour cycle for twenty years. Nadelson explores the intricacies of the restaurant's every aspect, interviewing the chef, waiters, bartenders, dishwashers--the human element of the beautifully oiled machine.

Sixteen-year-old Krista is having a hard time. She's still grieving the recent death of her mother when her father's girlfriend, Marie, moves into their home, and Krista feels like there's no one she can talk to about her sadness. To make matters worse, her best friend, Lyla, is heading to Maine for the summer to spend time with her grandparents. Krista feels pressure from the people around her to resume a normal life; her father wants her to find an activity to occupy her summer, and her neighbor encourages her to return to therapy. However, Krista doesn't feel ready to be "normal" again; she'd rather hang out in a tent she'd pitched on her roof, or sit in her car obsessively watching a mysterious house, the house at 758. Just when things start to feel too hard for her to bear, she runs into Jake, a fellow classmate and the cute sales associate at a store where she shoplifts. A young romance quickly forms, but Krista has a hard time opening up to Jake. She remains guarded and manages to push him away. One day, her father informs her that her grandfather, a Hungarian Holocaust survivor who lives in Venezuela, is coming to town for a visit. Krista is at first irritated that she'd have to babysit her foreign grandfather whom she barely knows, but soon realizes that he may be just the person she needed in her life. Krista's grandfather begins telling her stories of his past, of tragedy, hope, and forgiveness, and with these new developments, Krista begins to open up and embrace life again. She ends up confronting her grief and gains a greater understanding of her family's past and what she has to look forward to in life.

With each development in technology, our lives become more complicated. We move through our days in a blur of emails, text messages, and social networking. This non-stop stimulation has left us stressed-out and distanced from the joys of the present moment. Art therapist Lacy Mucklow and artist Angela Porter offer a simple and satisfying solution to this disconnect from reality. Featuring over 100 joyful coloring templates, Color Me Happy is a guided coloring book designed for busy adults. Organized into therapeutically-themed chapters, this book examines the benefits of putting pencil to paper and offers adults an opportunity to channel their anxiety into joyful creative accomplishment. Part of the international bestselling Color Me series, Color Me Happy is the perfect way to step back from the chaos of everyday life, color, and feel happy! Don't forget to try Color Me Calm and Color Me Stress-Free!

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