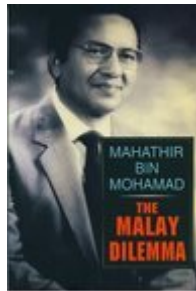



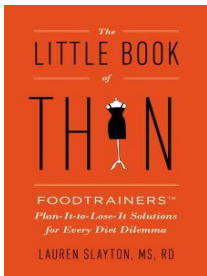
THE MALAY DILEMMA



This free ebook about the malay dilemma by mahathir mohamad in the malay dilemma, former prime minister mahathir mohamad examines and analyses the make-up of the malays and the problem of racial harmony in malaysia. first published in 1970, the book seeks to explain the causes for the 13 may 1969 riots in kuala lumpur. dr mahathir sets out his view as to why the malays are economically backward and why they feel they must insist upon immigrants becoming real malaysians speaking in due course nothing but malay, as do immigrants to america or australia speak nothing but the language of what the author calls "the definitive people". he argues that the malays are the rightful owners of malaya. he also argues that immigrants are guests until properly absorbed, and that they are not properly absorbed until they have abandoned the language and culture of their past. ...more

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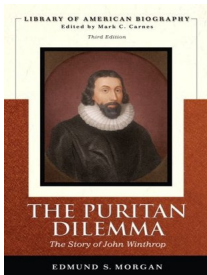
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	<p>THE DILEMMA DEEPENS: A SERIES OF UNFORTUNATE EVENTS, BOOKS 7 - 9 (THE VILE VILLAGE; THE HOSTILE HOSPITAL; THE CARNIVOROUS CARNIVAL) PAPERBACK (A SERIES OF UNFORTUNATE EVENTS #7-9 BOXED SET)</p> <p>three terrific novels from a series of unfortunate events by lemony snicket, includes: the vile village, the hostile hospital, and the carnivorous carnival.</p>	<p>Readable/Downloadable</p>
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THE LITTLE BOOK OF THIN: FOODTRAINERS PLAN-IT-TO-LOSE-IT SOLUTIONS FOR EVERY DIET DILEMMA

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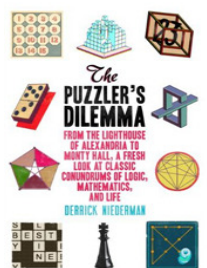
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THE PURITAN DILEMMA: THE STORY OF JOHN WINTHROP (LIBRARY OF AMERICAN BIOGRAPHY)

caught between the ideals of god’s law and the practical needs of the people, john winthrop walked a line few could tread. in every aspect of our society today we see the workings of the tension between individual freedom and the demands of authority. here is the story of the people that brought this idea to our shores: the puritans. edmund morgan relates the hardships caught between the ideals of god’s law and the practical needs of the people, john winthrop walked a line few could tread. in every aspect of our society today we see the workings of the tension between individual freedom and the demands of authority. here is the story of the people that brought this idea to our shores: the puritans. edmund morgan relates the hardships and triumphs of the puritan movement through this vivid account of its most influential leader, john winthrop. the titles in the library of american biography series make ideal supplements for american history survey courses or other courses in american history where figures in history are explored. paperback, brief, and inexpensive, each interpretive biography in this series focuses on a figure whose actions and ideas significantly influenced the course of american history and national life. in addition, each biography relates the life of its subject to the broader themes and developments of the times. ...more


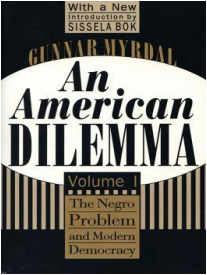
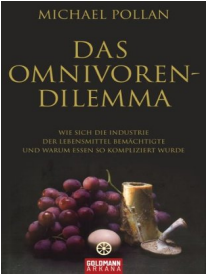
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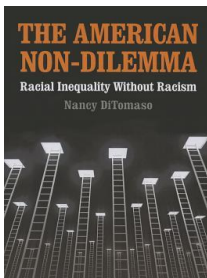


THE PUZZLER'S DILEMMA: FROM THE LIGHTHOUSE OF ALEXANDRIA TO MONTY HALL, A FRESH LOOK AT CLASSIC CONUNDRUMS OF LOGIC, MATHEMATICS, AND LIFE

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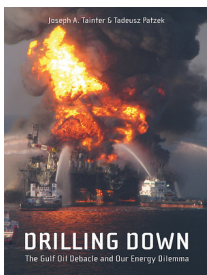
	<p>HORACE'S COMPROMISE: THE DILEMMA OF THE AMERICAN HIGH SCHOOL: THE FIRST REPORT FROM A STUDY OF HIGH SCHOOLS</p> <p>first published in 1984, this best-selling classic is theodore sizer's call to arms for school reform. in the new preface, sizer addresses the encouraging movements afoot today for better schools, smaller classes, and fully educated students. yet, while much has changed for the better in the classroom, much remains the same: rushed classes, mindless tests, overworked teachers.</p> <p>first published in 1984, this best-selling classic is theodore sizer's call to arms for school reform. in the new preface, sizer addresses the encouraging movements afoot today for better schools, smaller classes, and fully educated students. yet, while much has changed for the better in the classroom, much remains the same: rushed classes, mindless tests, overworked teachers. sizer's insistence that we do more than just compromise for our children's educational futures resonates just as strongly today as it did two decades ago. ...more</p>	<p>Readable/Downloadable</p>
	<p>AN AMERICAN DILEMMA: THE NEGRO PROBLEM AND MODERN DEMOCRACY VOL 1</p> <p>in this landmark effort to understand african american people in the new world, gunnar myrdal provides deep insight into the contradictions of american democracy as well as a study of a people within a people. the title of the book, an american dilemma, refers to the moral contradiction of a nation torn between allegiance to its highest ideals and awareness of the base realities of racial discrimination. the touchstone of this classic is the jarring discrepancy between the american creed of respect for the inalienable rights to freedom, justice, and opportunity for all and the pervasive violations of the dignity of blacks. the appendices are a gold mine of information, theory, and methodology. indeed, two of the appendices were issued as a separate work given their importance for systematic theory in social research. the new introduction by sissela bok offers a remarkably intimate yet rigorously objective appraisal of myrdal--a social scientist who wanted to see himself as an analytic intellectual, yet had an unbending desire to bring about change. an american dilemma is testimonial to the man as well as the ideas he espoused. when it first appeared an american dilemma was called "the most penetrating and important book on contemporary american civilization" by robert s. lynd; "one of the best political commentaries on american life that has ever been written" in the american political science review; and a book with "a novelty and a courage seldom found in american discussions either of our total society or of the part which the negro plays in it" in the american sociological review. it is a foundation work for all those concerned with the history and current status of race relations in the united states. ...more</p>	<p>Readable/Downloadable</p>
	<p>DAS OMNIVOREN-DILEMMA: WIE SICH DIE INDUSTRIE DER LEBENSMITTEL BEMÄCHTIGTE UND WARUM ESSEN SO KOMPLIZIERT WURDE (GERMAN EDITION)</p> <p>das standardwerk über vernünftige ernährung der mensch gehört von der konsitution seiner verdauungsorgane her zu den omnivoren, den allesfressern. das war in der evolution sicherlich nützlich. doch das heutige Überangebot von nahrungsmitteln in supermärkten und schnellrestaurants bringt nicht nur ihn selbst körperlich an den rand des abgrunds, sondern ruiniert auch noch s das standardwerk über vernünftige ernährung der mensch gehört von der konsitution seiner verdauungsorgane her zu den omnivoren, den allesfressern. das war in der evolution sicherlich nützlich. doch das heutige Überangebot von nahrungsmitteln in supermärkten und schnellrestaurants bringt nicht nur ihn selbst körperlich an den rand des abgrunds, sondern ruiniert auch noch seinen lebensraum und sein soziales umfeld. mit biss und investigativer recherche sieht sich pollan um, wie unsere nahrungsmittel hergestellt und verarbeitet werden, vom maisfeld über cheeseburger mit pommes bis zum Öko-menü. er öffnet uns die augen für unser gestörtes essverhalten und für den weg zurück zu einfachheit und genuss. ...more</p>	<p>Readable/Downloadable</p>



THE AMERICAN NON-DILEMMA: RACIAL INEQUALITY WITHOUT RACISM

the civil rights movement of the 1960s seemed to mark a historical turning point in advancing the american dream of equal opportunity for all citizens, regardless of race. yet 50 years on, racial inequality remains a troubling fact of life in american society and its causes are highly contested. in the american non-dilemma, sociologist nancy ditomaso convincingly argues th the civil rights movement of the 1960s seemed to mark a historical turning point in advancing the american dream of equal opportunity for all citizens, regardless of race. yet 50 years on, racial inequality remains a troubling fact of life in american society and its causes are highly contested. in the american non-dilemma, sociologist nancy ditomaso convincingly argues that america s enduring racial divide is sustained more by whites preferential treatment of members of their own social networks than by overt racial discrimination. drawing on research from sociology, political science, history, and psychology, as well as her own interviews with a cross-section of non-hispanic whites, ditomaso provides a comprehensive examination of the persistence of racial inequality in the post-civil rights era. ditomaso sets out to answer a fundamental question: if overt institutionalized racism has largely receded in the united states, why does racial inequality remain a national problem? taking gunnar myrdal s classic work on america s racial divide, the american dilemma, as her departure point, ditomaso focuses on the white side of the race line. to do so, she interviewed a sample of working-class whites about their life histories, political views, and general outlook on racial inequality in america. she finds that while the vast majority of whites profess strong support for civil rights and equal opportunity regardless of race, they continue to pursue their own group-based advantage, especially in the labor market. this opportunity hoarding, as ditomaso calls it, leads to substantially improved life outcomes for whites due to their greater access to social resources from family, neighborhoods, schools, churches, and other institutions with which they are engaged. at the same time, the subjects of her study continue to harbor strong reservations about public policies such as affirmative action intended to ameliorate racial inequality. in effect, they accept the principles of civil rights but not the implementation of policies that would bring about greater racial equality. ditomaso also examines how whites understand the persistence of racial inequality in a society where whites are, on average, the advantaged racial group. most whites see themselves as part of the solution rather than part of the problem with regard to racial inequality, but, due to the unacknowledged favoritism they demonstrate toward other whites, ditomaso finds that they are at best uncertain allies in the fight for racial inequality. weaving together research on both race and class, along with the life experiences of ditomaso s interview subjects, the american non-dilemma provides a compelling exploration of how racial inequality is reproduced in today s society, how people come to terms with the issue in their day-to-day experiences, and what these trends may signify in the contemporary political landscape." ...more

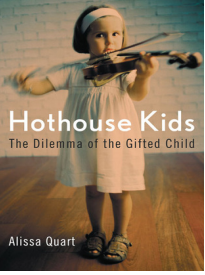
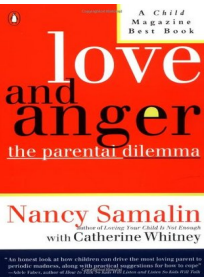
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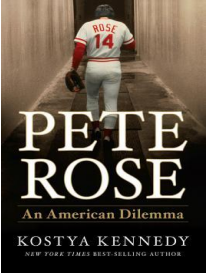
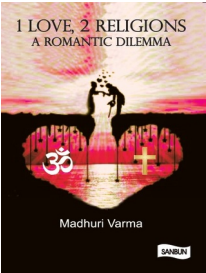
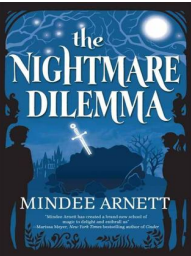




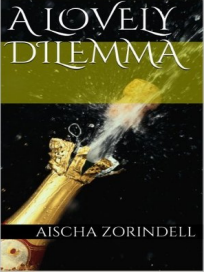
DRILLING DOWN: THE GULF OIL DEBACLE AND OUR ENERGY DILEMMA

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	<p>HOTHOUSE KIDS: THE DILEMMA OF THE GIFTED CHILD</p> <p>critically acclaimed author alissa quart breaks the news about an issue that will be of urgent concern to parents and educators as well as adult readers with "gifted" pasts: the dilemma of the gifted child. while studies show that children who are superior learners do benefit from enriched early education, the intensely competitive lives of america's gifted and talented ki critically acclaimed author alissa quart breaks the news about an issue that will be of urgent concern to parents and educators as well as adult readers with "gifted" pasts: the dilemma of the gifted child. while studies show that children who are superior learners do benefit from enriched early education, the intensely competitive lives of america's gifted and talented kids do have risks. the pressure can have long-term effects in adult life, from debilitating perfectionism to performance anxiety and lifelong feelings of failure. quart traveled the country to research the many ways in which the current craze to "produce" gifted kids and prodigies has gone too far. exploring the overhyped world of baby edutainment and "better baby" early education programs, she takes a hard look at the claims about educational toys and baby sign language. taking readers inside the ever-more elite world of iq testing, she reveals the proliferation of new categories of giftedness, including "terrifyingly" and "severely" gifted and examines the true value of such testing. profiling the explosion of kid competitions-from scrabble(tm) and chess to child preaching-she uncovers the dangers of such heated pressure to excel so early in life and exposes the prodigy hunters who search science and math fairs for teens to hire for wall street investment firms. critiquing the professionalization of play, she visits with kids who've been identified as prodigies-from a four-year-old painter whose works sell for \$300,000, to an eight-year-old professional skateboarder who is backed by nine corporate sponsors. surveying expert assessments of the necessary role of unstructured play in child development, she warns about the disappearance of recess and the pitfalls of children's overstuffed schedules today. she also profiles the growing divide in opportunities for wealthy kids versus those from middle and lower income families who are losing out as gifted programs at public schools are gutted in the wake of the no child left behind act. how should parents and educators draw the line? how much enrichment is too much, and how much is too little? what are we doing to our gifted kids? alissa quart's penetrating in-depth examination provides a much-needed wake-up call that will spark a national debate about this urgent issue. ...more</p>	<p>Readable/Downloadable</p>
	<p>THE HIRED HANDS' DILEMMA (THE MEN OF SPACE STATION ONE #3)</p> <p>ashley's little secret might cause boyd and keeton to have second thoughts about their bride once they land on planet alpha. they expect an experienced bride. when they learn that ashley is anything but experienced, they are thrown for a loop. what will they do? boyd and keeton are on alpha planet to help run the planet's only ranch. they expected a ready-to-bed bride but f ashley's little secret might cause boyd and keeton to have second thoughts about their bride once they land on planet alpha. they expect an experienced bride. when they learn that ashley is anything but experienced, they are thrown for a loop. what will they do? boyd and keeton are on alpha planet to help run the planet's only ranch. they expected a ready-to-bed bride but find themselves with a virgin wife. neither man is sure what to do. add to that the strange creatures that plague the planet and threaten the mission, and they are under a little pressure. ashley helps them come to terms with her situation, and they all work together to deal with the surprises that the planet and its inhabitants throw their way. ...more</p>	<p>Readable/Downloadable</p>
	<p>LOVE AND ANGER: THE PARENTAL DILEMMA</p> <p>winner of child magazine's best parenting boo of 1991. "an honest look at how children can drive the most loving parent to periodic madness, along with practical suggestions for how to cope."—adele faber.</p>	<p>Readable/Downloadable</p>

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	<p>1 LOVE, 2 RELIGIONS: A ROMANTIC DILEMMA</p> <p>a self-narrative compilation of a girl named sakshi as she passes through the very designated transits of her life. life would have been a lot simpler if the 'event' called love favored coreligionists. but unfortunately it's not so. sakshi's life revolves around her besties namely revathi, ryan and jake. ryan and revathi fall in love even before they realize that they are no a self-narrative compilation of a girl named sakshi as she passes through the very designated transits of her life. life would have been a lot simpler if the 'event' called love favored coreligionists. but unfortunately it's not so. sakshi's life revolves around her besties namely revathi, ryan and jake. ryan and revathi fall in love even before they realize that they are not from same religions to have a stable future in their relationship. will they be able to sustain their love while struggling to convince revathi's conservative and orthodox family? or will ryan give up on revathi at the end? meanwhile jake finds himself tangled in a relationship that he's not supposed to be in... sakshi's life is molded and mended by all these events happening around her as she finally finds her man which adds yet another love story into this compilation of a young urban girl trying to come to terms with her life. ryan and revathi's dilemma over love and religion, sakshi's sometimes-smooth-sometimes-bumpy life and jake's unfortunate befuddlement all sum up to an exciting and romantic assemblage.</p> <p>...more</p>	<p>Readable/Downloadable</p>
	<p>THE NIGHTMARE DILEMMA (THE ARKWELL ACADEMY #2)</p> <p>the second in a thrilling new fantastical mystery series dusty everhart might be able to predict the future through the dreams of her crush, eli booker, but that doesn't make her life even remotely easy. when one of her mermaid friends is viciously assaulted and left for dead, and the school's jokester, lance rathbone, is accused of the crime, dusty's as shocked as everybody else. lance needs dusty to prove his innocence by finding the real attacker, but that's easier asked than done. eli's dreams are no help, more nightmares than prophecies. to make matters worse, dusty's ex-boyfriend has just been acquitted of conspiracy and is now back at school, reminding dusty of why she fell for him in the first place. the magi senate needs dusty to get close to him, to discover his real motives. but this order infuriates eli, who has started his own campaign for dusty's heart. as dusty takes on both cases, she begins to suspect they're connected to something bigger. and there's something very wrong with eli's dreams, signs that point to a darker plot than they could have ever imagined. ...more</p>	<p>Readable/Downloadable</p>

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