

## Big Deal

Why is popular culture---in movies books and TV documentaries---expressing renewed interest in Jesus? And why 2000 years after His death does He continue to exert such enormous influence on our world? Tragically the search for answers has been made more difficult by the abundance of erroneous information coming from secular scholars and uninformed media sources. In this volume Bible experts and researchers John Ankerberg and Dillon Burroughs (Middle East Meltdown: Oil Israel and the Religion Behind the Crisis) sort out fact from fiction and provide answers about history's most controversial figure---who Jesus really was what He really taught why He died on a cross and the evidence for His resurrection and His claim to be the Lord and Savior of this world. This is an ideal resource for Christians who want to be equipped to answer the tough questions others are asking about Jesus as well as for non-Christians who are either skeptical or are on a serious quest for truth.

Stephen Foley spent twenty-five years as a vice president of sales for technology enterprises ranging from startups to companies divisions earning more than \$150 million. Through experiences during which his teams sold a billion dollars in technology, Foley became a complex sales coach-building, executing, and running plays to drive revenue growth for the companies for which he worked. Now Foley shares his selling methodology-the Psycho-Scientific Sales Process, a simple but powerful process for anyone in the business of selling complex products or expensive solutions to corporations and government entities. Incorporating real-life examples, he discusses nine topics that teach salespeople to become A-players and help them close multi-million dollar, enterprise-wide deals. From setting goals to understanding prospecting to negotiating the sale, Complex Sales Playbook presents a host of lessons and techniques to help sales executives reach their full financial potential.

One Million Copies Sold in Series! Christian Book Award: ECPA Medallion of Excellence Your kids know about sex. But what they've gathered from TV, other kids, or the internet doesn't tell them everything or answer all of their questions. What's the Big Deal? was written to help parents provide the answers to their 8-to-12-year-olds. This book explains the basic facts about sex and related issues such as: Why God made adults so that they want to have sex What God actually says in the Bible about sex and why it's designed for marriage The amazing changes ahead of you during puberty How to respond when you feel sexual pressure from friends, TV shows, movies, and magazines Your kids can read this book with you so you can discuss it together. This provides them the safe space to ask hard questions they might find embarrassing. The book will help kids understand what a beautiful and exciting gift from God sexuality is meant to be. Now revised and updated with: Separate chapters on puberty for boys and girls A chapter on the dangers of pornography An expanded age range (formerly 8 to 11, now 8 to 12)

This Gag Gift Book series offers you a different way to give gifts to that special someone or to someone that has everything. The interior is useless. Loaded with silly phrases, Stupid quotes, plenty of places to make personal notes, and lots of doodle art pages to show off your artistic abilities. Look for all other titles and embarrassing gift ideas. Birthdays, special occasions, anniversaries, or just buy one and pretend to read it to see all the strange looks you will receive. There are no boundaries here with Gag gift books by Mr. G HudLook for more info at Gregory Hudson Books on Facebooks. There, you see the serious side of this author and professional novels available worldwide.

The "Big Deal" looked like a good deal, a true win-win. But while the Big Deal has lowered the rate of serial price inflation, for many libraries the pricing remains unsustainable. Nearly half of libraries have seen substantial increases in serial spending during the past ten years. Where does your institution fall on the scale? Drawing from National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) data, Crawford presents a thorough study, crunching the numbers of a survey of 2,594 academic libraries through 83 revealing charts and graphs. Examining data organized by groups of academic libraries, and broken down by library size, sector, and Carnegie Classification, this issue of Library Technology Reports offers such findings and explanations as: Summary of number of institutions and full-time equivalent students Tables plotting key figures from 2002 to 2012 Analysis of trends in spending and acquisitions, with notes on special cases Data on how the non-serial spending is hitting the 1,516 small libraries particularly hard Book-spending trends comparing liberal arts colleges to doctoral research universities or public and private institutions Suggestions for improving libraries' position in the serial marketplace

"Lyme disease is a big deal. It's a very big deal for those of us who suffer from it, and it's a very big deal for those who care for us. I am afraid it will become a bigger deal to all of you reading this book as time goes on, as more and more people become afflicted with it; because I believe more and more people will. All around us our country is changing. The natural disasters happening from the east coast to the west coast are affecting our ecosystems in many ways, affecting animal habitat and tick feeding. I believe this makes my story an even more important one for the world to learn from--now, before the urgency of the 2012 Lyme epidemic. In reading this book, you will learn about lyme disease through my own personal experience. I am not an expert in lyme disease. I am just a victim. This is just my story." --Front cover.

Big Deal Bob Fosse and Dance in the American Musical Oxford University Press

Mrs. McNeal turns her class of nineteen tattletales into respectful classmates who know how to behave in a true emergency. Includes note to parents.

With this insightful, touching, and often hilarious guide, Roz takes you from Training Pants straight through to Big Girl Panties, with plenty of laughs and lots of valuable advice along the way. Rife with deeply personal, perhaps slightly embarrassing and often hysterical personal stories from the author herself, Put Your Big Girl Panties On and Deal With It is the guidebook for real women ready to take charge of their own lives. Inside, discover: --How to shuck those procrastination panties: Action Antidotes to the Top 10 Procrastination Perpetuator --How to untwist your knickers: Stressbusting for the rest of us --Aunties in your panties: What we can learn from the Big Girl Panty-Wearers who have gone before us --Big girl Valentine panties: Plenty of romance revivers and passion primers --Bodacious Beauty Britches: How to celebrate your unique gorgeousness

Poster advertises contact information and hours.

Dying Is No Big Deal is the title of one of the stories in this book, an international contest winner, and it titles the book. The author uses a technique he calls VISUAL writing that he developed as an audio-visual writer. He uses a camera point of view to set scenes, always aware of the picture that is registering on the readers mind. Action is quick and continues like a newsreel. The stories are much like video dramas. Lengths are ideal for a quick read during the day or at

bedtime.

Taxi - Grace, Grunge and Gravity is a collection of tales - an eyewitness account of the taxi industry in Australia. I write about drivers, operators, regulators, networks and, most importantly, a passing parade of passengers. Nightshift in a taxi is like reading a novel - the story unfolds as you are transported to another place. Sometimes it is a blockbuster and you are filled with excitement and anticipation about what is around the next corner, at other times you might need to skip a paragraph or two or, on a cold winter's night, perhaps miss a chapter.

As we consider the plight of our consumer-driven economy, it is easy to forget that money is about relationship: between individuals and between communities. In our current financial mess, it is worth reminding ourselves of community-based alternatives, and to look closely at microcredit, a model of peer lending to enable people to move out of poverty. From Bangladesh, from South Africa, from Ghana, and from the East End of London, we are given a worm's eye view of small scale work, of personal transformation, and the building of community. Small and local is still beautiful, and has much to teach us.

Thirty-Two years of marriage does not make me an expert on marriage, but should allow me the right to talk about the subject. Marriage is a big deal! It is a big deal because God has sanctioned it. It is a big deal because the institution of marriage is under attack. It is a big deal because the word, "family", has become a dysfunctional representation of God's intended purpose. Marriage is a big deal! I am excited that you have made a prayerful decision to do it, and to do it right according to God's word. I pray that you will utilize this book as a guide for your private devotion and public discussion. It is intended to make you ask, seek, and knock. I pray that it will cause you to search out the truth about how it is possible to have a healthy and enjoyable marriage.

Apply software-inspired management concepts to accelerate modern marketing In many ways, modern marketing has more in common with the software profession than it does with classic marketing management. As surprising as that may sound, it's the natural result of the world going digital. Marketing must move faster, adapt more quickly to market feedback, and manage an increasingly complex set of customer experience touchpoints. All of these challenges are shaped by the dynamics of software—from the growing number of technologies in our own organizations to the global forces of the Internet at large. But you can turn that to your advantage. And you don't need to be technical to do it. Hacking Marketing will show you how to conquer those challenges by adapting successful management frameworks from the software industry to the practice of marketing for any business in a digital world. You'll learn about agile and lean management methodologies, innovation techniques used by high-growth technology companies that any organization can apply, pragmatic approaches for scaling up marketing in a fragmented and constantly shifting environment, and strategies to unleash the full potential of talent in a digital age. Marketing responsibilities and tactics have changed dramatically over the past decade. This book now updates marketing management to better serve this rapidly evolving discipline. Increase the tempo of marketing's responsiveness without chaos or burnout Design "continuous" marketing programs and campaigns that constantly evolve Drive growth with more marketing experiments while actually reducing risk Architect marketing capabilities in layers to better scale and adapt to change Balance strategic focus with the ability to harness emergent opportunities As a marketer and a manager, Hacking Marketing will expand your mental models for how to lead marketing in a digital world where everything—including marketing—flows with the speed and adaptability of software.

This unique and funny journal notebook is sure to put a smile on someone's face. With a glossy, full-color soft cover this 6x9 108 lined pages paperback notebook is as practical as it is cute! The ideal size for lined journals for meetings, to do lists or even a diary. Makes an excellent gift for birthdays, Christmas, coworkers or any special occasion.

"Barry Bonds is a Hall of Famer. At some point, the best players of their era have to be enshrined. Period. It's part of our game's history." —Trevor Bauer, 2020 National League Cy Young Award Winner Sportswriter K. P. Wee asks the question that many MLB fans have been thinking—Should Barry Bonds be in the Baseball Hall of Fame? In his 22 years in the Major Leagues, Bonds, who played for the Pittsburgh Pirates and the San Francisco Giants, was: - the All-time Home Run leader with 762 home runs - a seven-time MVP - a 14-time All-Star - an eight-time Gold Glove winner As the final year to vote this home run king in begins, The Case for Barry Bonds in the Baseball Hall of Fame looks at his stunning career from all aspects including his personal life as the son of a baseball legend, as well as never-before told stories of his generosity and mentorship towards other ballplayers. The book also looks at the stories of his distaste for the sports press, as well as the role of racism in professional sports, and how this impacted his career. Join sportswriter K. P. Wee as he shares insights and interviews from baseball insiders, Hall of Fame voters and baseball legends, as he puts to rest the question "Does Barry Bonds belong in the Baseball Hall of Fame?"

Petroleum Engineer I'm Kind of A Big Deal A hilarious blank notebook/journal for taking notes, jot down ideas, to-do list, planner, etc. Blank lined pages, small lined notebook. Matte cover finish size 6x9 inches, 120 pages. Great gift idea on any occasion.

Lyme disease is the fastest spreading infectious disease. Tick-borne illnesses can be spread from the tick's saliva to the host upon attachment. The result can be severe and irreversible neurological illness if not treated in time. This book is aimed to educate on the complexities of Lyme disease through the experiences of the author and her children; in a place where the reader will find hope while learning about the politics of Lyme disease, intricacies of care, and the importance of prevention.

Authors John Ankerberg and Dillon Burroughs continue their exciting What's the Big Deal? series with concise, informative answers to the many questions people are asking about the major religious groups in the world. The groups in this book are so widespread that readers are likely to encounter their followers in their own neighborhoods, schools, and workplaces. Which makes it important to understand what they believe, and why. Included in this volume are Islam, Judaism, Buddhism, Hinduism, Mormonism, and the Jehovah's Witnesses. And for each group, readers will discover... the origins and history the key teachings and leaders the major writings the traditions and special observances how they differ from Christianity Ankerberg and Burroughs are masterful at focusing on the key essentials readers need to know. And they include many exclusive interviews with experts, as well as numerous fascinating insights--all of which makes for compelling reading.

The British Virgin Islander sold his Legacy for a bowl of porridge his hometown is bursting at the seams with the outsider to whom he's given Carte Blanche - unaware that his wings have been clipped he is now the endangered specie and must be watchful less he become like the Dodo and Moa flightless birds from New Zealand extinct for over a century. Marx asserts that history repeats itself, the first is tragedy and the next time farce. "In the Caribbean we often appear to be sleep-walkers reliving history and repeating the farce."

People can become stuck in many ways and for a wide variety of reasons, explains the author of Fatal Pauses, that rare book that both clinicians and general readers can benefit from and enjoy. Novelistic in its depictions of composite patients but clear-eyed in its analysis, the book offers a "3-D method" of addressing "stuck"-ness, which is defined as "not stopping something that is bad for us" or "not starting and staying with something that is good for us." The process of discovering why one is stuck, deciding to become unstuck, and then asserting the discipline required to do so is brought

to vivid life by one of the most respected psychiatrists of our day. The book's structure is logical and engaging: The Am I Stuck? Scale can be self-administered by general readers or administered by clinicians to their patients. This first chapter sets the stage for what follows. The 3-D method of getting unstuck is presented in a systematic, easy-to-comprehend manner that begins with a brief overview and proceeds to more detailed instructions and insights. Riveting case examples make up the heart of the book. They are not mere summaries but consist of thorough and detailed clinical descriptions that provide context, in addition to extensive dialogue and analysis. Several of these cases are divided into multiple chapters, providing a comprehensive clinical picture to help both mental health professionals and lay readers increase their understanding of being "stuck." A range of categories or "stuck"-ness is addressed, including being trapped by career choices, limited by obesity, paralyzed by an unsatisfying marriage, incapacitated by addiction, and imprisoned by the need to please. Of special note is the case example of a young man whose interpersonal relationships have gradually, but progressively, become reduced to computer-based encounters. The author's examination of this individual's fixation on video games and virtual realities and his escape from this cyberprison through treatment is both timely and compelling. Finally, the author provides an evolutionary and neurobiological overview of how we become "stuck," which helps the reader grasp the underpinnings of this behavior and learn how to become "unstuck." Written in a warm and disarming style, Fatal Pauses will find a home in clinicians' libraries, waiting rooms, and on family room bookshelves.

#### ANTIQUES/COLLECTIBLES

THE BIG DEAL... shows how to develop a stronger relationship with God and more effective spiritual lifestyle by taking small steps that lead to big changes. Been running for Jesus a long time (I'm not tired yet) Been singing for Jesus a long time (I'm not tired yet) Been running by day and praying by night (I'm not tired yet) I've gotta get going, it's a mighty hard fight (No...I'm not tired yet) I've been serving God a long time (I'm not tired yet) I've been living for God a long time (I'm not tired yet) I've been praying to the Lord a long time (I'm not tired yet) It's an uphill journey but all I've got to say is (I'm not tired yet) The old spiritual song lifts you, but you are tired. Or maybe you're bored. You're still going to church. You're still praying. You're still serving. You're still giving. Deep within you, faith remains. But you feel a longing. You're not seeking fireworks. You're not a pew-sitter, safe in some spiritual comfort zone, looking for a thrill from the Lord. Your trust in God is secure. But you feel a longing for something more, deeper, fresher. If you've ignored these innermost feelings thinking they're no big deal, this basic yet dynamic program that Bishop Vashti McKenzie has implemented in more than two hundred churches with astounding results is for you. Individuals who have had many years of Christian life discovered a renewed sense of calling and purpose. Even new believers were invigorated in their faith-building process. Bishop McKenzie prescribes very small changes-such as adding a mere thirty seconds of prayer daily-that lead to radical closeness to God. And building an enjoyable, meaningful relationship with the Almighty doesn't mean striving for perfection. Small steps-but meaningful steps-collectively evolve into intimacy with God. And the big deal result is greater ability to biblically address life challenges. The big deal is that you're even more available to serve family, church, and community: truly in "no ways tired." Increasing spirituality is incremental, not monumental. Mustard-seed-like increases in positive actions (and corresponding decreases in negative ones) yield mountain-moving growth!

In 1988, best-selling biographer Anthony Holden spent one year living the life of a professional poker player. His mesmerizing account of that year went on to become a classic of the genre, an inspiration to innumerable poker players and poker memoirists who followed. Big Deal is his story of days and nights in Las Vegas, Malta, and Morocco, mingling with the greats, sharpening his game, perfecting his repartee, and learning a great deal about himself in the process. Poker, Holden would insist, is a paradigm of life at its most intense, a gladiatorial contest that brings out the best as well as the worst in people. The heroes and eccentrics of the poker world stalk the pages of this remarkable book, along with all the hairraising, nail-biting excitement of the game itself.

Upon hitting the ripe old age of 49, in the midst of perimenopause, Laurie Condon started reflecting on where she had been and where she was going. Laurie was trying to grasp what was happening to her body, and how quickly time was flying. Laurie Condon was hangry and moody which did not help. After waking up every day grumpy because nothing fit, she was determined to change her mindset and begin appreciating the journey. Other phases of life had their downsides too. For instance, going through puberty was awful, finding a significant other was challenging too. Becoming a mother and caring for an aging mother was daunting, but then something happened...

The papers collected in this document cover the following topics: the debate over free trade, the Free Trade Agreement for Canada and the United States, the costs of free trade for Canada, why Canadian artists oppose the Agreement, an exploration of the pros and cons of the Agreement, and the history of free trade between the two countries.

This softcover notebook provides the perfect platform for you to record your thoughts. It's also a great gift for your loved ones. Dimensions: 6" x 9" (15,20cm x 23cm). Perfect for Writing: 120 pgs with high quality lined paper and white background. Multipurpose: use it as a Goals notebook, Blog log, Quotes journal, Inspiration Notebook, 'TO DO' Daily notebook, Brainstorming... Perfect for gifts: Surprise your loved ones with a different notebook.

This is a perfect funny journal that you can use to your meetings or work. It would make a great gift for a co-worker or your boss. This is great as a journal or notebook to write down your ideas, track projects or take notes of your meetings. Great gift idea for your co-workers, friends or family who like sarcastic jokes. It can be used as a journal, notebook or just a composition book About the book: 6

A hilarious nonfiction picture book from the New York Times bestselling author and creator of Awkward Yeti. Oh hey, guess what? The Sun never stops working to keep things on Earth running smoothly. (That's why it's been Employee of the Month for 4.5 billion years.) So why does the Sun get to be the center of attention? Because it's our solar system's very own star! This funny and factual picture book from Awkward Yeti creator Nick Seluk explains every part of the Sun's big job: keeping our solar system together, giving Earth day and night, keeping us warm, and more. In fact, the Sun does so much for us that we wouldn't be alive without it. That's kind of a big deal. Each spread features bite-sized text and comic-style art with sidebars sprinkled throughout. Anthropomorphized planets (and Pluto) chime in with

commentary as readers learn about the Sun. For instance, Mars found someone's rover. Earth wants the Sun to do more stuff for it. And Jupiter just wants the Sun's autograph. Funny, smart, and accessible, *The Sun Is Kind of a Big Deal* is a must-have!

Did you know that the brain is in charge of everything you do, every minute of every day? You know, like thinking about funny stuff and keeping you alive. Bestselling author Nick Seluk explains the science behind everything the brain does for you--from keeping your heart beating to remembering stuff, and make you YOU.

Bob Fosse is one of the most significant figures in the post-World War II American musical theater

*What's the Big Deal?* explains the basic facts about sex for kids ages 8-11.

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