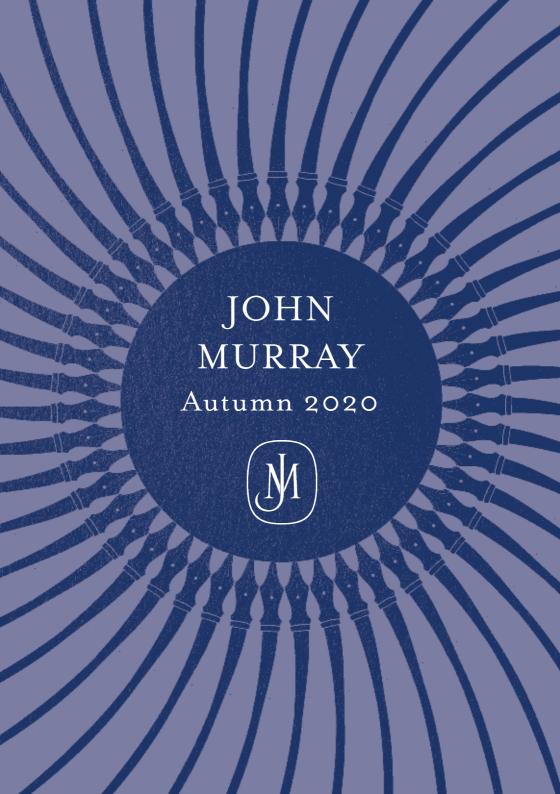




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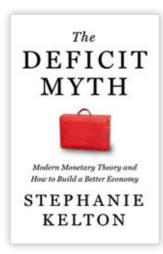






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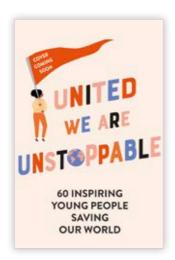
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ABOUT THE EDITOR

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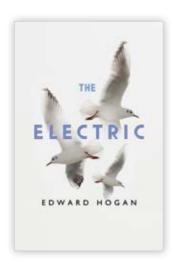
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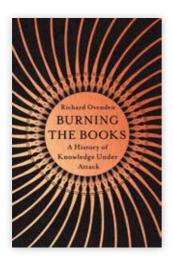
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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Richard Ovenden OBE is Bodley's Librarian at Oxford's Bodleian Library (the 29th since 1599). He is an Honorary Fellow of St Hugh's College, Oxford and holds a Professorial Fellowship at Balliol College, Oxford. He has written for the *Guardian* and *Financial Times*.

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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Gary graduated from Exeter College of Art & Design in 1983. Over the years he has worked at Disney, animated several Beatrix Potter characters, and directed *Fireman Sam* and *Horrid Henry*. He is also a prolific illustrator – he has illustrated the 'Sylvie Krin' stories in *Private Eye* for over 30 years. He gives regular talks on coping with bereavement. *Finding Joy* has been optioned by Sky as an upcoming TV series.

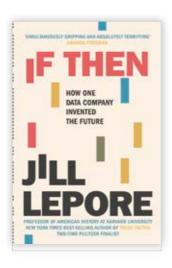
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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

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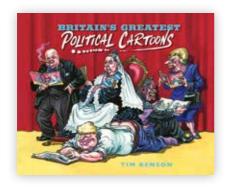
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Dr Tim Benson is Britain's leading authority on political cartoons. He runs the Political Cartoon Gallery and Café, which is located near the River Thames in Putney. He has produced numerous books on the history of cartoons, including *Giles's War*, *Churchill in Caricature*, *Low and the Dictators*, *The Cartoon Century*, *Drawing the Curtain: The Cold War in Cartoons* and *Over the Top: A Cartoon History of Australia at War*.

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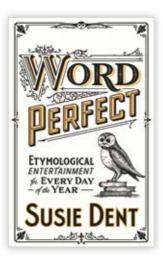
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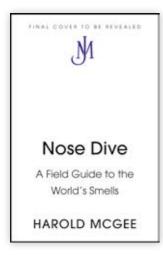
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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Harold McGee writes about the chemistry of food and cooking, and the science of everyday life. He has worked alongside some of the world's most innovative chefs. His best-known book, the Andre Simon-award-winning *On Food and Cooking*, was described by Jamie Oliver as 'a goldmine... one of the most important food books ever written.'

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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Stig Abell is the editor and publisher of the *Times Literary Supplement*. He presents a weekly radio programme on LBC, and pops up as a commentator on Sky News and the BBC. He has written for almost every newspaper in Britain, and one or two in America as well. He now presents *Front Row* on Radio 4.

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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

A'Lelia Bundles is Madam Walker's great-great-granddaughter, founder of the Madam Walker Family Archives and an award-winning journalist and historian. A former network television news executive and producer, she has appeared on ABC, NBC and BBC.

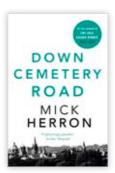
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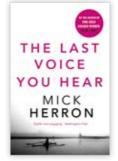
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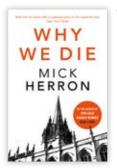


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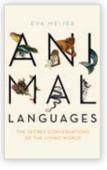
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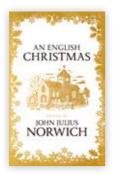
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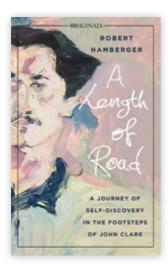




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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

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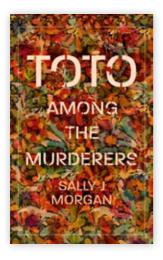
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Sally J Morgan was born in the Welsh mining town of Abertyleri, and grew up nomadically across Wales and England. She lives and works in Wellington. New Zealand, with her wife, the novelist Jess Richards. Toto Among the Murderers is based on her own experience of being offered a lift by Fred and Rosemary West.

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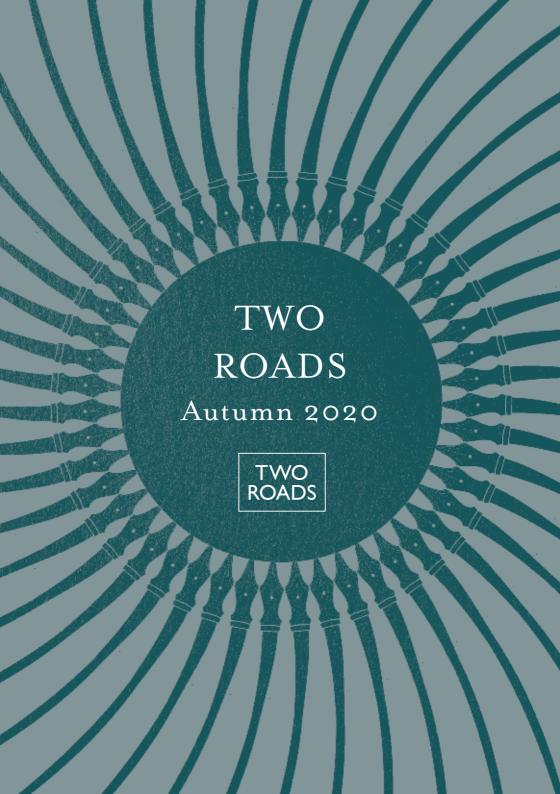
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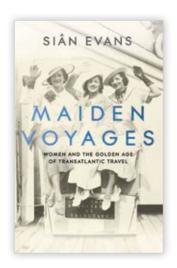




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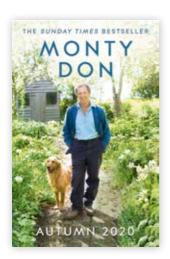
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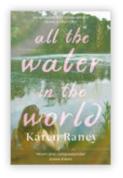
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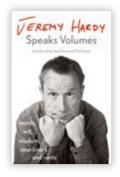
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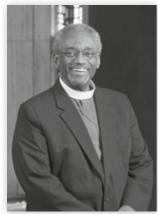
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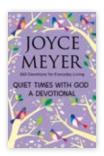
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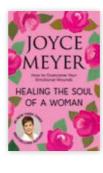


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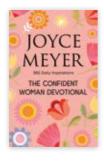


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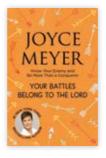


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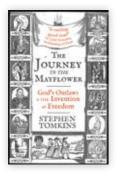
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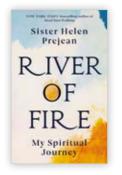
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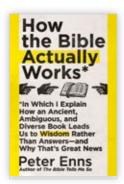
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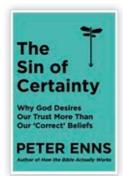


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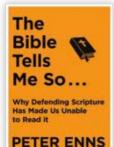
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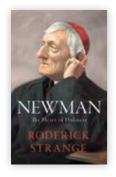
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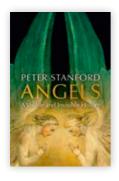
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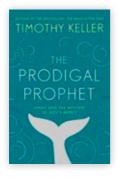
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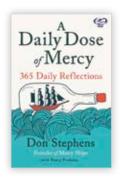
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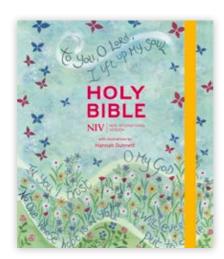


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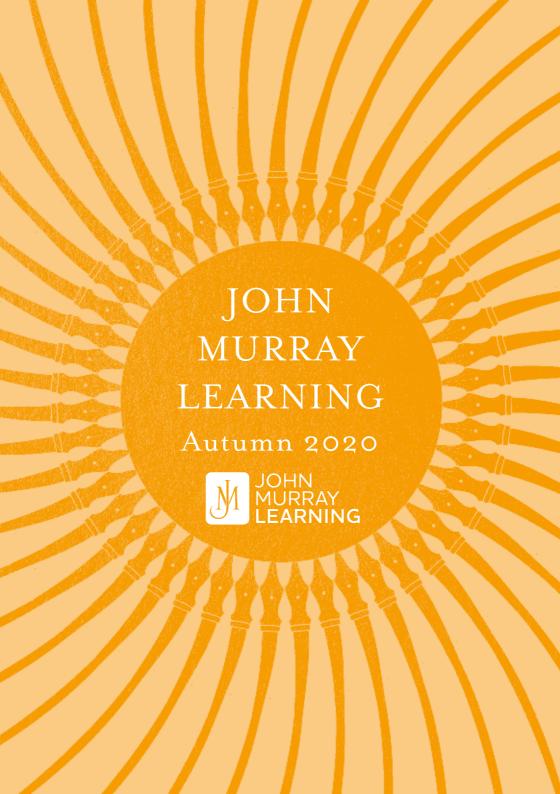
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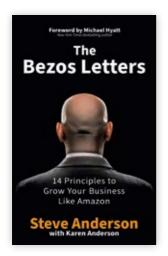
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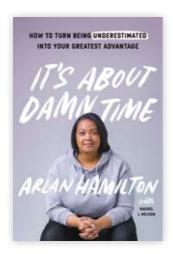
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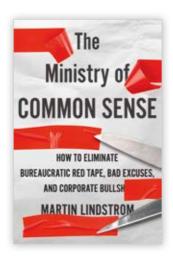
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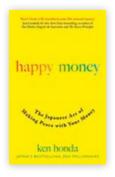
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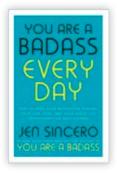
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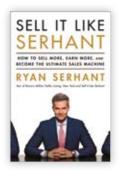
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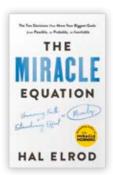
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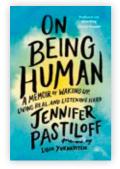
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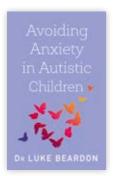
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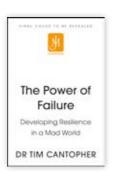
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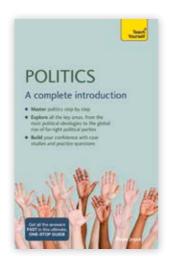
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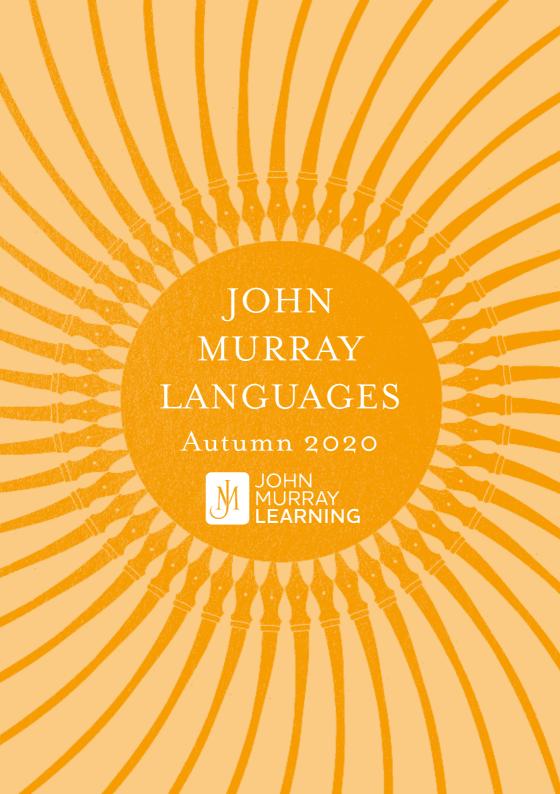
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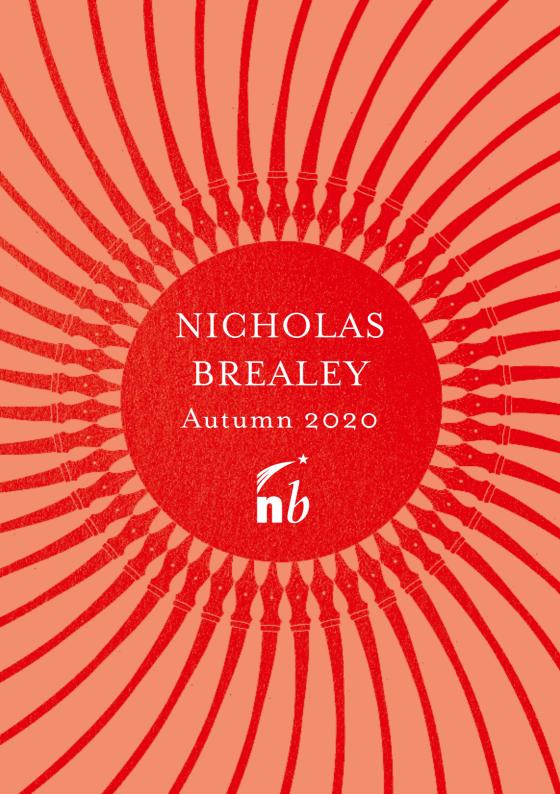
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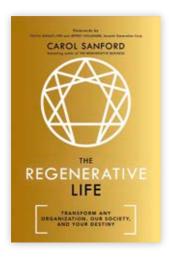




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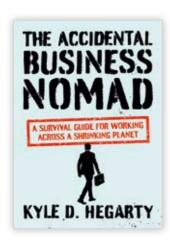
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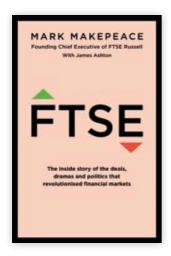
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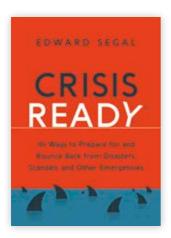
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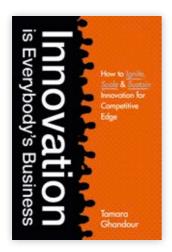
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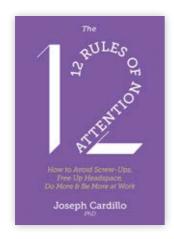
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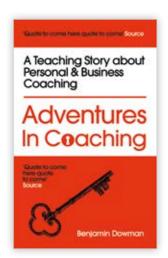
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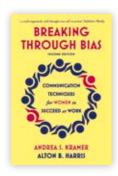
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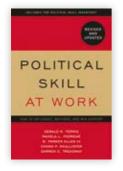
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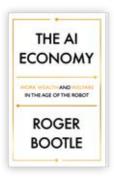
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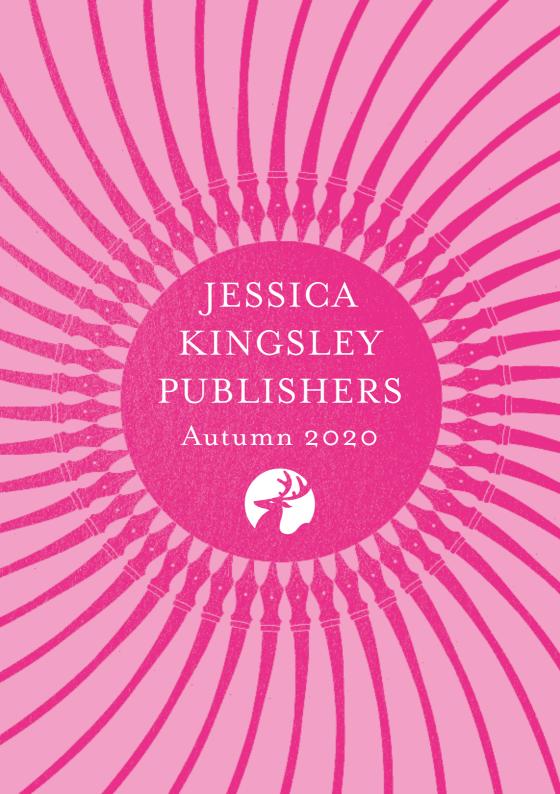
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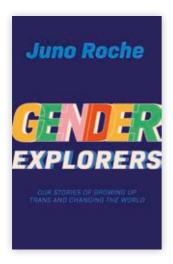




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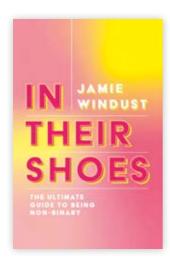
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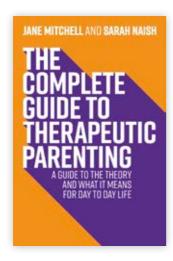
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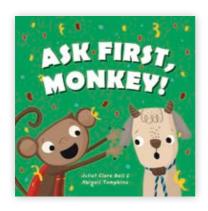


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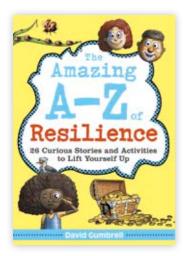
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