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Tales from the Parking Lot

Xlibris Corporation This is a collection of tales about nature, fishing, adventure, humor, history, and dumb teenage acts. All is true, at least as I remember things. Dont expect the Great American Novel, or for that matter a true biography. Youll find out a lot about me as it is, as you read. This is necessary to help you understand where these tales are coming from. Im not sure myself, but I had a lot of fun living these tales.

Tales from the Parking Lot

Lobster Tales

A Loose Collection of Essays, Excerpts, Screenplays and Stories

iUniverse There's A Lobster Loose! For more than ten years, five would-be writers have somehow managed to discard infirmity, tragedy, parental and spousal responsibility, sucky jobs, suckier prospects, literary rejection and the basic planetary pull of life's gravity to join one another in a unique collective of literary hooliganism that may not rival The Round Table, but certainly involves congregating around a table. Enter The Loose Lobster and this collection of essays, short stories, screenplay excerpts and other words which simply defy classification. Enjoy the read.

CoMa Chose Life - A Transformative Tale of A Corporate Manager

11 Steps towards Success | Happiness | Freedom

Power Publishers Do you feel trapped in the corporate jungle with all the cannibals baying for your blood? Very often do you think of escaping from this ugly dog eat dog situation? After every appraisal do you think you are not only being not given your due but also you are getting used and abused by the corporate environment? Do you want a Successful but less torturous office environment? Do you want Happiness in what you are doing and not getting sucked into unwanted mundane work? Do you want to have the Freedom to spend your time with your family rather than attending the forced parties of your bosses? Do you want to break free and live a life on your terms, while doing the work that makes the difference and adds value to your and other's lives. If you want Success, Happiness and Freedom and still want to enjoy the corporate fruits, then Scroll to the top of this page and

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Tales from Pinehurst

Stories from the Mecca of American Golf

Sports Publishing LLC This inside look at one of the most popular cities in America when it comes to championship golf shows how golf is more than a game, it is a way of life in Pinehurst, North Carolina.

Tales from a Grandfather

Dog Ear Publishing Bill Ball was born in Oakland, California on June 21st, 1915, but since his parents moved to Wheatland before he was a year old, he always considered that small farming community his hometown. Wheatland, population 500, forty miles north of Sacramento, was an ideal place to grow up. With fields, pastures, woods, and the Bear River close by, plenty of adventures could feed the imagination of a young boy. A deserted cabin discovered in the woods became a castle for Bill and his 11-year-old pals. They learned to swim in the river, drying off on the warm sand bar, then seeking shade under the willows. Chores included lawn mowing, hedge trimming, wood gathering, or helping in the machine shop and gas station. Attending high school during the Great Depression, Bill saw first hand how Wheatland residents struggled to maintain a decent living. Graduating in 1933 with a class of fourteen ended what had been an idyllic adventure and it was off to the big city, Sacramento, to study engineering. College opened up a brand new world as he studied descriptive geometry, calculus, land surveying, and mechanical design. Bill's talent for music found expression in a dance band, where he played saxophone and clarinet. After completing the program in Sacramento, Bill moved on to Berkeley to attend the University of California, furthering his engineering studies and still playing the sax. Spending summers working survey parties and having part-time design jobs prepared Bill for his first post-college career assignment. Going to work for the Henry J. Kaiser company in 1938, he took a giant step, relocating to Mason City, Washington where Grand Coulee Dam was being constructed. Leaving a fiance behind in Oakland was tough, but the starting salary was persuasive and the opportunity priceless. Thus began a forty-year engineering career that took him all across the United States and around the world. The war years found Bill back in California working for Kaiser in the Richmond shipyards where more than 400 ships were built in 4 years. He married Helen Hederman in 1940, and their two daughters were born in those lean but exciting years. With civil and mechanical professional engineering licenses in hand, Bill embraced every new challenging assignment from dams to dredging, from automobile plants to aluminum smelters, from water reservoirs to rapid transit systems. He started as a junior engineer and was Vice President and Chief Engineer with Kaiser Engineers and Constructors when he retired in 1979. In *Tales from a Grandfather*, dedicated to his two granddaughters and their grandmother, Bill relates stories of his boyhood, college years that were filled with learning about engineering, a joyous career that took him around the world, and the love he and his wife shared during 64 years of marriage. Bill still lives in Oakland near one daughter and granddaughter, meets regularly with colleagues from Kaiser, and is currently working on developing several short stories and a novel."

Life's Tales

A Book of Short Stories

Xlibris Corporation Life. That's what this book is about. This book is a compilation of several different stories about several different things, written over several years. They are about different peoples lives. From a Time Traveler saving his world, to a group of Freedom Fighters returning the US government to how it's supposed to be; also the history several different civilizations. It includes the life of Anne, who searches for her brother's plans for a renewable energy machine; also the life and romance of a few couples as they grow in friendship, then love. Finally, it tells the life's tales of two young ladies who can change peoples lives for the better. We hope you enjoy reading these tales.

Dark Tales & Twisted Memories

Bedtime Stories For Insomniacs

Seamus Coffey This collection of short stories and flash fiction are written as first-hand accounts of odd, disturbing and frightening situations. Each story is a glimpse into the darker side of human thought and experience. Proceed with caution.

Retail Tales and Nonsense

Xlibris Corporation Who Ya Bagging For? I have been told to bag for the cashier, the other bagger, or the supervisor. But very rarely have I been told to bag for the guest. This seems funny to me. Now if they wanted to tell me to take over for the other employee or the guest(s), that would make sense, but the easy, lazy way to communicate seems to be the only way they know how. You'd think someone that has the skills to do this job would at least know the difference between bagging for the cashier, etc., and the guests

The Sanford Tales

And Other Stories, Both Tall and Short

Xlibris Corporation A new piece of Americana came to life in the 1960s. It was named Sharpie. The chemist who led the laboratory work on the Sharpie project preserves the stories of the people whose creativity became the Sharpie Marker. Meet the team personally, laugh at their adventures and feel the pain of their losses. If you have ever used a Sharpie Marker, you too are part of the family. Get to know the original Sharpie family by meeting them where they lived.

Tales in the Key of Life

Short Stories

iUniverse In Tales in the Key of Life, a father and daughter writing team partner to share a collection of diverse short stories that touch upon love, betrayal, innocence, horror, and murder as a group of eclectic characters face a variety of challenges, each in their own unique way. Tiffany knows that fate controls her life. While attempting to find reasons behind the sudden deaths of both her parents, Tiffany embarks on a journey with her fianc to fulfill her mothers last wish where the supernatural is about to collide with a life-altering reality. Karen is drowning amid a life of routines. After she reaches for a life preserver she hopes will bring more excitement into her blah days, she soon discovers that her rescue may cost her more than she is willing to pay. Horace is determined not to use cocaine again. But as he waits in his van for yet another innocent child to rescue, Horace knows he is addicted to something far worse than drugs. Tales in the Key of Life is a compilation of seven short tales that lead others into the minds of individuals who will do whatever it takes to survive lifes greatest trials.

A Gangsta'z Tale Hip-Hop in Da '70S

Invisible Legends of Hip-Hop

Xlibris Corporation **THANK YOU FOR READING MY LIFE STORY. THERE AREN'T MANY OF US LEFT TO TELL THE TALE OF THE INVISIBLE LEGENDS OF HIP-HOP A BRONX B-BOY/M. C. LEGEND GANGSTALLY YOURS, M. C. EL BEE PERCEPTION OF LOVE** Poem written by M. C. EL BEE They say that love isn't supposed to hurt, but passive love never corrected anybody from the ghetto. The sign of true love's face comes to a world who has gone astray from its moral self. She rides high on the planes of open-mindedness; it makes excuses for its wayward ways, resisting anyone who offers true love, for true love in the eyes of waywardness often appears harsh, cruel, painful, sorrowful. Only the immoral sees love as passive to its corrupt self.

Travel Tales Monthly

No. 2 Aug 2014: Simply Great Travel Stories!

Michael Brein, Inc. **Michael Brein's Travel Tales Monthly** is a monthly bookazine release of simply incredible travel tales, told 10 at a time. Michael Brein, aka **The Travel Psychologist** has made it his life's passion to interview, now more than 1,750 world adventurers and travelers he has met throughout his world travels to more than 125 countries over the last four decades. "You wouldn't believe the incredible stories people have told me about their travels," says Michael when he talks about the nearly 10,000 travel tales he has amassed over the years in this way. Stories run the gamut of the good, the wonderful, and the magical, as well as, indeed, the bad, the horrible, and the truly horrific! These are--simply stated--great stories! Stories are told mainly in the present tense by interviewees, but, sadly, some are revealed about travelers who unfortunately did not live to tell their tales. These have often been related by weary, bleary-eyed travelers who felt that these tales should also be told. Into the pages of **Travel Tales Monthly** and then into the volumes of **The Travel Psychologist Travel Tales Series** ebooks will go the formerly untold tales of close calls, dangers, and great escapes; the mystical, spiritual, and the paranormal; meeting people, making friends, and incredible hospitality; harassment by beggars, hustlers, and con artists of all kinds; formidable characters met and phenomenal experiences had; and much, much more—all in the form of about 200 ebooks covering all sorts of subjects, countries and themes. The intent of **Travel Tales Monthly** is to present collections of tales each month, introducing you to the stories as they make their way into **The Travel Psychologist Travel Tales Series** in the form of completed standalone ebooks in the series. The telling of travel stories by Michael Brein via his **Travel Tales Monthly** as well as his travel tales ebook series is travel storytelling par excellence, but with one significant difference: Michael Brein is the world's first and perhaps only travel psychologist. Thus, he tells the travel stories with a particular, unique psychological bent—there's a lot of travel psychology behind everyone's sharing of their experiences. With deft and persistence, Michael hones in on and ferrets out the usually heretofore unexplored and untold truly psychological netherworld that lurks just below the surface of most people's travel experiences, bringing them into full view. For instance, what led up to a good or wonderful travel experience? How can we experience more of same? What was behind the horrific life-threatening or pickpocketing experience that got you caught up in that one horrendous moment? Let's unravel bad experiences piece by piece to see how this might have been avoided in the first place. Let's unfold wonderful travel experiences to see how these may be repeated. What are some of the philosophical and life-changing insights gained from mystical experiences in one's travels? What's it like to experience your roots? How does it feel to be the first white person that others have ever seen? How does it feel like to be touched by a stranger? What is real fear like? On and on, Michael Brein delves into travel experiences from the standpoint of what is interesting, what is to be learned, and what is to be gained? How can this be made to happen again? Or NOT at all? Michael Brein is sure that you will be mesmerized and captivated by the stories you read in his **Travel Tales Monthly** and in his **Travel Psychologist Travel Tales Series**. In this Issue (No 2 Aug 2014): **Michael Brein's Travel Tales Monthly Bookazine Issue No. 2 for August 2014** contains 10 among the best travel stories from Michael's huge collection of travel tales that he has gathered in interviews with nearly 1,750 world travelers and adventurers during his four decades of his own travels to more than 125 countries throughout the world. The 10 travel tales that are featured for August, as well as each following month, include a fascinating mix of travel stories as well as a few brief vignettes. The August issue features such hilarious tales as **The Speed Trap**, which describes the craziness of driving in Italy, as well as **Two Tales of Chuck**, an apparent 'miscreant who advances temper tantrums to get his way, though not always successful, by the way! A couple of travel tales touch on ghosts and the paranormal in travel. And other tales include **Crazy, Stupid Scoundrels**, which speaks for itself. **The Cane**, the feature story for this month, describes a mystical experience taking place in Morocco. Loren Ekroth, Ph.D., aka "Dr Conversation," is this month, the first of a series of guest contributors. Loren talks about intercultural communication in travel and shares a few of his own noteworthy travel experiences with us.

Holme Park, or, The Reverses of Fortune, a tale of real life, etc

The Makeover Tale of Cindy-Rela

A Paranormal Women's Fiction Novel

Ferry Tales, LLC Moving back to her hometown, she leaves all that is urban and rediscovers what it means to be alive with a forgotten magic and a drizzle of hot, gooey murder mystery. Iris is done living a life where everyone else calls the shots. Giving her slimy-dog of a husband the axe, she packs up her potion shop and moves back home to the sleepy fairytale town of Slipper Creek. Magical makeovers and baby dragons are all part of the fun. But it's not all side-splitting good times. Back aches and acid reflux aren't her only midlife witchy worries. She's stacked against a sentient long john bent on turning the town's culinary tastes to the gourmet and a gun-turned cat who gives the new meaning to the term hair-trigger. When a murder is added to the cauldron and her drama queen sister is the number one suspect, things really start to bubble over. A rule (or ten) isn't about to stop this 43-year-old from uncovering a scandal so delectable it gives devil's food cake a run for its money. But it's bubbles, bubbles, toil, and trouble, when Iris' fritzing magic takes a turn nobody dreamed possible. (Can you say midlife magic dragon invasion?!) Juggling her newfound powers while wading through enough clues to make Miss Marple shake her head, the game takes a deadly turn. Now, it's a race against time to stop the killer before her own death isn't one by chocolate. The Makeover Tale of Cindy-Rela will Bibbidi Bobbidi Boom its way into your heart with laugh-out-loud action & adventure, a cozy family of unforgettable characters, and a mystery that keeps you guessing until the very end.

Riptide: A Modern Retelling of a Classic Fairy Tale

Lulu.com

Tale of Life (Essence Series #2)

E. L. Todd When Calloway returns to school after the winter break, high school only becomes more difficult, and not academically. Beatrice, the girl who he's had his eye on since the beginning of high school, finally acknowledges him. Calloway doesn't understand what any of it means. They are still trying to locate the portal, and when chance strikes, they believe they found the answer. But now they have to decide what to do, Should they tell Weston or go on their own? Hawk's torments are ever present for Calloway. When it becomes too much, Calloway turns to his mentor, Mr. Avey, for help. There's only so much Calloway can take. With graduation, prom, and the Hara-kirs chasing them every step of the way, Calloway and his two friends have to stay a step ahead. If not, the game could end for good.

Midsummer's Tale

A Romantic Comedy

iUniverse Lake Yew Summer Arts Festival is in for a bumpy ride when L.A. director Jackson Stockade descends on tiny Hester College in rural North Carolina to direct the summer Shakespeare play. Stockade threatens a theatrical revolution when he proposes a hard rock version of A Midsummer Night's Dream. However, the resident Shakespearean scholar, Professor Howard March, has his heart set on a traditional production. Stockade and March find themselves cast as rivals.

Kiro's Tale & Yuri's Tale

Carolyn Crane **The Dragusha duo: Kiro's tale & a bonus story about Yuri Kiro: Savage Mafia Prince** He's like a beautiful lion. Deeply sedated. Heavily restrained. Everything about patient 34 makes my reporter's instincts scream. Ann I'm supposed to be doing simple undercover research at the Fancher Institute for the Mentally Ill & Dangerous, but I can't keep my mind off Patient 34. He's startlingly young and gorgeous, but it's not just that. He's strapped way too tightly to that bed. And there's no name or criminal history on his chart. What are these people hiding? My reporter's instincts are screaming. Here's the other thing: the staffers here believe he's so sedated that there's not a thought in his head, but I catch him watching me when nobody's looking. Our connection sizzles when I enter the room. When our eyes meet, I know he understands me in a way nobody else ever has. I'm supposed to follow my editor's orders—I have secrets, too—but everything about Patient 34 is suspicious. How can I not investigate? The Ski Mask - Yuri's Story Killing is easy. But how do you put yourself back together after the kill? That's what separates the men from the boys. How you put the monster back in the bottle.

Sacman "A Tale of Two Fates"

AuthorHouse **A narrow beginning that transforms into an emergence of knowledge, faith, lasting love, and back-in-the-day memories that would embroider the hearts of a group of adventure seekers while overcoming their fears.**

The Tale of the Dancing Slaughter Horse

Amberjack Publishing

Careening Through an Eclectic Life: A Surgeon's Tale

Dorrance Publishing **Careening Through an Eclectic Life: A Surgeon's Tale** By: Jerry M. Shuck, M.D., D.Sc **Careening Through an Eclectic Life: A Surgeon's Tale** is a collection of stories from author Jerry M. Shuck's life. He was inspired by two high school friends and teammates from Cincinnati to write a book after hearing his telling of some of these stories. The events depicted in this autobiography include Shuck's time in professional baseball, his experiences as an army surgeon, and many moments from his fifty-year surgical career. Follow along and enjoy the read as the author describes his most amusing and meaningful memories.

San Antonio Missions National Historical Park

A Commitment to Research

Highlights the San Antonio Missions National Historical Park in San Antonio, Texas, featured by the National Park Service. The park commemorates several Spanish frontier missions. Discusses the climate, facilities, activities, and special events.

Sounds Like Paradise: a Fugitive's Tale

Lulu.com **Sometimes a new life is not all it's cracked up to be. Especially an exciting new identity in government Witness Relocation for a couple of newlyweds who barely know each other, or themselves anymore. Just ask disgruntled Arizona Relocation subjects Lorenzo and Dr. Lucretia Valentino, formerly of beautiful Beach City, Indiana. Much like the merciless Sonoran Desert, things can get a little heated. It can also be kind of a drag, stuck in the middle of it. Or more precisely a dreary Nowheresville cul-de-sac apparently home more to the dead than the living. Throw into the mix a suspiciously paternal shrink and a sleazy serial killer from their permanently sealed past, an outlaw biker kingpin, a mysteriously absentee case manager, a precocious pair of newborn twins, the meddling long-distance in-laws, a cranky lady doc who despises the new government job not working with her**

beloved cadavers, a hopelessly haunted so-called safe house, and the nightmarish fugitive fun is just beginning.

Stories from Off the Grid

Tales of an Eccentric Family Stupid Enough to Move to the Modern Frontier

Dorrance Publishing **Stories from Off the Grid: Tales of an Eccentric Family Stupid Enough to Move to the Modern Frontier** By: Linda Jordan In 2017, Linda Jordan and her family traded manicured suburbs for raw land complete with bears, wild turkeys, and a driveway from the depths of hell itself. Living on raw land meant they immediately became their own engineers, electricians, and repairmen. A few years of off-grid life now under their belt, Jordan and her family offer this cautionary tale. Learn from their mistakes. Though it was almost a recipe for disaster, planting city folk in the foothills of a mountain range in rural America has made for a collection of incredible experiences. Fascinating, witty, and utterly original, *Stories from Off the Grid* is a must-read for any suburbanite who thinks they could survive in the wild.

The Amazing Tale of Mr. Herbert and His Fabulous Alpine Cowboys Baseball Club

An Illustrated History of the Best Little Semipro Baseball Team in Texas

University of Texas Press **Back in the 1940s and 1950s, almost every small town in America had a baseball team. Most players were simply local heroes with a local following, but a few teams achieved fame far beyond their region. The Alpine Cowboys—despite being based in Texas's remote, sparsely populated Big Bend country—became a star in the firmament of semi-pro baseball. Lavishly underwritten by a wealthy rancher with a passion not only for baseball but even more for helping young men get a good start in life, the Cowboys played on a "field of dreams" whose facilities rivaled those of professional ballparks. Many Cowboys went on to play in the big leagues, and several pro teams, including the Pittsburgh Pirates, Chicago White Sox, and St. Louis Browns, came to play exhibition games at Kokernot Field. The story of Herbert Kokernot Jr. and his Alpine Cowboys is a legend among baseball aficionados, but until now it has never been the subject of a book. DJ Stout, son of former Cowboys player Doyle Stout, presents a hall-of-fame-worthy collection of photographs, memorabilia, and reminiscences from Alpine Cowboys players, family members, and fans to capture fifteen years (1946-1961) of baseball at its finest. Nicholas Dawidoff's introduction, originally published in *Sports Illustrated*, tells the fascinating tale of "Mr. Herbert" and his determination to build a baseball team and ballpark that deserved to carry his ranch's 06 brand. One of the most heartwarming episodes in the annals of the game, *The Amazing Tale of Mr. Herbert and His Fabulous Alpine Cowboys* is a fitting tribute to a man, a team, and a ballpark.**

Luke's Tale

A Story of Unconditional Love

Troll River Publications **Luke's Tale Made The Spirited Woman Top 12 Pick List of 2013... "A touching, introspective story of human behavior from the eyes of a flawless canine!" Luke, an intelligent, 89-pound yellow Labrador retriever, has an odd ability to understand human conversations and actions. When his owner's girlfriend, Sara Colson, discovers she has breast cancer Luke is the sole secret keeper of her disease. Not knowing if she'll survive, Sara leaves her boyfriend, Ashlunt Jaynes, to shield him from the pain. Luke, knowing how to give unconditional love, is the catalyst bringing the two lovers back together and helps them stay together while Sara and Ashlunt overcome a series of life-changing events. At the heart of Luke's Tale is the story of two young lovers together and see them through their struggle with unforeseen disillusionment to build a lasting relationship -- and the loving, furry creature who is devoted to them beyond all reason.**

Blizzard: A tale of survival and daring in the Great Land

Lulu.com In 1971, Kat Mission, recently divorced, headstrong and independent, packs her belongings, her geology degree, and her five-month-old daughter in her old pickup and drives to Alaska seeking adventure and a better life. She hears of a hardscrabble mining camp deep in the Isabel Pass that needs a cook. Awed by her surroundings, Kat has found a home. After tragedy and betrayal, the small company faces collapse. Kat offers a solution, and moves into an arena dominated by men. Then Kat meets a man whose love and patience is challenged by her stubborn determination and misplaced loyalties. By 1975, the Alaska oil pipeline changes everything, and tens of thousands of people flood the state for high-paying jobs. During the boom, lawlessness and greed create excitement and danger. Survival is key: surviving her own hardheadedness, the wilderness, injury, a bear attack, cabin fever, two shootings, and a raging blizzard that traps her in the middle of a frozen river in the Isabel Pass.

The Hobo and the Dog: A Tale of Prayer, Pets, and Healing

Wheatmark, Inc. Abandoned by neglectful owners, a golden retriever must learn to fend for himself. Over time he develops street smarts, avoiding fast moving cars and net-carrying humans. But his newfound sense of caution can't quite overcome his loving nature. He risks capture again and again as he helps those who need him. After losing his wife and baby in one tragic moment, Barfield feels heartbroken, forsaken by God, and utterly alone. He becomes a drifter, crisscrossing the country, looking for answers and finding none. When man and dog meet in a darkened boxcar, Barfield has reached the limits of his endurance. He hangs onto the side of the speeding train as it crosses the raging and dangerous waters of the New River Gorge of West Virginia, preparing to leap to his death. But the golden retriever cannot ignore a human in need. The Hobo and the Dog explores the powerful influence of prayer, pets, and poetry. With great sensitivity, Tony B. Ratliff, Sr. spins a tale of hope and healing you'll not soon forget.

Kiki's Tale

Jeri O'Powell Kiki's Tale Kiki is an 11 year old little girl. Unlike most children in the galaxy, She was born and spent the first 11 years of her life on the pirate ship, The Twenty-Wun Stars. With her parents leaving the ship her first foray into normal life introduced her to her 12 year old Auntie Naya. The occasion of their meeting was a sad one, as Naya's mom was just killed in an explosion on another planet in a tragic accident. Kiki's first relations with her auntie are to comfort her in her time of loss Soon however they find the explosion that took her mom's life was not an accident. It was the work of a civil war fugitive, turned confederate president, turned ultra-powerful godlike hero. Kiki's comforting turned to exposition of pirate law that says when family blood is spilled equal blood must be spilled to satisfy pirate justice. He had to die, but what chance do two little girls on the other side of the galaxy have of killing the president of a confederate world with the powers of a god? Well if one is a powerful shapeshifting, genius, rehuman being and the other is from the high gravity world of Torrey 9... well still slim to none. Over three thousand years after the final battle over the soul mankind, between God, Satan, and Nefarious, destroys the earth, a new chapter begins. The resulting hyperspace blast from the earth's destruction flings the last of humanity into the furthest reaches of space on their surviving starships. Over a 300 years passes before these star cast seeds of mankind reclaim the stars, and begin to find each other. The first of the new worlds to find each other and reconnect old humanity on new worlds, would eventually form The Confederation of Republic Worlds. This union would be marked with the erection of the Jara Timekeeping Tower on Jara Prime, broadcasting a synced time throughout the known universe. This is the Jara Era. A Short Story Expansion form The Dark Son of Deslar, In the I AM Andean series.

The Skinwalker's Tale

Lulu.com Brett Taylor has kept a dark secret his entire life-the fact that he is a shape-shifter. Now, his strange ability has reached a climax. The shifting from man to animal has become unstoppable, and a near tragedy unfolds as the shape of a wolf consumes Brett beneath the moonlight. The team must intervene to help him. Tahoe Manoa, the Native American seer who aided Leah Leeds at Cedar Manor, has special knowledge of what is happening to Brett. He'd heard the "skinwalker" legends since childhood. But can he find Brett before his vision of a bloodstained wolf comes to pass?

A Teacher'S Tale

A Memoir

iUniverse It was never in author Joe Gilliland's plan to become a teacher, certainly not a college teacher and most certainly not an English teacher. But that's what happened, and he's never looked back. In *A Teacher's Tale*, he explains, how by neither planning for nor seeking a life of learning and teaching, lacking a syllabus or lesson plan, he discovered that a life in academe lay in his path—a path he's followed for more than fifty years. *A Teacher's Tale* begins in 1932 with Gilliland's first experiences in schooling and concludes in the summer of 1955 just as he completes his apprenticeship and stands on the brink of becoming a qualified instructor in a small college in east Texas. This memoir presents a collection of stories about his experiences as a teacher and a college student. A story of schooling deeply immersed in the arts and humanities, *A Teacher's Tale* shares Gilliland's love of the university and how it compelled him to seek a life devoted to teaching, primarily in the community college arena. Through this narrative, he brings together a philosophy of higher education based on the importance of arts and humanities in today's high- tech world.

Bull by the Tale

UNM Press These colorful stories weave historical characters with fictional situations to create entertaining images of the American West.

A Tale of Two Continents

Jetting across the Globe to Have a Baby

iUniverse Childless in her early forties, time was running out for Arnelle Kendall to have the baby she desperately wanted. Her work as a public relations executive required that she travel internationally much of the year, leaving little time for romance. In this memoir, Arnelle describes the long and often painful path to her daughter's birth—a path she says that was strewn with more obstacles than a mountain road after an avalanche. *A Tale of Two Continents* describes the many hurdles that Arnelle overcame to be a mother. A health scare added urgency to her wish and narrowed the timetable, and a life-threatening illness from twenty years earlier made pregnancy hazardous. Defying the danger, she decided to have a baby through in vitro fertilization. What followed was a heroic, painful, and numbingly discouraging ordeal that involved a series of trips from her home in South Florida to her native Johannesburg, South Africa, to become impregnated. Tragedy struck along the way, but Arnelle finally prevailed; she is now the mother of a bright, little girl. A story of perseverance, *A Tale of Two Continents* shows the extraordinary efforts of one woman's quest to have a child.

Finding Your Fairy Tale Ending

B&H Publishing Group The author uses her own experiences in high school and life to counsel teenage girls to find happiness in God and not in the material things of the world.

A Tale of Two Transformations

Bringing Lean and Agile Software Development to Life

CRC Press There are many books that seek to explain Lean and Agile software that offer theory, techniques, and examples. Michael Levine's first book, *A Tale of Two Systems*, is one of the best, synthesizing Lean manufacturing and product development with agile software concepts in an engaging business novel. However, there has been precious little practical guidance for those seeking to change existing organizations to become Lean and Agile, until now. Mr. Levine has followed the successful approach of *A Tale of Two Systems*, telling

two simultaneous intertwined and contrasting stories, to bring organizational transformation to life. Mary O'Connell and James "Wes" Wesleyan, recently engaged to be married, share a commitment to Lean and Agile Software. They have recently become leaders in two very different companies - one, stuck in a slow-moving, unresponsive, process-driven quagmire of a software culture; the other, struggling through the chaos of a sales-driven, process-less swirl. Together with their wise mentor, Neville Roberts, they identify two approaches to making needed changes: Drive People (a top-down approach focused on processes and tools), and People Driven (an enablement approach focused on people and organizations). Mary and Wes evaluate their situations and choose approaches that best fit for them, and the transformations commence. *A Tale of Two Transformations* differs from many information technology books by grappling with all the complexities of our organizations: the people, the politics, the financials, the processes - in short, the culture from which our Lean and Agile journeys must begin. The change model presented in the flow of the stories is generally applicable, and can help anyone thinking about how to improve their organization.

Wicked Lovers Bundle: 3 Stories by Shayla Black

Evil Eye Concepts, Incorporated **Forever Wicked** They had nothing in common but a desperate passion... Billionaire Jason Denning lived life fast and hard in a world where anything could be bought and sold, even affection. But all that changed when he met "Greta," a beautiful stranger ready to explore her hidden desires. From a blue collar family, Gia Angelotti wore a badge, fought for right—and opened herself utterly to love him. Blindsided and falling hard, Jason does the first impulsive thing of his life and hustles her to the altar. Until a second chance proved that forever could be theirs. Then tragedy ripped Jason's new bride from his arms and out of his life. When he finds Gia again, he gives her a choice: spend the three weeks before their first anniversary with him or forfeit the money she receives from their marriage. Reluctantly, she agrees to once again put herself at his mercy and return to his bed. But having her right where he wants her is dangerous for Jason's peace of mind. No matter how hard he tries, he finds himself falling for her again. Will he learn to trust that their love is real before Gia leaves again for good? **Pure Wicked** During his decade as an international pop star, Jesse McCall has lived every day in the fast lane. A committed hedonist reveling in amazing highs, globetrotting, and nameless encounters, he refuses to think about his loneliness or empty future. Then tragedy strikes. Shocked and grieving, he sheds his identity and walks away, searching for peace. Instead, he finds Bristol Reese, a no-nonsense beauty scraping to keep her business afloat while struggling with her own demons. He's intent on seducing her, but other than a pleasure-filled night, she's not interested in a player, especially after her boyfriend recently proposed to her sister. In order to claim Bristol, Jesse has to prove he's not the kind of man he's always been. But when she learns his identity and his past comes back to haunt him, how will he convince her that he's a changed man who wants nothing more than to make her his forever? **Dirty Wicked** After being framed for a crime he didn't commit, former private eye Nick Navarro has nothing but revenge on his mind—until a woman from his past returns to beg for his help. Beautiful widow Sasha Porter has been hunted by his enemies. Desperate, she offers him anything to keep her young daughter safe, even agreeing to become his mistress. The last thing either of them want are emotional entanglements but as they entrap the ruthless politician who arranged Nick's downfall and passion sizzles between them, danger closes in. Will he choose love over vengeance before it's too late?

The Tale of a City

Re-engineering the Urban Environment

Dundurn There is a complex web of infrastructure behind the day-to-day operation of a Canadian city. Flick the switch and the light comes on; turn the tap and the water is there; flush the toilet and the sewage disappears. But what price are we paying for these services that make our lives easier? In an age of blackouts, water problems, overflowing sewers, dangerously smoggy skies, and overburdened highways - problems that have led to an increasingly fragile environment with serious consequences for all Canadians - author Tony O'Donohue offers *The Tale of a City*, an essential primer in helping us to understand and improve our relationships with our engineered and natural environments.

Moose Memoirs and Lobster Tales

As True as Maine Stories Ought to Be

Down East Books John McDonald has been making people laugh for decades with his humorous yarns poking fun at people from away, people from Maine, and life in general. Following up the wildly popular *A Moose and a Lobster Walk into a Bar*, the "Dean of Maine Storytelling" offers a new collection of stories that will make you laugh till you cry and cry till you laugh. Here's a new round of classic stories brimming with half truths, stretched truths, and wry observations about life in Maine.

Stories for the Seasons

24 Tales of -- Courage Sacrifice Compassion Redemption Resurrection

AuthorHouse Courage, compassion, sacrifice, redemption and resurrection are recurring themes in the 24 short stories that make up "Stories for the Seasons" -- tales that take place at Christmastime, Easter, Valentine's Day, Halloween, and during the days of summer. Locales and time periods in these stories range from Southern California, the Middle East, ships at sea and Mexico to Biblical times, post-Civil War Missouri, medieval Europe and early 1900s small towns. Facing the challenges life thrusts upon them are assorted protagonists, including a Mexican boy and a donkey he rescues from the desert, a quiet cowboy who shows hidden strengths among a group of strangers, a sailor whose love of music reaches across the Pacific Ocean, a former Confederate cavalryman forced to face his tragic past, a simple-minded field worker whose life is enriched by a friendship that lasts two-thirds of a century, a lonely widow victimized by Halloween pranksters, a sidewalk Santa Claus for whom Christmas takes on a new meaning, a European immigrant confronted by town bullies, an over-the-road truck driver who unexpectedly finds love, the shadowy resident of a mysterious mansion, an elderly school cook who offers an unexpected gift at a graduation ceremony, and a pair of animal friends that befriend a miraculous stranger. The stories in which these characters and others appear were first published in a weekly newspaper column in Fayette County, Tenn. The column, "Country Tales," focused on various aspects of rural life from the perspective of someone who had lived in an urban environment the first 40 years of his life. The parameters of that column allowed the author to include the 24 pieces of original short fiction printed here. Discover the characters in "Stories for the Seasons" and rediscover within yourself the strengths they display: courage, compassion, sacrifice, redemption and resurrection.