

A Treasury For Word Lovers

The main character of a new book written by Ivan Korsak, a famous Ukrainian litterateur from Volyn, Arceniy Matsievich (1697-1772 is the representative of the second wave of Ukrainian enlighteners generation in Russia. The son of priest from Volynian nobility. The member of saint Synod. Rostov metropolitan for 20 years (it's the "lightest period in the history of Rosrov"). The Great preacher: he wrote 217 gospels. He passionately defended the rights of the Church from government interference. The lasting fight ended in defrocking and life imprisonment. The metropolitan had been judged "for perverse and repellent interpretation of Holy Writ and for ruffling of the lieges" for seven days. After the first court Catherine II sent him as a simple monk to the monastery situated near Arkhangelsk. Then he was brought to justice as a political criminal ("who should be excruciated and killed") and the czarina ordered to immure him in the casemates of Revel fortress.

* 746 wildly original puns on every subject from Arizona to zealous crusaders! * 14 ant puns certain to start a new fad! * Bi-lingual puns in English and Spanish, French, Chinese, Latin, Yiddish! * The best new moron puns since the Fifties! * You'll laugh out loud -- guaranteed! * Plus information on the first scientific studies showing the mental superiority of pun-lovers! A collection of twenty fantasy and science fiction stories by such writers as Orson Scott Card, Katherine Kurtz, Robert Silverberg, and Ursula K. LeGuin

A Magic Lover's Treasury of the Fantastic

Polygraph

A treasury of illustration

The Book of Love

Foyle's Philavery

The Royal English Dictionary; Or, A Treasury of the English Language ... To which is Prefixed, A Comprehensive Grammar of the English Tongue ... The Third Edition Improved

A richly diverse collection of classical Indian terms for expressing the many moods and subtleties of emotional experience **Words for the Heart** is a captivating treasury of emotion terms drawn from some of India's earliest classical languages. Inspired by the traditional Indian genre of a "treasury"—a wordbook or anthology of short texts or poems—this collection features 177 jewel-like entries evoking the kinds of phenomena English speakers have variously referred to as emotions, passions, sentiments, moods, affects, and dispositions. These entries serve as beautiful literary and philosophical vignettes that convey the delightful texture of Indian thought and the sheer multiplicity of conversations about emotions in Indian texts. An indispensable reference, **Words for the Heart** reveals how Indian ways of interpreting human experience can challenge our assumptions about emotions and enrich our lives. Brings to light a rich lexicon of emotion from ancient India Uses the Indian genre of a "treasury," or wordbook, to explore the contours of classical Indian thought in three of the subcontinent's earliest languages—Sanskrit, Pali, and Prakrit Features 177 alphabetical entries, from abhaya ("fearlessness") to yoga ("the discipline of calm") Draws on a wealth of literary, religious, and philosophical writings from classical India Includes synonyms, antonyms, related words, and suggestions for further reading Invites readers to engage in the cross-cultural study of emotions Reveals the many different ways of naming and interpreting human experience

The Muppets help children learn words and numbers.

A Treasury for Word LoversIsi Press

I Could Pee on This

ABC and 1,2,3: a Sesame Street Treasury of Words and Numbers (Sesame Street)

From the U.S. Government Printing Office

American Bookseller

The Card Catalog

This work is intended for word lovers and those interested in understanding the proper use of the English language and the proper place of colloquialisms and slang therein.

With more than a thousand new entries and more than 2,300 word-frequency ratios, the magisterial fourth edition of this book-now renamed Garner's Modern English Usage (GMEU)-reflects usage lexicography at its finest. Garner explains the nuances of grammar and vocabulary with thoroughness, finesse, and wit. He discourages whatever is slovenly, pretentious, or pedantic. GMEU is the liveliest and most compulsively readable reference work for writers of our time. It delights while providing instruction on skillful, persuasive, and vivid writing. Garner liberates English from two extremes: both from the hidebound "purists" who mistakenly believe that split infinitives and sentence-ending prepositions are malfeasances and from the linguistic relativists who believe that whatever people say or write must necessarily be accepted. The judgments here are backed up not just by a lifetime of study but also by an empirical grounding in the largest linguistic corpus ever available. In this fourth edition, Garner has made extensive use of corpus linguistics to include ratios of standard terms as compared against variants in modern print sources. No other resource provides as comprehensive, reliable, and empirical a guide to current English usage. For all concerned with writing and editing, GMEU will prove invaluable as a desk reference. Garner illustrates with actual examples, cited with chapter and verse, all the linguistic blunders that modern writers and speakers are prone to, whether in word choice, syntax, phrasing, punctuation, or pronunciation. No matter how knowledgeable you may already be, you're sure to learn from every single page of this book.

Annotation Papers on: the basic principles of terminology; dictionary construction; conceptual analysis of terms; computerized data bases.

Annotation copyrighted by Book News, Inc., Portland, OR.

A Treasury of Emotions from Classical India

Authoritative Answers to Today's Grammar and Usage Questions

Bibliophile's Dictionary

Holman Treasury of Key Bible Words

Best Sellers

A Connoisseur's Collection of Old and New, Weird and Wonderful, Useful and Outlandish Words

A James Beard Finalist in the International Cookbook Category In Jewish Holiday Cooking, Jayne Cohen shares a wide-ranging collection of traditional Jewish recipes, as well as inventive new creations and contemporary variations on the classic dishes. For home cooks, drawing from the rich traditions of Jewish history

when cooking for the holidays can be a daunting task. Jewish Holiday Cooking comes to the rescue with recipes drawn from Jayne Cohen's first book, The Gefilte Variations -- called an "outstanding debut" by Publisher's Weekly -- as well as over 100 new recipes and information on cooking for the holidays. More than just a cookbook, this is the definitive guide to celebrating the Jewish holidays. Cohen provides practical advice and creative suggestions on everything from setting a Seder table with ritual objects to accommodating vegan relatives. The book is organized around the major Jewish holidays and includes nearly 300 recipes and variations, plus suggested menus tailored to each occasion, all conforming to kosher dietary laws. Chapters include all eight of the major Jewish holidays -- Shabbat, Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, Sukkot, Hanukkah, Purim, Passover, and Shavuot -- and the book is enlivened throughout with captivating personal reminiscences and tales from Jewish lore as well as nostalgic black and white photography from Cohen's own family history.

Will appeal to anyone who enjoys language or who wants to learn new and interesting words. Includes 58 collections of words, from Acronyms to Written Words. There is a wealth of new material, including brand new sections on ``animalisms" (e.g., ``bullpen," ``catnap," ``as the crow flies," and more); words stemming from family folklore; a glossary for decoding journalese; colorful and intriguing slogans; a behind-the-scenes look at how dictionaries are researched and prepared. Includes the Guinness Book of World Records collection of over 2,000 synonyms for the word ``drunk."

Describes the history and meaning of hundreds of English words and expressions, and identifies each word's foreign source

True Stories of Life, Love, and Lit

The last lover of the Empress

The Royal English dictionary: or, A treasury of the English language

Language Maven Strikes Again

The Wordwatcher's Guide to Good Grammar & Word Usage

Hue and Cry and Humble Pie

Mother Jones is an award-winning national magazine widely respected for its groundbreaking investigative reporting and coverage of sustainability and environmental issues.

Reprint of the original, first published in 1867.

Wherever you go in the English-speaking world, there are linguistic riches from times past awaiting rediscovery. All you have to do is choose a location, find some old documents, and dig a little. In *The Disappearing Dictionary*, linguistics expert Professor David Crystal collects together delightful dialect words that either provide an insight into an older way of life, or simply have an irresistible phonetic appeal. Like a mirror image of *The Meaning of Liff* that just happens to be true, *The Disappearing Dictionary* unearths some lovely old gems of the English language, dusts them down and makes them live again for a new generation. dabberlick [noun, Scotland] A mildly insulting way of talking about someone who is tall and skinny. 'Where's that dabberlick of a child?' fubsy [adjective, Lancashire] Plump, in a nice sort of way. squinch [noun, Devon] A narrow crack in a wall or a space between floorboards. 'I lost sixpence through a squinch in the floor'.

The Choice Sayings of His Principal Characters, Analytically and Alphabetically Arranged

A Treasury of Thought from Shakespeare

A Treasury Inspired By The Greatest of Virtues

A Treasury of Lost English Dialect Words

Jewish Holiday Cooking

A Treasury for Word Lovers

Provides answers to word problems. Explains differences between similar words, suggests appropriate words and phrases and helps user avoid common grammatical errors and guides user in the corret pronunciation of unusually spelled words.

A guide to proper American English word usage, grammar, pronunciation, and style features examples of good and bad usage from the media.

From the archives of the Library of Congress: "An irresistible treasury for book and library lovers." —Booklist (starred review) The Library of Congress brings book lovers an enriching tribute to the power of the written word and to the history of our most beloved books. Featuring more than two hundred full-color images of original catalog cards, first edition book covers, and photographs from the library's magnificent archives, this collection is a visual celebration of the rarely seen treasures in one of the world's most famous libraries and the brilliant catalog system that has kept it organized for hundreds of years. Packed with engaging facts on literary classics—from Ulysses to The Cat in the Hat to Shakespeare's First Folio to The Catcher in the Rye—this is an ode to the enduring magic and importance of books. "The Card Catalog is many things: a lucid overview of the history of bibliographic practices, a paeon to the Library of Congress, a memento of the cherished card catalogs of yore, and an illustrated collection of bookish trivia . . . The illustrations are amazing: luscious reproductions of dozens of cards, lists, covers, title pages, and other images guaranteed to bring a wistful gleam to the book nerd's eye." —The Washington Post

A Treasury for Dog Lovers

& 1,999 Other Rare, Useful, and Delightful Words and Expressions

The Disappearing Dictionary

200 Greek and 200 Hebrew Words Defined and Explained

Standardization of Technical Terminology

The Books They Gave Me

Good news! America's master wordsmith strikes again with a new collection of witty, provocative, sometimes barbed, frequently hilarious "On Language" columns. Published in The New York Times and syndicated in more than three hundred other newspapers, these opinions from the "Supreme Court of Current English Usage" cover everything from the bottom line on tycoonese and the accesses* of computerese to portmanteau words like televangelist and Draconomics (the language maven's own for our bloated economy). Although Safire makes an admirable case for adverbs and adjectives, advocates of strong verbs will be heartened to hear that he also: pleads for the preservation of the subjunctive mood; delivers, hot off the college campus, the lingo in which 'rents means parents and yesterday's wimps are today's squids; ditches the brevity-is-next-to-godliness literary school; bids farewell to anxiety (it's been replaced by trendy stress or swangst); noodles over such weighty geopolitical questions as "when an intercept of a fighter is a buzz"; bemoans the loss of roughage to feline rides herd over the language spoken in Marlboro Country. More good news! Safire spices his own wit and wisdom with correspondence from Lexicographic irregulars, zealous readers and letter writers who reply to his columns with praise, scorn, corrections and nitpicks—anything to match wits with Super-maven. If You Could Up and Take My Word for It occupy prominent spots in your bookcase, then Lantern Maven Strikes Again belongs there too. If they don't, then begin with this Safire

work your way back. *That's not a typo—that's a pun.

A Book Lover's Dictionary of Masterful Words and Phrases & break;& break;How w
you feel if someone called you temerarious? What about ? & break;& break;Puerile
& break;Gormless? & break;Pusillanimous? & break;Irenic? & break;Sesquipedalian?
& break;Munificent? & break;Insouciant? & break;Lachrymose? & break;Obdurate?
& break;Sedulous? & break;Captious? & break;Irascible? & break;Obstreperous?
& break;Truculent? & break;Ineluctable? & break;& break;Now you can easily find out
what each of these words mean, and see examples of how they've been used by
and infamous authors. & break;& break;The Bibliophile's Dictionary is an exceptional
collection of unusual words and phrases, usefully organized into specific categor
as personality traits, religion, myths, and mysticism, and household objects. Each
has a definition, a phonetic pronunciation, and an example of how the word is us
literature. & break;& break;Enhance your own vocabulary by learning from the great
minds of writers.

Celebrating Your Best Friend Dogs have been man's best friend for thousands of
securing our hearts with their unwavering loyalty and boundless love. Join bests
author Richard Lederer for a fun-filled collection of rollicking humor, witty word
touching stories, and more -- all complemented by hilarious drawings. Celebrate
company of your furry pal as you delight in such wit and wisdom as... • All I Need
Know I Learned from My Dog • Ten Commandments for Dog Owners • A Dozen
Distinguished Dogs • The Difference Between Dogs and Cats

The Family Treasury of Sunday Reading

Garner's Modern English Usage

Words for the Heart

A Treasury of Unusual Words

A Humorously Enlightened Path to English Usage

The Royal English Dictionary; Or a Treasury of the English Language ... To which i
Prefixed a Comprehensive Grammar of the English Tongue, Etc

A collection of the best pieces from the famous magazine presents some of the finest nonfiction, poetry,
and fiction inspired by both the American scene and an explosive world

This beautiful full-color treasury of stories about gift book-giving celebrates the enduring power of
literature: stories of significant books people have received and what those books mean to them. THE
GIFT OF A BOOK BECOMES PART OF THE STORY OF YOUR LIFE. Perhaps it came with a note
as simple as "This made me think of you," but it takes up residence in your heart and your home. The
Books They Gave Me is a mixtape of stories behind books given and received. Some of the stories are
poignant, some snarky, some romantic, some disastrous—but all are illuminating. Jen Adams collected
nearly two hundred of the most provocative stories submitted to the tumblr blog

TheBooksTheyGaveMe.com to capture the many ways books can change our lives and loves, revealing
volumes about the relationships that inspired the gifts. These stories are, by turns, romantic, cynical,
funny, dark, and hopeful. There's the poorly thought out gift of Lolita from a thirty-year-old man to a
teenage girl. There's the couple who tried to read Ulysses together over the course of their long-distance
relationship and never finished it. There's the girl whose school library wouldn't allow her to check out
Fahrenheit 451, but who received it at Christmas with the note, "Little Sister: Read everything you can.
Subvert Authority! Love always, your big brother." These are stories of people falling in love, regretting
mistakes, and finding hope. Together they constitute a love letter to the book as physical object and

inspiration. Illustrated in full color with the jackets of beloved editions, *The Books They Gave Me* is, above all, an uplifting testament to the power of literature.

Offers accurate, detailed definitions of 400 key Bible words from their original Greek or Hebrew text.
The Stories Behind the Words

Pun Enchanted Evenings: A Treasury of Wit, Wisdom, Chuckles and Belly Laughs for Language Lovers
-- 746 Original Word Plays

Dickson's Word Treasury

The Royal English Dictionary; Or, A Treasury of the English Language ... The Fifth Edition Improved; to which are Added, the Lives of Several Eminent Modern Writers

Mother Jones Magazine

Garner's Modern American Usage

The word 'philavery' was specially invented to describe this book - a collection of words chosen simply on the grounds of their aesthetic appeal. Some of these words appeal because of their aptness, some for their obscurity, some for their euphony, and some for their quiriness. As a collection they will be a delight to all word lovers.

*Animal lovers will laugh out loud at the quiriness of their feline friends with these insightful and curious poems from the singular minds of funny cats. In this hilarious, bestselling book of tongue-in-cheek poetry. The author of the internationally syndicated comic strip Sally Forth helps cats unlock their creative potential and explain their odd behavior to ignorant humans. With titles like "Who Is That on Your Lap?," "This Is My Chair," "Kneel Before Me," "Nudge," and "Some of My Best Friends Are Dogs," the poems collected in *I Could Pee on This* perfectly capture the inner workings of the cat psyche. With photos of the cat "authors" throughout, this whimsical animal book reveals kitties at their wackiest, and most exasperating (but always lovable). Ideal for that "crazy cat lady" or "cat mom/dad" in your life this collection of poems makes for the perfect cat-themed gift for anyone who's obsessed with our feline friends.*

Relates instructive anecdotes about two thousand littleor never-used English words, dividing the words by subject for easy reference

Principles and Practices

A Food Lover's Treasury of Classics and Improvisations

Wit and Wisdom, Information and Inspiration About Man's Best Friend

The Grand Panjandrum

And Other Poems by Cats

A Treasury of American Writers from Harper's Magazine

Bryan Garner is the most trusted living usage expert of our day, and *Garner's Modern English Usage* is the preeminent guide to the effective use of the English language. With well over 6,000 entries on English grammar, syntax, word choice, punctuation, capitalization, spelling, and style, this book is adored by professional writers and general readers alike. In this major update to a timeless classic, Bryan Garner has dramatically expanded coverage of international English usage, making the volume for the first time a guide not only to American English usage, but to English usage around the globe. Interest in the English language is greater than ever; English is the lingua franca not only of higher education and academia, but of science, business, computing, aviation, and even - arguably - entertainment. An awareness of global English matters today as never before. To ensure that Bryan Garner's clear, unambiguous advice

resonates with English-speakers worldwide, more than 2,000 entries have been revised to account for the nuances of English not only in the United States, but in Australia and New Zealand, the United Kingdom, Canada, and South Africa. Not everything has changed: readers will still find the popular "Garner's Language-Change Index" which registers where each disputed usage in modern English falls on a five-stage continuum from non-acceptability (to the language community as a whole) to acceptability, giving the book a consistent standard throughout. Bryan Garner's tools for scientific accuracy are, however, fully updated: this fourth edition benefits from usage data generated by Google Ngrams, which charts frequencies of any word or short sentence in sources printed after 1800. With thousands of concise entries, longer essays on problematic areas such as subject-verb agreement and danglers, and meticulous citations of the New York Times, Newsweek, and other leading journalistic sources, this fourth edition of Garner's Modern English Usage provides priceless reference information to anyone hoping to improve as a writer - worldwide.

Love. Of all the virtues that have been passed on to us through the ages, from the great poets to the saints and scholars, throughout history and literature, love is the one virtue that we as a society cannot live without. The ability to love well and to love wisely is the most important trait that parents can pass on to their children. As children grow, the longing to share this love as well as receive it will remain strong throughout their lives. Bestselling author Andrew M. Greeley and his sister, Dr. Mary G. Durkin have compiled a beautiful and inspiring anthology that will help us comprehend this the most important of virtues and also help us express and understand what it means to love, and how to love wisely. The Book of Love is a perfect gift for a parent to give to a child, for relatives or friends to share, or for those who are coming to know this virtue in all its glory. People of all nations, creeds, colors, and denominations will appreciate this treasury of essays, poems, stories, and songs reflecting the one human need that has remained constant: Love. It has been written about in the Bible, and it was passed down orally in myth and legend. It was discussed by the Chinese philosopher Confucius and in the Koran, and it inspired great works of literature and the pages of popular fiction. The Book of Love is a testament to the enduring nature of our own good, a good expressed through the human bond. In the tradition of William J. Bennett's The Book of Virtue, The Book of Love is a collection to be treasured, and shared, but most of all, it will guide us to express and to pass on the greatest of life's virtues: Love. At the Publisher's request, this title is being sold without Digital Rights Management Software (DRM) applied.

Explains the differences between similar words and phrases, and provides examples of proper usage

A Pun My Word

Lawyer Hiring & Training Report

Books, Cards, and Literary Treasures