

Courting Danger My Adventure In World Class Tennis Golden Age Hollywood And High Stakes

Robert Franklin Bunting was a Princeton-educated chaplain who served in the Confederate 8th Texas Cavalry, popularly known as Terry's Texas Rangers, which saw combat at Shiloh, Murfreesboro, and Chickamauga. The manuscript consists primarily of ninety-five letters that Bunting wrote to a variety of Texas newspapers. Designed primarily to describe the unit's movements and actions in detail, the letters also strove to maintain morale as the Confederates' prospects dimmed. Unlike most Civil War soldiers, Bunting wrote with the explicit purpose of publishing his correspondence, seeking to influence congregations of civilians on the home front just as he had done when he lectured them from the pulpit before the Civil War. Bunting's letters cover military actions in great detail, yet they were also like sermons, filled with inspiring rhetoric that turned fallen soldiers into Christian martyrs, Yankees into godless abolitionist hordes, and Southern women into innocent defenders of home and hearth. As such, the public nature of Bunting's writings gives the reader an exceptional opportunity to see how Confederates constructed the ideal of a Southern soldier. Taken as a whole, the letters provide a glimpse into a little-understood aspect of Civil War historiography: the war in which religion influenced the ideology of soldiers and

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civilians. They also provide a rare first-person perspective on the role of the chaplains in the Confederate Army. Finally, Bunting's letters display an example of successful wartime propaganda: the consistent optimism maintained in the letters doubtless encouraged soldiers in the ill-fated Army of the Tennessee to remain in the ranks for four long years.

Former Protection Command Officer Eve Webb quit her job when a terrorist incident revealed that internal communication failures had caused multiple deaths. Now her former commanding officer and mentor has asked for a favor, and Eve can't say no. It should be an easy job. All she has to do is guard one female civilian. Lady Katherine Lovegrove is forty-something-ish in line to the throne and has lived a sheltered life until her father—a high profile judge—upsets the wrong people. She's not exactly thrilled to need a full-time babysitter, uh, bodyguard, and is even less happy that Eve is an anti-monarchist who despises the upper class. If Eve had known she'd be protecting royalty, she'd never have taken the job, but as the threat to Lady Katherine's life draws closer, she'll do whatever it takes to save her and may just lose her heart in the process.

With interest and participation in extreme and adventure sports growing year on year, the time is ripe for a thoughtful and analytical assessment of this phenomenon from a rigorous philosophical perspective. This collection of essays is the first single-source treatment of adventure sports from an

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exclusively philosophical standpoint. The text offers students a uniquely focused reader of this burgeoning area of interest and provides scholars with a source book for further studies in this area. Featuring contributions from well-respected writers in the field who each also have personal familiarity of participation in adventure and extreme sports, this is set to become a classic analysis of the intersections between philosophy and extreme experiences, encompassing essential related concepts of elation, danger, death, wilderness and authenticity. “In Robert Weintraub’s exhaustive biography, The Divine Miss Marble, he transports the reader into Marble’s vibrant world. It’s a dreamy, indomitable life worth reading about as today’s tennis tries to return to form.”—The Washington Post “An intriguing book about a fascinating woman . . . Highly recommended.”—Library Journal (starred review) “Delightful and engrossing, this is a must for tennis fans.”—Publishers Weekly The story of 1930s tennis icon Alice Marble, and her life of sports, celebrity, and incredible mystery Who was Alice Marble? In her public life, she was the biggest tennis star of the pre-war era, a household name like Joe DiMaggio and Joe Louis. She was famous for overcoming serious illness to win the biggest tournaments, including Wimbledon. She was also a fashion designer and trendsetter, a contributor to a pioneering new comic called Wonder Woman—and friend to the biggest names in Hollywood and society, like Carole Lombard and Clark Gable, William Randolph

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Hearst and Marion Davies, and members of families named Bloomingdale, Loew, and du Pont. She helped integrate tennis with her support of Althea Gibson, and even coached two young women who became stars in their own right: Billie Jean King and Sally Ride. Yet her private life provoked constant speculation while she was alive, and her own memoirs added layers of legend upon stories. According to Alice, she married a man who was killed in the skies over Europe during World War II. But who was the man she loved, and had he even existed? She was widely known for her patriotism during World War II. Had she really nearly given her life for her country as a spy, shot during a wild car chase fleeing foreign espionage agents? In The Divine Miss Marble, bestselling author Robert Weintraub traveled the country to uncover her fascinating story. And the more he learned about her, the more her mysteries and contradictions deepened. Alice was a powerful woman who knew her worth, demanding equal pay to men decades earlier than other female athletes; yet she was held in sway by a domineering, highly successful coach with whom she had a volatile relationship. She was renowned for her California style, and had a brilliant mind and the guts to overcome a lifetime of physical trauma. For the first time here, we come closer than ever before to the truths of this unforgettable life, and somehow it's a story even more extraordinary than everything we already know about the divine Alice Marble.

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***Kitty Hawk and the Hunt for Hemingway's Ghost
Courting Danger***

Philosophy, Risk and Adventure Sports

The Works of W. Harrison Ainsworth, Esq: Auriol

The Glittering Court

Auriol. [Followed by] The old London merchant [and] A night's adventure in Rome. [retaining the publisher's boards].

Your child's mind is like a garden that needs tending. If you water it with knowledge, then it will grow and bloom. Treat this activity book as the water that helps the garden grow. There are plenty of exercises to do so there's no room for boredom. What are you waiting for? Secure a copy today!

Ten year old Edwin is surprised to learn that he will be travelling to America on the famous new Titanic. Even more shocking is that he will be going with grandparents he has never known. Why does his mother want to send him away? Edwin explores the ship, meeting men such as Thomas Andrews, Bruce Ismay, and Captain Smith. Along the way, he also learns secrets about his own family's past. When the ship sinks and Edwin ends up in a lifeboat separated from everyone he knows, he wonders if he has survived the worst only to be abandoned in the middle of the Atlantic.

Have you ever wondered: What it's like to daily bet hundreds of thousands of dollars working for some of the largest professional gamblers in Las Vegas? ... How to spend a

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summer house sitting one of the biggest stars in the world's 11,000 square-foot mansion - without an invitation from it's celebrity owner ... Whether the life of crime - specifically, running a shoplifting ring in a middle American mall - pays? ... What causes a son to finally say enough is enough ... and decide "Today is the day I am going to kill my dad." Comedian Brandt Tobler has the answers in this funny, touching and sometimes downright unbelievable memoir of a small town Wyoming-kid turned "mall-fia" don, turned nationally touring comic. Brand tells his life story with candor, detailing the many pit stops, wrong turns, crazy connections and lucky breaks he experienced along the way to his comedy career, all while trying to balance a toxic relationship with his unreliable jailbird dad. In these pages Brandt will make you laugh (he better - it's his job!) and believe as he does that, when it comes to defining family, blood isn't always thicker than water. -- back cover.

Waltzing Australia was born out of a dream-and a journey. After walking away from her corporate career, Cynthia Clampitt headed to Australia, to start over, to write, and to test the limits of what she could do. Waltzing Australia recounts that joyous adventure. It is a story about change and about making dreams come true. But more than that, it is about Australia: the history, legends and art, both European and Aboriginal; the beauty, the challenge, the people, the land. From Sydney to Perth, Tasmania to Darwin, tropics to desert, city to wilderness, Clampitt carries the reader along on an exhilarating grand tour of a fascinating country. With a writing style

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reminiscent of Annie Dillard, she captures the essence of the land Down Under and invites others to fall in love with Australia.

A Remarkable True Story of Adventure and Survival in the Amazon Jungle

A Titanic Adventure

Plain Molly

Turbulent Waves

Seeing Danger

Our Magic Bunk Bed

Two months into a solo source-to-sea navigation of the Amazon river, adventurer, Davey du Plessis, was ambushed and shot within the isolated jungles of Peru. The adventure turned into an intense moment-to-moment struggle to survive as he made his way, wounded, through the dense jungle, seeking rescue and safety. Choosing To Live is Davey's personal account of his Amazon experience. He retells the remarkable story with an endearing openness, while sharing unique insights into the power of compassion and his ability to maintain motivation in his balance between life and death.

Lord Devonshire Sinclair understands his family's heightened senses are a result of a long ago pact between the Sinclairs and the powerful Raven family. To Honor and Protect is their creed. He has also accepted that no woman could live at his side and understand what he is capable of...until now. Miss Lilliana Braithwaite

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has always appeared a woman of little sense, with a tendency to dress like a color-blind field mouse. Dev had, for two years, ignored her until one night he finds her on the streets of London, attempting to rescue a child, and thereby hurling herself into danger. From that day forth everything between them changes, and in Lilly he finds the woman who could tame his heart. However, she does not appear convinced by that fact. With only a matter of months before she receives her inheritance Lilly is determined to hold her secrets close. No easy task when Lord Sinclair seems equally determined to meddle in her affairs. Lilly tries to repel him, but finds herself weakening as he rescues her from the fiend intent on disrupting her plans. Soon she can not walk away from Dev, but can she allow herself to trust him enough to give him her heart?

This bedtime book is about three little adventurers; Ally, Arthur, and their dog Hoover. When they combine their new bunk bed with a little bit of imagination, and little bit of magic, they are launched into the adventure of their lives. Hang on tight as they soar through the sky and sail the ocean blue, but beware, adventures aren't always all they are cracked up to be.

Kitty Hawk and the Hunt for Hemingway's Ghost is the exciting second installment in a new series of adventure mystery stories that are one part travel, one part history and five parts adventure. This second book in the series continues the adventures of Kitty Hawk, an intrepid teenage pilot who has

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decided to follow in the footsteps of her hero Amelia Earhart and make an epic flight around the entire world. After flying across North America Kitty's journey takes her down south to Florida where she plans to get a bit of rest and relaxation before continuing on with the rest of her long and grueling flight. As Kitty explores the strange and magical water world of the Florida Keys her knack for getting herself into precarious situations sweeps her headlong into the adventure of a lifetime involving mysterious lights, ancient shipwrecks, razor-toothed barracudas and even a sighting of the great Ernest Hemingway himself. This exhilarating story will have armchair explorers and amateur detectives alike anxiously following every twist and turn as they are swept across the landscape and history of the Florida Keys all the way from Key West to the strange and remarkable world of Fort Jefferson and the Dry Tortugas.

Our Trust is in the God of Battles

The Pants Of Perspective

The Greatest Adventure of All Time

The Bedtime Adventures of Ally and Arthur

Courting, Danger, & Seduction

Courting Danger with Mr. Dyer

Adventure is currently enjoying enormous interest in public culture.

The image of Tarzan provides a rewarding lens through which to

explore this phenomenon. In their day, Edgar Rice Burrough's novels enjoyed great popularity because Tarzan represented the consummate colonial-era adventurer: a white man whose noble civility enabled him to communicate with and control savage peoples and animals. The contemporary Tarzan of movies and cartoons is in many ways just as popular, but carries different connotations. Tarzan is now the consummate "eco-tourist: " a cosmopolitan striving to live in harmony with nature, using appropriate technology, and helpful to the natives who cannot seem to solve their own problems. Tarzan is still an icon of adventure, because like all adventurers, his actions have universal qualities: doing something previously untried, revealing the previously undiscovered, and experiencing the unadulterated. Prominent anthropologists have come together in this volume to reflect on various aspects of this phenomenon and to discuss contemporary forms of adventure.

The adventure of Lily's meeting her first best friend. She meets a new friend out of town. And the two little girls form a friendship. The Book Angecorex Points (Part One) is about our life that surrounds us everyday, which includes birds, trees, water, river,

lakes and also social issues and social bonding, adventure. It's a black and white silver screen art film for a broader audience. Most of the events are the creation of the author, no part of living example or does not exist. It's a creation of authors unique mind. Angecorex Points (Part One).

What do you do after life has handed you a wake-up call? Author Brian Seth Hurst experienced a significant professional setback, but, rather than “soldier on,” he recognized it as a profound opportunity to acknowledge a deeper foundation at work in his life. It is the affirmation that there is sheer power in what one believes, and, for better or worse, those beliefs are the foundation for the reality we create. The question of “Why?” began a thirty-day inquiry and adventure for Hurst into the unknown. The result is the book W H O L E - a collection of powerful essays that examine how beliefs serve, or do not serve, us in our lives, how those beliefs can be transformed to change our circumstances, and the power of the ultimate connection to Source. What do you do after life has handed you a wake-up call? If you decide to remain awake, then you begin looking at your life. W H O L E is your companion as you review the past, balance all areas of your life, and begin to create anew. W H O

L E prompts a very personal, progressive, and conscious examination of concepts and belief systems in every area of your life, ranging from relationships, work and time, to money, the environment, morality and your purpose. It asks provocative and thoughtful questions that lead to understanding. How do you reconcile everything that has happened and is happening in your life with the one you truly want? The good and the bad, the joy and the hurt, the wins and the losses - all those parts form the experience of your life and your identity. Yet, you are much greater than the sum of all those parts. W H O L E allows you to make sense of the pieces of your life as part of the greater being that is You. W H O L E presents you with the opportunity to reconcile the past, arrive wholly connected in the present, and create your future. W H O L E literally answers the question, "What was I thinking?" "To know "whole" in the duality of your reality, you must know broken. To know broken is to recognize that you are, always have been, and always will be WHOLE."

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Tarzan was an Eco-tourist--

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Waltzing Australia

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Courting Danger Saint Martin's Paperbacks

Courting, Danger, & Seduction by Brooke Comeau Her Perfect Match Madaline was ready for an adventure and Ben Reed was the perfect gentlemen for her needs. If they can survive the unseen villain lurking in the shadows trying to destroy her happiness, then she might just get her happily ever after. After saving Mady from a

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carriage accident and looking into her lively green eyes, Ben knew he had found his perfect miss. Once he figured out who was behind the threats he might just get to claim her. Her Pirate Duke Daffney was determined to find her match this season - but who knew she would be thrown into the middle of an old war between pirates! The new Duke is unexpected; Daffney is drawn to him and his wicked smile. Sebastian is not looking for a wife but can't seem to stay away from the delectable Miss Grey. When his enemies put her in harm's way he has no choice but, to his utter enjoyment, keep her close. And if he should steal a kiss or two all the better. Her Complete Surrender Abby was not interested in allowing any man to have complete control of her identity, hence the no husband policy! If the distracting Laird Merrick Murphy would just get the memo and stop making her pulse flutter she might just keep her single status. Merrick was smitten and wouldn't allow Abby to withdraw from him. But, with unexpected danger at his castle does he dare pursue her until she surrenders to a passion that will be an inferno? Or must he wait for the danger to pass?

Brave orphan Mina dreams of becoming a great scientist, even

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though she's just a beginner. But when her parents' killer escapes from prison and threatens to kill again, she must make the terrifying leap from apprentice to master sooner than planned if she wants to survive. Book 1 of The Naturalist combines historical fantasy with thrilling adventure and a touch of Renaissance romance.

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Historical Novels, Adventure Classics, True Crime Stories & Biography (Queen Margot, The Black Tulip, The Queen's Necklace, Taking the Bastille, The Man in the Iron Mask, The Sicilian Bandit...)

Angecorex Points (Part One)

And Other Tales in the Anthropology of Adventure

Over the Deep

Who They are and how They Influenced Sports in America

Profiles major women athletes and discusses the contributions they have made to their individual sport

The flamboyant tennis champion and former spy recounts her tormented childhood, her love affairs with men and women, her relationships with a variety of Hollywood luminaries, and her adventures as a U.S. agent during World War II. Reprint. NYT.

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When a little chick leaves the flock, he stumbles on to an adventure that will change him forever. This charming bilingual Spanish-English picture book is a cute read for little explorers.

A stolen kiss from a spy! Working undercover for the government, Bartholomew Dyer must expose a nefarious plot to make Napoleon the ruler of England! He needs access to the highest echelons of Society to find those involved, so he's forced to enlist the help of the woman who jilted him five years ago—Moira, Lady Rexford. Moira's widowed yet still as captivating as ever, and Bart's determined not to succumb to her charms a second time. But, as they race against time, Bart suspects it's not their lives at greatest risk—it's their hearts...

Book 1: Orphan in the Ocean

A Scavenger Hunt Adventure

The Adventure of Lily's Meeting Her First Best Friend

Late Bloomer

Don't go there. It's not safe. You'll die. And other more >> rational advice for overlanding Mexico & Central America

Historical Romances, Adventure Novels, Gothic Tales & Short Stories

From #1 bestselling author Wendy Vella, comes a captivating new series that will have you enthralled from the first page! Legend says the Sinclairs

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heightened senses are a result of a long ago pact between them and the powerful Raven family. To Honor and Protect is their creed, but the current Duke of Raven doesn't make their task easy. Arrogant and aloof, James, Duke of Raven, is determined to forge his own path and to hell with folk tales that his ancestors created. But when the breathtaking Eden Sinclair saves his life by risking her own, their past resurfaces, and with it comes the uncomfortable realization that they are linked by more than history. Eden is forced to see the man behind the cool, haughty facade when she must use her special abilities to keep him safe. His suspicion of her soon turns into something else, something far more dangerous. Eden is torn between duty and self-protection. Does she have the strength to fight fate, in order to protect her own heart? Mission Amsterdam takes your young travelers through the famous sights of the Dutch capital, engaging them with an exciting scavenger hunt as you explore city landmarks together. Say "tot ziens" (goodbye) to a trip filled with the stress of keeping everyone entertained. Instead, say "hallo" (hello) to a memorable vacation, with your kids actively engaged in exploring the landmarks of Amsterdam with you. Imagine, not only will your kids want to sightsee, together you'll uncover the intriguing histories of sights like the Van Gogh Museum, Royal Palace, Rijksmuseum, and many more. Mission

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Amsterdamsures a fun trip for everyone with a captivating, spy-theme scavenger hunt packed with fun activities and the fascinating stories behind the city's landmarks. Mission Amsterdam is a must-have book for kids visiting Amsterdam! Be sure to check out our other books for Paris, Rome, Barcelona, London, New York, and Washington, D.C. Here's what Amazon customers have to say about other books in the Scavenger Hunt Adventure™series:

"This book was flat out fantastic. We took a family trip with two adults and one seven year old. I was worried that he would be bored looking at the museums and sights. This book made a huge, huge difference." -Chinagr1

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"Great for teenagers! I love these books! My kids are 12, 14 and 16 so I was afraid they might think they were "baby" books, but they are enjoying them." -Marilyn Thomas

Solo Medalist Winner, New Apple Award for Excellence (Fantasy)
Independent Author Network, Finalist, Book Of The Year Awards (Action & Adventure) Readers Favorite 2018 Award for Adventure Semi-finalist in 2019
Kindle Book Awards Before there were legends, there was war. Before fables

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became twisted truth and distorted tales. Things deemed too dangerous were sealed, and bound for all eternity. Or so it was believed. Whispers from an ancient realm threaten the peace, drawing a lone adventurer into The Depths of Acheron. He seeks something from within this sealed domain, and those banished want something in return. Something belonging to them. The time has come for the forgotten to be unveiled, and for the sealed to be unbound. Only then will the world know true fear. Each book in The Forgotten Legacies series reads as stand alone, and donates a percent of royalties to The DMWS: an independent charity supporting those who put themselves in harm's way to serve our country, including Armed Forces personnel, Reservists, Veterans and their families, and the police.

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For a select group of girls, the Glittering Court offers a shot at a life they've only ever dreamed of, one of luxury, glamour, and leisure. To high-born Adelaide, whose wealthy family is forcing her into a loveless marriage, the

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Glittering Court represents something else: the chance to chart her own destiny, and adventure in an unspoiled, prosperous new land across the sea. After a chance meeting with the dazzling Cedric Thorn, Adelaide poses as a servant to join the crop of impoverished girls he promises to transform into proper ladies. But her familiarity with upper class life comes with a price: she must hide her identity from her new friends, mysterious refugee Mira and fiery former laundress Tamsin, and most importantly, from Cedric himself—even though she's falling in love with him. Everything begins to crumble when Cedric discovers Adelaide's ruse, and she catches the eye of a powerful young governor, who wants her for a wife. She didn't leave the gilded cage of her old life behind just to become someone else's property. But nothing is as daunting—or as wonderful—as the potent, forbidden attraction simmering between Adelaide and Cedric. One that, if acted on, would make them both outcasts in a wild, dangerous, uncharted world, and possibly lead them to their deaths.

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ALEXANDRE DUMAS: 40+ Historical Novels, Adventure Classics & True Crime Stories (Illustrated)

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The Divine Miss Marble

A Snow Day Adventure

The Civil War Letters of Robert Franklin Bunting, Chaplain, Terry's Texas Rangers, C.S.A.

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Martin Guerre Ali Pacha The Countess De Saint-Geran Murat The Marquise De Brinvilliers Vaninka The Marquise De Ganges Essays Alexandre Dumas by W. E. Henley A Gossip on a Novel of Dumas's by Robert Louis Stevenson Alexandre Dumas by Andrew Lang To Alexandre Dumas by Andrew Lang Biography Alexandre Dumas by Adolphe Cohn Alexandre Dumas, père (1802-1870) was a French writer whose works have been translated into nearly 100 languages and he is one of the most widely read French authors. His most famous works are The Count of Monte Cristo and The Three Musketeers.

Create your own adventure on the high seas! In this fast-paced book you are the protagonist and it's up to you to make the decisions that will guide the story! All you know about yourself is that your name starts with "J" and you were orphaned as a young child. Sailing the ocean trying to earn your keep, you will deal with shiftY crewmates, the lure of treasure, crazy creatures, and the risk of death! Cozy up in bed and read to yourself or gather 'round the campfire and read aloud--it will be sure to entertain!

Snow falls through the night and when Lana wakes in the morning it is to discover school has been canceled. Lana, Jada, and Jack take advantage of the Snow Day to do all their favorite winter activities. Join LJJ on their next adventure, as they play in the snow and create memories to last a lifetime.

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Carol Tyler has been a professional (and highly acclaimed) cartoonist for over 20 years, appearing in such venues as Weirdo, Wimmen's Comix, and Drawn & Quarterly magazine. But over the years her status as a working mother has drastically curtailed her ability to set aside time for her cartooning. Thus each rare new story from her pen has been greeted with hurrahs as well they should be, because she's one of the most skillful, caustic, and emphatic cartoon storytellers of her generation. This new book presents the biggest, richest and most delightful collection of Tyler's work to date featuring many new and previously unpublished works. p.p1 {margin: 0.0px 0.0px 0.0px 0.0px; font: 13.9px Arial; color: #424242}

Auriol; or, the Elixir of life. [With "The Old London Merchant" and "A Night's Adventure in Rome."]

The Essential Works of William Harrison Ainsworth

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A Life of Tennis, Fame, and Mystery

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Old Saint Paul's The Miser's Daughter Windsor Castle The Lancashire Witches Auriol The Star Chamber Ovingdean Grange Cardinal Pole The Constable de Bourbon Boscobel The Good Old Times (The Manchester Rebels of the Fatal '45) Preston Fight The Leaguer of Lathom Chetwynd Calverley Short Stories: The Spectre Bride The Old London Merchant A Night's Adventure in Rome Kai Merlin is heir to her mother's throne in Atlantis, and she takes her duties seriously, but lately her mind has been on her fiancée Vivien Palmer. After a chance encounter when they were children, meeting again and falling in love proved to be fate, but melding their worlds as they plan their wedding isn't going to be easy. Vivien has spent her life searching for the secrets she'd always known were hidden beneath the waves, but nothing prepared her for what Kai and her people had successfully kept hidden for eons. She finally has a sense of belonging, but unseen enemies will stop at nothing to conquer and destroy their world—including everything and everyone she holds dear. Below turbulent waves, Kai and Vivien must fight for what is right as life and love hang in the balance.

In the year 2110, fourteen-year-old Val returns home to find that the time machine her father created has returned home without him. Having lost her mother to illness two years earlier, Val decides to use the machine to go back in time to find her father and bring him home. She does a test landing in a remote area of the U.S. in

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the year 2010 and meets three brothers: sixteen-year-old football star James, thirteen-year-old Luke and an amazing seven-year-old named Wumpy. They decide to join her and help find her father. Val believes her father would have gone back to the first century to see Jesus Christ, who Val's dad considers the most important person in history. Val knows her father wanted to see for himself if the stories about Jesus in the Bible are true. She and the three brothers go back in time to first century Jerusalem and begin the search, looking for Val's dad at some of the major events of Jesus' life. During their quest they meet Jesus and see amazing things. They also have to outwit local authorities and an assortment of villains who threaten to strand them in the first century or - even worse - end their short lives two thousand years before they were born. The adventure is non-stop, but in the end this is a story about friendship and faith and the truth of 1 John 4:18: "Perfect love expels all fear."

"When I ran, I ran for pleasure. I didn't run for times, to win, to impress: I ran for me. When I ran my bum cheeks rubbed together, so much so that if I was going on a long run I'd have to 'lube up'. I maintained that I was not a 'real' runner - I just liked to run so that I could eat cake." Anna was never anything like those 'real' runners on telly - all spindly limbs, tiny shorts and split times - but when she read about New Zealand's 3,000-kilometre-long Te Araroa Trail, she began to wonder... perhaps

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being a 'real' runner was overrated. Maybe she could just run it anyway? Travelling alone through New Zealand's backcountry for 148 days, she scrambled through forests, along ridge-lines, over mountain passes, along beaches and across swollen rivers. Running up to 52 kilometres in a day, she slept wild most nights, and was taken into the homes and hearts of the kiwi people in between. The Pants of Perspective is a witty, colourful and at times painfully raw account of a journey to the edge of what a woman believes herself to be capable of. It is a coming-of-age story which will lead you on a roller coaster ride through fear, vulnerability courage and failure. For anyone who has ever dreamt of taking on a great challenge, but felt too afraid to begin - this story is for you.

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