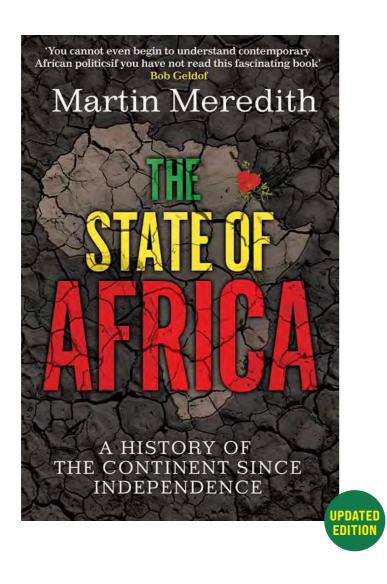


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THE STATE OF AFRICA

Africa is forever on our TV screens, but the bad-news stories massively outweigh the good. Ever since the process of decolonisation began in the mid-1950s, and arguably before, the continent has appeared to be stuck in a process of irreversible decline.

How did we get here? What, if anything, is to be done?

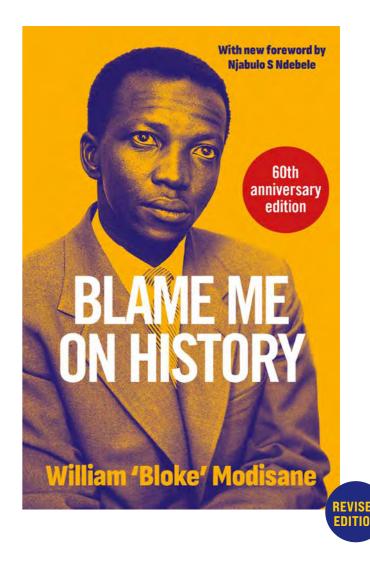
Fully revised and updated and weaving together the key stories and characters of the last sixty years into a stunningly compelling and coherent narrative, Martin Meredith has produced the definitive history of how European ideas of how to organise 10 000 different ethnic groups has led to what British prime minister Tony Blair described as the 'scar on the conscience of the world'.

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'You cannot even begin to understand contemporary African politics of you have not read this fascinating book.' - Bob Geldof

MARTIN MEREDITH is a journalist, biographer and historian who has written extensively on Africa.

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BLAME ME ON HISTORY

Revised Edition

Feeling an exile in the country of his birth, the talented journalist and leading black intellectual Bloke Modisane left South Africa in 1959. It was shortly after the apartheid government had bulldozed Sophiatown, the township of his childhood. His biting indictment of apartheid, Blame Me on History, was published in 1963 – and banned shortly afterwards.

Modisane offers a harrowing account of the degradation and oppression faced daily by black South Africans. His penetrating observations and insightful commentary paint a vivid picture of what it meant to be black in apartheid South Africa. At the same time, his evocative writing transports the reader back to a time when Sophiatown still teemed with life.

This 60th-anniversary edition of Modisane's autobiography serves as an example of passionate resistance to the scourge of racial discrimination in our country, and is a reminder not to forget our recent past.

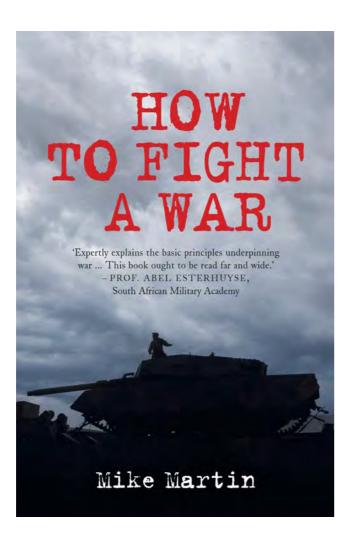
'Engrossed and fascinated, I turned the pages of *Blame Me on History* as fast as I could.'

- Njabulo S Ndebele

The late **WILLIAM BLOKE MODISANE** (1923–1986) was a South African author, playwright and actor who worked on the staff of *Drum* magazine in the 1950s.

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HOW TO FIGHT A WAR

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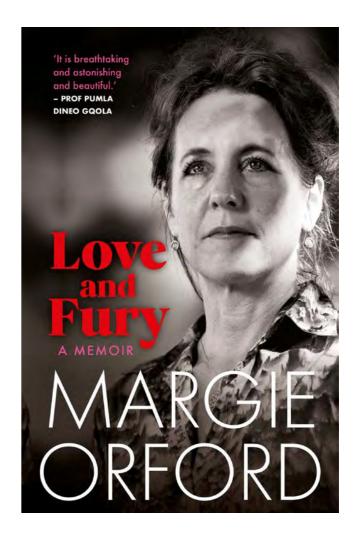
Has any war in history gone according to plan? Monarchs, dictators and elected leaders alike have a dismal record on military decision-making, from over-ambitious goals to disregarding intelligence, terrain, or enemy capabilities. This not only wastes the lives of civilians, the enemy and one's own soldiers, but also fails to achieve geopolitical objectives, and usually lays the seeds for more wars.

Conflict scholar and former soldier Mike Martin takes the reader through the hard logic to fighting a conclusive interstate war that solves geopolitical problems and reduces future conflict. He outlines how to orchestrate military forces, from infantry and information to strategy and tactics.

Martin explains the unavoidable art of using violence to force your enemies to do what you want. It should be read by everyone seeking to understand today's wars, and those wishing to lead us through future conflicts.

MIKE MARTIN is a conflict scholar, former soldier and military author.

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LOVE AND FURY

A Memoir

'It is breathtaking and astonishing and beautiful.'

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Love and Fury is the compelling and intimate account of the life, loves and furies of Margie Orford. In this brave memoir, the renowned South African crime writer divulges some of the harrowing experiences that have shaped her life and influenced her writing.

Through sexual assault, divorce, depression and personal loss, Orford illuminates the trauma she has navigated. Tender and courageous chapters vividly recall memories of what she has been through as a woman, mother, wife, feminist and ambitious writer.

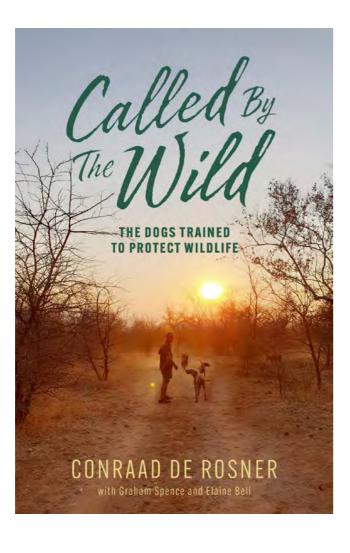
Love and Fury shows why trauma in our past can have such an enduring and debilitating effect on women's lives. It also unpacks the healing power of love, creativity, courage and self-reflection, ultimately offering a profound message of hope and joy for any woman who has ever questioned themselves, their trauma and who they are in the world.

This book is every woman's love and fury.

MARGIE ORFORD is an internationally acclaimed writer and an award-winning journalist.

FEBRUARY | 4

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CALLED BY THE WILD

The Dogs Trained to Protect Wildlife

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The thrilling story of the conservationist who pioneered the use of dogs in combating poachers in South Africa's game reserves. One of Conraad's first brushes with the reality of life at the frontline of conservation was when he shot the leader of a poaching gang in Windy Ridge game reserve in his teens.

Much of Con's work involving dogs is a continuous struggle against industrial-scale bushmeat poachers, an even greater threat to wildlife than rhino horn poachers as the overburdened courts seem interested only in endangered species. He also works to catch poachers of critically endangered pangolins, the most trafficked animal in the world.

Con decided to use his almost telepathic rapport with dogs to tackle the poaching crisis sweeping South Africa. His first anti-poaching dog, a Weimaraner named Zingela, became an inseparable companion. Zingela saved Conraad's life on numerous occasions – once when Conraad was about to be assassinated by two fellow rangers hired by poachers. Con's story is an epic of modern-day African wildlife conservation, spiced with adventure, courage and romance.

CONRAAD DE ROSNER studied nature conservation before starting his company, K9 Conservation, where he trains rangers and dogs in the fight against poaching.

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SHOW ME THE PLACE

Essays

'Hedley Twidle's work is exquisitely crafted, clever, self-deprecating, and, above all, deeply thoughtful. We are lucky to have a writer of his calibre working on contemporary South African material.'

- Jonny Steinberg

Show Me the Place is an essay collection searching through history, memory and literature to find glimmers of utopia. The collection is a book of elsewheres; in it, the author charts a journey to find other liveable places and spaces in a troubled world.

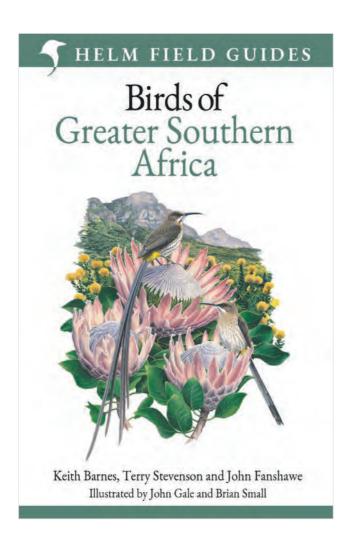
Whether embarking on a bizarre quest to find Cecil Rhodes's missing nose (sliced off the bust of the Rhodes Memorial) or bike-packing the Scottish islands with a couple of squabbling anarchists; whether learning to surf (much too late) in the wild, freezing waters off the Cape Peninsula or navigating the fraught politics of a Buddhist retreat centre – the author explores forgotten utopias, intentional communities and islands of imagination with curiosity, hope and humour.

Threaded through the pieces in this collection are questions of friendship and human community, of environmental destruction and repair, of landscape and memory. *Show Me the Place* investigates the deep human desire to imagine social and environmental alternatives to what we take as normal or inevitable.

HEDLEY TWIDLE is a writer, teacher and researcher.

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BIRDS OF GREATER SOUTHERN AFRICA

This spectacular field guide includes all resident, breeding and migrant species found in Greater Southern Africa.

Comprising South Africa, Lesotho, eSwatini, Namibia, Botswana, Zimbabwe, Malawi, Mozambique and Zambia, Greater Southern Africa is a vast region and home to a truly extraordinary diversity of avifauna.

The latest in the Helm Field Guides series, Birds of Greater Southern Africa describes all 1,170 regularly occurring species that are likely to be encountered in the region, from the Wandering Albatross to the Pennant-winged Nightjar. Featuring 272 colour plates by three of the world's leading bird illustrators, this practical guide also includes concise species accounts describing key identification features, status, range, habitat and voice. Distribution maps for each species are also included.

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The definitive field guide to the birds of the Greater Southern African region.

KEITH BARNES is a bird tour leader for Tropical Birding. **TERRY STEVENSON** and **JOHN FANSHAWE** are leading

avifauna conservationists based in Kenya.

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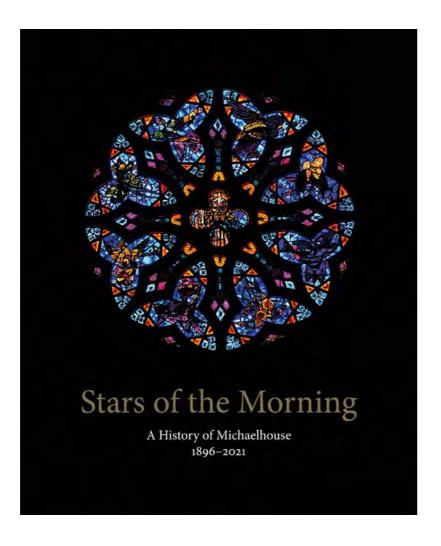
50 Fibs That Made South Africa An outrageous miscellany of lies, myths, untruths, fibs and fabrications that tell the woeful history of South Africa. Aimed at offending and entertaining everyone in equal measure, this will have South Africans sniggering and spluttering into their cornflakes. It will also pique their curiosity.

The lies come thick and fast, like a burst sewerage pipe. Way, way back the Europeans 'discovered' southern Africa and found a land that was largely uninhabited. Um, no. On the other hand, Africa was a paradise before the settlers pulled in. Not quite! Back in the darkest of ages (the 1970s), citizens were told that there were Satanic messages if you played Beatles songs backwards. During the civil war in Angola, there were no South African troops in that country. National icon Hansie Cronje was a paragon of virtue and integrity ... until he wasn't. President Nelson Mandela told us that we, as a nation, were 'special'. Turns out we aren't.

JONATHAN ANCER is an award-winning journalist who has worked as a reporter at *The Star*, a features writer for magazines, and a crossword columnist. This is his sixth book.

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STARS OF THE MORNING

A History of Michaelhouse School, 1896-2021 For more than a century Michaelhouse has been one of South Africa's premier senior boarding schools for boys.

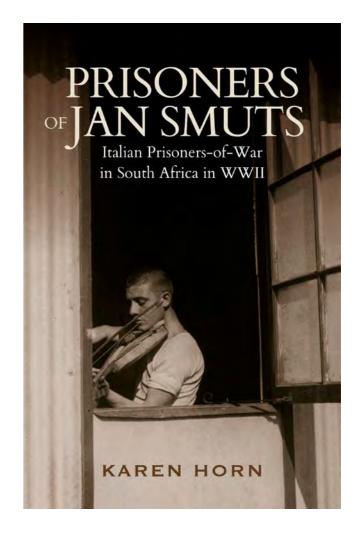
As a diocesan school, set up on the model of the great English public schools, from the start Michaelhouse aimed to shape the whole boy – academically, spiritually and on the playing field. *Stars of the Morning* chronicles the history of the school, from the indelible imprint left by the two world wars to the impact of load shedding and Covid-19.

In many ways, the history of Michaelhouse mirrors the history of South Africa, a young nation moving from colonialism and apartheid to democracy. *Stars of the Morning* interleaves the history of the nation with the development of the school, showing how successive rectors navigated the challenges of an evolving society.

Author Gary Ralfe draws on archival sources, interviews and extensive research to tell this complex and fascinating story.

GARY RALFE is a former Head Boy of Michaelhouse and the former managing director of the De Beers Group.

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PRISONERS OF JAN SMUTS:

Italian Prisoners-of-War in South Africa in WWII Equally skilled in different trades than in the art of love, the Italian prisoners-of-war (POW) who were held in South Africa during WWII have been a source of great fascination for many.

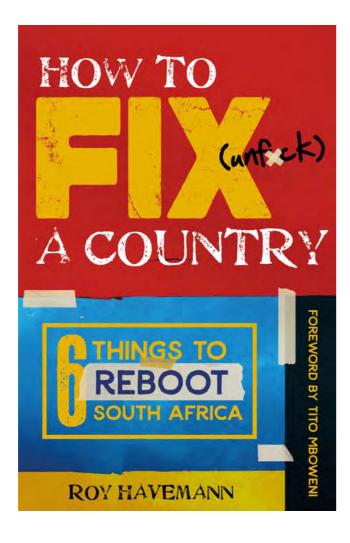
The first Italian Prisoners-of-War (POW) arrived in the Union of South Africa in early 1941 after they were captured by Allied forces in northern and eastern Africa. Most were held at Zonderwater Camp outside Cullinan. The government of Jan Smuts saw the POWs as a source of cheap labour that would contribute to harvesting schemes, road-building projects, and even prickly pear eradication.

This book tells the story of the Italian POWs through the eyes of five prisoners, who had documented their experiences in memoirs and letters. Several Italians chose to remain in South Africa after the war and many, such as the artist Eduardo Villa, left an important mark. Others became successful businesspeople, like Aurelio Gatti, who established an ice-cream empire.

KAREN HORN is a historian and the author of *In Enemy Hands:* South Africa's POWs in WWII.

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HOW TO FIX (UNF*CK) A COUNTRY

6 Things to Reboot South Africa After state capture, South Africa is f*cked not in a good place. The system is down so how do we reboot?

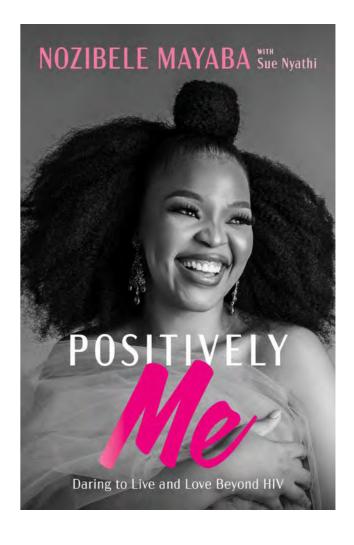
We aren't the first country to find itself in a difficult spot so we can ask ourselves why have some countries been successful and others not so much? How can South Africa pick itself up to become a thriving state? Roy Havemann answers these questions in this engaging, accessible book and argues that right now we need to focus on six basics: Eskom, Education, the Environment, Exports, Equality and Ethics.

It's time to stop raking over the coals of who is to blame for our problems and focus on the future, looking at how other countries have overcome challenges similar to ours and how we can practically implement a set of policies that will get South Africa back on track.

With a foreword by Tito Mboweni

ROY HAVEMANN is the CEO of Krutham and a consultant.

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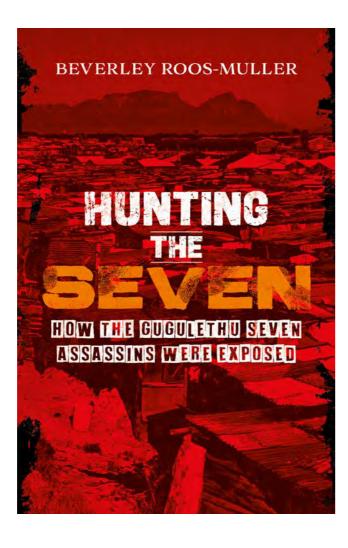
Daring to Live and Love Beyond HIV Nozibele grew up in small family in PE. She had a strict Christan mother who raised her to be a good girl. She lived up to her mother's expectation until she was diagnosed with HIV. At the time she had only had one sexual partner, her long-term boyfriend. But he was a serial cheater and verbally abusive, their relationship ended soon after she confronted him.

Fearing stigma and needing to maintain her "good girl" image she kept her HIV status a secret. Young, isolated, and facing an existential crisis, she quickly fell into depression. And so began the fight of her life, a journey to find herself, accept herself and fulfil her purpose. Six years later she came out to the world and her life changed in ways she never could imagine.

Nozibele Qamngana-Mayaba is an HIV activist, internationally recognised podcaster, and the host of #YeslHaveHIV. She is also a speaker, a wife and a proud mom.

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HUNTING THE SEVEN

How the Gugulethu Seven Assassins Were Exposed Never have seven people been so hunted. By assassins. By journalists and lawyers in search of the truth and then TRC investigators wanting justice for the victims' families.

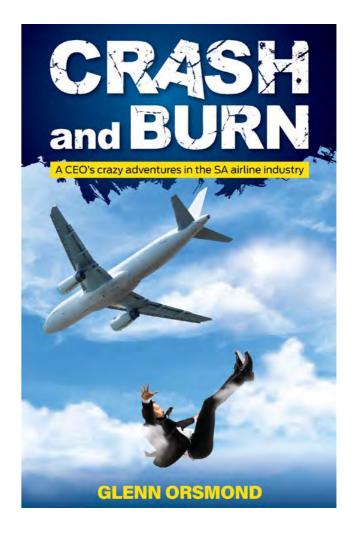
In 1986, seven young men were shot and killed by police in Gugulethu in Cape Town. The nation was told they were a 'terrorist' MK cell. An inquest followed, then a dramatic trial in 1987 and another inquest in 1989. Finally, the fact that Eugene de Kock's Vlakplaas unit plotted and drove the operation was revealed at the Truth and Reconciliation ten years after the murders but Vlakplaas's real agenda remained shrouded in mystery.

Hunting the Seven tells the story of the hunt for the truth of the Gugulethu Seven in cinematic style. It took a decade to get to the bottom of the killings. Sifting through the evidence and original interviews with those involved, Roos-Muller reveals that it was Vlakplaas's only operation in the Western Cape and an elaborate state-sanctioned snuff movie designed to keep the money rolling into the death squad's slush fund.

DR BEVERLEY ROOS-MULLER is a veteran journalist, broadcaster and former academic. She is the author of *Bullet in the*

broadcaster and former academic. She is the author of *Bullet in the Heart* (2023).

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CRASH AND BURN

A CEO's Crazy Adventures in the Airline Industry You'll never think of flying in South Africa the same again.

This is the insider's tale of the collapse of Comair in 2022 from veteran airline entrepreneur Glenn Ormond.

Or smond, who was twice the CEO of Comair – which operated British Airways and kulula –

and was the founder CEO of 1 time, takes the reader on a wild ride through the ultra-competitive sector of low-cost airlines. Ultimately, Comair fell on his watch as a lack of cash flow saw it struggle to survive Covid and then a Civil Aviation Authority inquiry and an unyielding British Airways sent it into liquidation.

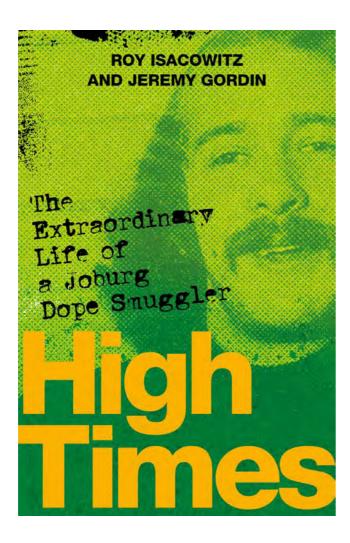
Expect tales of partners backstabbing each other, battles between shareholders and board members, and competitors undercutting each other ruthlessly.

GLENN ORSMOND was a co-founder of 1 time and did three stints at Comair – twice as CEO – in a career spanning 40 years.

With a foreword by Tito Mboweni

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HIGH TIMES

The Extraordinary Life of a Joburg Dope Smuggler Dive into the wild journey of Michael Medjuck, a Jewish rebel born in 1950 South Africa, whose life took a turn when he first tasted marijuana in 1967. Fueled by the counterculture revolution of the Sixties, Michael's globe-trotting adventures led him from the stifling grip of apartheid to the heart of the marijuana trade.

From smuggling in Vancouver to his luxurious lifestyle, this is a tale of sex, drugs, and rock 'n roll that spans decades. In 1991, a colossal hashish bust in Seattle changed everything, making headlines and marking the beginning of a legal saga that captivated the nation.

Serving time in the notorious Florence supermax, Michael's fate took another twist when he became an unexpected player in a prison scandal. Released, rearrested in Spain, and surviving alongside Basque terrorists, his story unfolds against a backdrop of high-stakes crime and unexpected alliances.

Discover the untold chapters of Medjuck's life, as he emerges from the shadows to recount his astonishing journey in the Mexican haven of Los Cabos.

ROY ISACOWITZ is an author and journalist, now retired in Tel Aviv. The late **JEREMY GORDHIN** is an award-winning journalist, editor and author.

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THE WOLF HUNT

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Lt Jack Pembroke commands a small, anti-submarine flotilla in Simon's Town. But he has precious little time to prepare his men and his ships for the arrival of Nazi U-boats sent to cripple the Cape convoy route, which is vital to supplying Allied forces in World War II.

Everything will hang in the balance with the arrival of the enemy in South African waters. The arrival of the Nazi U-boats will stretch the Cape's defences to the limit. Aboard one of the boats is a South African spy (and ardent Nazi) to be landed on the coast near Cape Town and begin a campaign of sabotage, assassination and rebellion.

Jack must now to escort a vital convoy from Cape Town to Durban, but the U-boat pack is lying in wait in the storm-ravaged waters off the southern tip of the continent ...

Book Two in the thrilling Jack Pemabroke series

JUSTIN FOX is the author of more than a dozen books. He is the former editor of *Getaway* magazine and has a doctorate in English from Oxford University.

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THE STELLENBOSCH MAFIA

Inside the Billionaire's Club

Pieter du Toit



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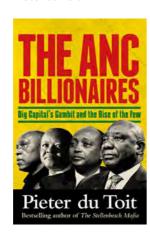
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THE ANC BILLIONAIRES

The Good, The Bad and The Wealthy

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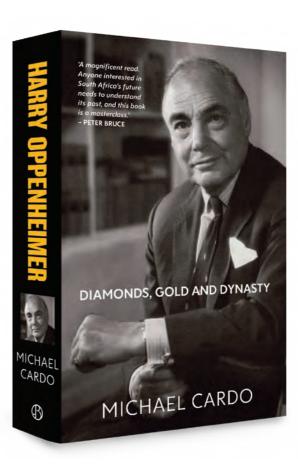
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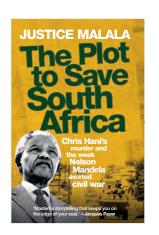
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THE PLOT TO SAVE SOUTH AFRICA

Chris Hani's Murder and the Week Nelson Mandela Averted Civil War

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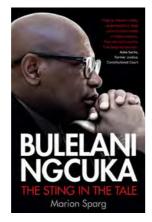
'Masterful storytelling that keeps you on the edge of your seat.'

In this meticulously researched new book, the reader is taken into the thought processes and consequential actions of the assassination of Chris Hani.

BULELANI NGCUKA

The Sting in the Tale

Marion Sparg



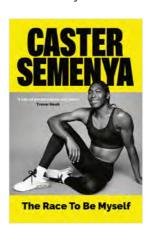
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In this sweeping biography, based on many hours of interviews with Ngcuka, author Marion Sparg uncovers the roots of his fearless activism and tells his side of the story.

THE RACE TO BE MYSELF

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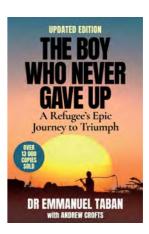
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THE BOY WHO NEVER GAVE UP

A Refugee's Epic Journey to Triumph

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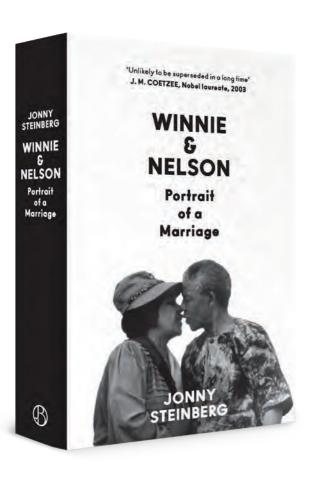
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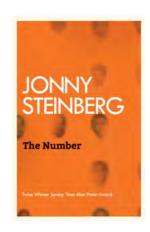
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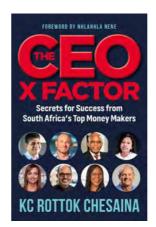
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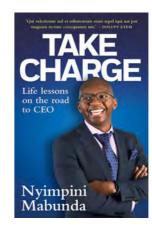
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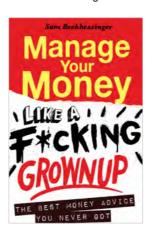
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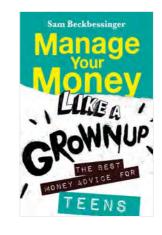
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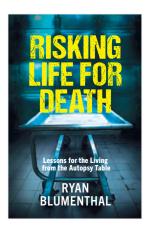
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Lessons for the Living from the Autopsy Table

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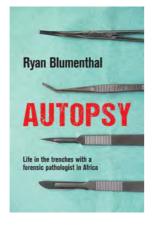
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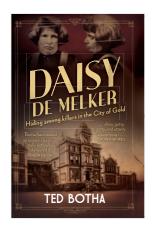
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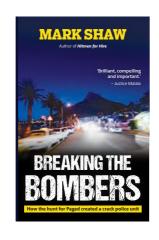
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How the Hunt for Pagad Created a Crack Police Unit

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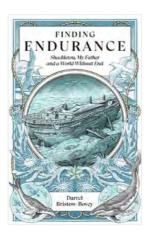
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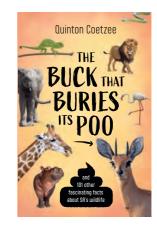
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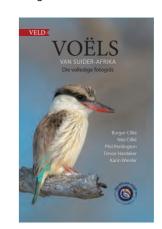
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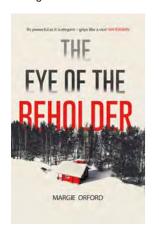
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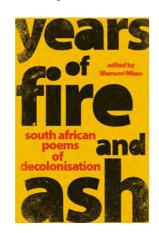
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South African Poems of Decolonisation

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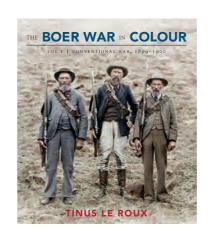
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COLOURED

How Classification Became Culture

Tessa Dooms & Lynesey Ebony Chutel



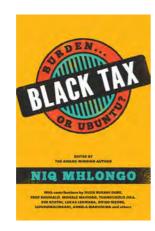
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BLACK TAX

Burden or Ubuntu?

Niq Mhlongo (Editor)



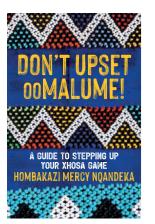
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A secret torment for some, a proud responsibility for others, so-called black tax is a daily reality for thousands of black South Africans. In this thought-provoking and moving anthology, a provocative range of voices share their deeply personal stories.

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A Memoir of Exile and Home

Sisonke Msimang



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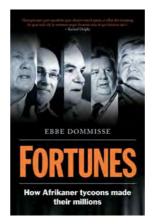
This memoir is at heart a chronicle of a coming-of-age, and while well-known South African political figures appear in these pages, it is an intimate story, a testament to family bonds and sisterhood.

'Brutally and uncompromisingly honest, Sisonke's beautifully crafted storytelling enriches the already extraordinary pool of young African women writers of our time.' – Graça Machel

FORTUNES

How Afrikaner Tycoons Made Their Millions

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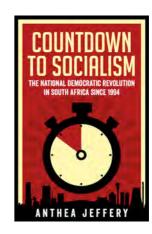
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COUNTDOWN TO SOCIALISM

The National Democratic Revolution in South Africa Since 1994

Anthea Jeffrey



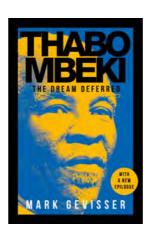
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Mark Gevisser



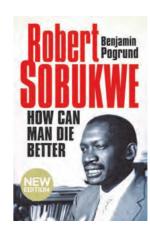
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Hailed in the *Times Literary Supplement* as 'probably the finest piece of non-fiction to come out of South Africa since the end of apartheid', *The Dream Deferred* is back in print and updated with a brilliant new epilogue.

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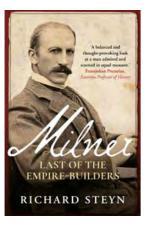
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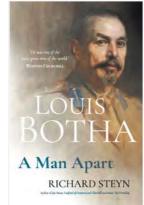
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'I am greatly privileged to have known him and to have fallen under his spell. His long imprisonment, restriction and early death were a major tragedy for our land and for the world.' – Archbishop Desmond Tutu

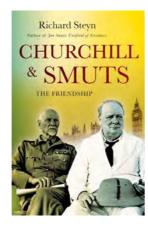




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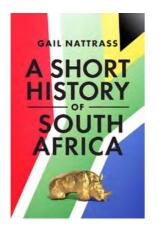


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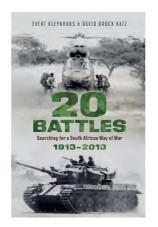
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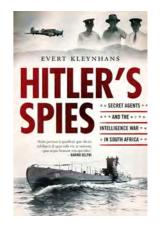
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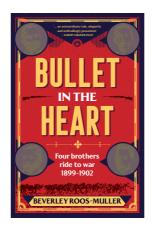
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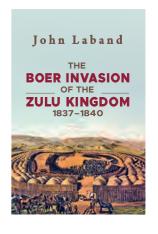
- "... an extraordinary tale, elegantly and enthrallingly presented."
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This is a beautifully told account of the fellowship of four brothers in war, their capture and their eventual recovery.

THE BOER INVASION OF THE ZULU KINGDOM

1837-1840

John Laband



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'John Laband's book is a greater reward for young minds grown cynical about the past.' – Archie Henderson

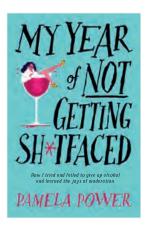
In this telling of the Boer invasion, Laband deals even-handedly with the warring sides in the conflict. Crucially, he presents the less familiar Zulu perspective and explains the decisions taken by the Zulu leaders as they grappled with the existential threat of the Boer invasion.



MY YEAR OF NOT GETTING SH*TFACED

How I Tried and Failed to Give Up Alcohol and Learned the Joys of Moderation

Pamela Power



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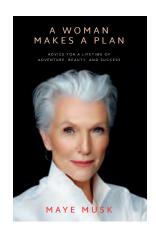
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