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Riders of the Purple Sage Nov 26 2022 A master of narrative momentum and suspense, Zane Grey sweeps readers into his stories and makes them feel that things are out of control, that boundaries are being burst. In *Riders of the Purple Sage*, the most famous novel of the American West, Grey creates a hero of epic proportions, a villain of legendary evil and a world in which the landscape is rendered with such force that it seems to express thoughts and feelings, to become a character in its own right. Indeed, *Riders of the Purple Sage* derives much of its depth and power from passions whose forbidden and overwhelming nature cannot be expressed by human beings and are therefore

embodied in the natural world. In his depiction of the relationship between Lassiter, the hero, and Jane Withersteen, Grey breaks other literary barriers: Jane, modelled on the heroines of the nineteenth-century novel, must come to terms with the values expressed by Lassiter - the harsh, "masculine" values of the twentieth century. Their struggles together represent the tumultuous changes society itself was confronting.

Ride of the Valkyries Oct 25 2022 The B-70 Valkyrie is joining America's arsenal at a time when the world is hitting a new crisis. In North Africa, heroic resistance by French and Algerian troops have stopped the advance of the

Caliphate in its tracks. In the South China Sea, missile cruisers of the Indian and Japanese Navy are about to meet head-on in the first major naval battle for a quarter of a century. In a battle that ranges from the deserts of North Africa to the fabulous casinos in Cuba, the Valkyrie will draw its baptism of fire in an effort to destroy the Caliphate's biological weapons. *Paul Revere's Ride* Sep 19 2019 Discusses the events leading up to Paul Revere's ride, and reinforces his importance in the history of the Revolutionary War

Ride of Their Lives Nov 02 2020 Jockeys perform the most perilous job in sports yet are among the most underrated athletes in the world. They put their lives on the line every time they get on a horse, often riding seven or eight horses a day, five days a week. Most must diet to keep their weight at levels lower than the average twelve-year-old boy, yet they need immense strength to control thousand-pound Thoroughbreds. A select group of riders has

risen to the top of their sport, sought after by racing's leading owners and trainers and paired with the sport's greatest equine stars. In *Ride of Their Lives*, Lenny Shulman profiles riders whose love of racing and desire to win have propelled them to the top echelon their profession. Pat Day, Gary Stephens, Jerry Bailey, Corey Nakatani, and Laffit Pincay, Jr. are among the jockeys who share their stories of how they became race riders and what it is like to deal with the pressures of riding fragile, willful racehorses at top speeds day in and day out. They also tell what it is like to win the Kentucky Derby and just miss capturing the Triple Crown. In this updated edition, Shulman profiles Kendrick Carmouche, who had five straight seasons with more than 200 victories and in 2021 became the first Black jockey to compete in the Kentucky Derby in seven years.

The Midnight Ride of Paul Revere Feb 23 2020 The famous narrative poem recreating Paul Revere's midnight ride in 1775 to warn the

people of the Boston countryside that the British were coming.

Harry - The Ride of My Life Oct 01 2020 He may 'smoke like a chimney, drink like a fish and eat like a sparrow' but Noel Harris rides like a true champion. And he has outlasted many of his competitors, still leading them home in his late fifties after having notched up over 2000 wins. Along the way he has gained the loyalty of owners and trainers, the respect of fellow jockeys and the admiration of race-goers. He has also had a few beers, a bit of fun and lots of laughs, enjoying life and loving racing. Colourful - including green hair on occasions - and sometimes outlandish, Noel has stood out for his singular riding style, his optimism, commitment, sense of humour and straight-shooting sincerity. Racing is a game of wins and losses, highs and lows, and in this book, Noel takes us on the rollercoaster, from growing up in a racing family and apprenticeship days in a wild and scary Singapore, the rides and races of the NZ and

Australian racing calendars, and the trials, tribulations and triumphs of staying at the top. Noel gives us the goods on the horses, owners, trainers, jockeys, races and officials, friends and family - the emotions, experiences, anecdotes and accolades of a long and successful career. *Ride of a Lifetime* Jan 16 2022 Trace Richards is not happy. As a star of the Native/African-American rodeo circuit, he should be out there bronco bustin'. Instead, he is stuck babysitting his bosses' granddaughter. It's bad enough a minor injury is keeping him out of the saddle, but when the bosses brat turns out to be the finest woman he had ever seen Trace knew he was in for trouble. Jesse Love was a woman on a mission. She out to prove she is more than the bosses granddaughter, but that she is one hell of a cowgirl. She is also out to get her man. Jesse has had her eye on Trace for quite some time, and she was determined to rope her one obstinate cowboy.

The Ride of Our Lives Mar 26 2020 Mike

Leonard wanted to give his parents the ultimate family reunion. And so, one February morning, three generations of Leonards set out on their journey under the dazzling Arizona sky. In the course of their humorous, often poignant cross-country tour, f

Patriot Hero of the Hudson Valley: The Life and Ride of Sybil Ludington May 20 2022 "Originally published as *Sybil Ludington: the call to arms*, Purple Mountain Press, 2000" -- Title page verso.

Ride Dec 15 2021 No one rides like Chase Austin. Bad boy. Player. Adrenaline junkie. Snowboarder Chase Austin has a reputation--and not just for being the world's best extreme athlete. He's as cold as the mountains he rides, loyal only to his crew . . . and panties drop wherever he goes. Photographer Brooke Larson knows better than to let him get through her emotional Kevlar. So what if she used to have his poster on her bedroom wall? She's not a teenager with a crush anymore. Chase Austin is her key to the big time, and she's getting his

photo no matter what. Too bad the only place Chase wants her is in his bed. Men leave. Success is forever. Brooke knows the drill, and she's not letting anyone get in the way of her career--or into her heart. But whether it's on the slopes or between the sheets, riding with the best means risking it all.

Paul Revere's Ride May 28 2020

Blood & Brown Sugar: The Ride of His Life Jun 28 2020 Motorcycles, guns, heroin. These things were not a part of Alex Crossman's life. He was a simple young man, leading a peaceful, mundane existence. Right up to the moment he accidentally injures a member of Montreal's most nefarious motorcycle club, the Chevaux de Fer. As recompense, Alex is forced to travel to India and escort the Club's latest drug shipment home. While under the watchful eye of the Club's Indian contingent and ensnared by the seductive charms of its president's mistress, Ipsita Chaudhary, Alex begins his dark and agonizing metamorphosis from a law-abiding

citizen to outlaw biker. Now, inescapably leveraged into the gang's sinister world and with the Narcotics Control Bureau in hot pursuit, he struggles to resist the incessant pull of this dark and unfamiliar lifestyle. A lifestyle fraught with tainted love and criminal behaviour. Long dead ghosts from his past whisper to his subconscious, luring him down a twisted and terrifying path of self-realization. During a final showdown in the jungles of Goa, Alex's conscience and ego clash in a culmination of good versus evil, love versus hate, and face off in a battle for dominance of his soul. With his moral compass skewed, he is left directionless and desperate. Will Alex embrace the passionate call of his renegade self and make the impossible choices that will change his life forever? Or could there be another, less dangerous way out?

The Victrola Book of the Opera Apr 19 2022

The Last Ride of the James-Younger Gang

May 08 2021 It was the beginning of the end for the James gang. In the past ten years Frank and

Jesse James had gone from unknown ex-Confederate guerrillas to the most famous outlaws in the world. A string of daring robberies of banks, trains, and stagecoaches had brought them fame, admiration, hatred, and a surprisingly small amount of wealth. In 1876 they planned their most daring raid yet-to ride hundreds of miles from their home state of Missouri to rob the First National Bank at Northfield, Minnesota. This book will tell the story of one of the most daring bank jobs in American history. With most of the gang being former bushwhackers, they used many guerrilla tactics in the planning and execution of the raid, yet failed because of poor discipline and their own fame, which meant that every town in the Midwest had their guns loaded waiting to fight off bandits.

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of how a 1963 ride on a carousel in Maryland made a powerful Civil Rights statement. *A Ride to Remember* tells how a community came together—both black and white—to make a change. When Sharon Langley was born in the early 1960s, many amusement parks were segregated, and African-American families were not allowed entry. This book reveals how in the summer of 1963, due to demonstrations and public protests, the Gwynn Oak Amusement Park in Maryland became desegregated and opened to all for the first time. Co-author Sharon Langley was the first African-American child to ride the carousel. This was on the same day of Martin Luther King Jr.'s March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom. Langley's ride to remember demonstrated the possibilities of King's dream. This book includes photos of Sharon on the carousel, authors' notes, a timeline, and a bibliography. "Delivers a beautiful and tender message about equality from the very first page." —Kirkus Reviews,

Starred Review "Cooper's richly textured illustrations evoke sepia photographs' dreamlike combination of distance and immediacy, complementing the aura of reminiscence that permeates Langley and Nathan's narrative." —Publishers Weekly, Starred Review "A solid addition to U.S. history collections for its subject matter and its first-person historical narrative." —School Library Journal

The Midnight Ride of Paul Revere Apr 07 2021

Paul Revere was a respected Boston citizen, an artisan, and a patriot. However, he is best known for his ride through Boston on horseback, warning the citizens to assemble in an effort to ward off the advancing British army. This book presents the story of Revere's life and his midnight ride in a fun and engaging way, with primary source documents and full-color images to enrich the learning experience.

RIDE SMARTER: ON TO THE NEXT LEVEL OF HO Aug 31 2020 Since 2004, when Craig Cameron's book *Ride Smart* was printed, the

clinician's popularity has only grown. With his 2010 championship at the prestigious Road to the Horse, he gained even more followers to his no-nonsense approach to training and riding. Cameron's easygoing teaching style, beloved by his students, is now found in this follow-up to his popular first book. In *Ride Smarter*, readers learn to further develop their horsemanship skills and continue on the road to becoming true horsemen and -women. Cameron continues to build on some of the topics covered in his first volume, and adds valuable information that riders of all levels of expertise can use in improving their riding experiences. Early chapters in this second book talk about the qualities that make a good horseman, and the responsibilities each person has to his or her horse. Cameron gives tips on selecting the right horse, making a smart purchase and knowing when it's time to change horses. He discusses caring for your horse at home and on the road, something he's familiar with after logging

thousands of miles with his horses in tow. In *Ride Smarter's* later chapters, Cameron addresses the advantages of different bits, and then delves into the use of cues and how important they are. He also discusses the fine art of correction, and helps readers understand when discipline is necessary, and offers tips on understanding and riding the different gaits. One of Cameron's goals when training is to develop a horse that does anything the horseman asks, and in one chapter Cameron relates how to create what he calls the "brave horse." He then discusses the advantages of cross-training between the arena and the trail, and patterns and obstacles that you can use to advance both your and your horse's skills. In his clinics, Cameron answers numerous questions about problem horses, and Chapter 15 addresses the most frequently discussed problems and the clinician's approach to fixing each one. Cameron also takes a humorous look at some "people problems" that your horse might tell you about if

he could talk. And finally, this top hand talks about setting goals for your horse and your horsemanship, and how valuable having that sense of direction can be. As in Cameron's first book, chapters in this second book, *Ride Smarter*, include a "True Story," a personal anecdote about a memorable experience; "Here's How" with simple and practical training tips; and "A Better Way," which provides workable approaches to common problems encountered in achieving horsemanship and horse-handling goals. Anyone who has been to Cameron's clinics can appreciate the straightforward instruction the Texas horseman offers. Those who haven't had the pleasure of meeting Craig Cameron in person get a good look at the training techniques and coaching skills that have earned him a reputation as the "Cowboy's Clinician." *Ride Smarter* helps readers advance in the adventure of horsemanship.

[History of the West with Jemmy Fletcher](#) Jan 24

2020 *History of the West with Jemmy Fletcher*; *Ride to Rendezvous* is the first book in the Jemmy Fletcher series. This book follows young Jemmy Fletcher as he decides to leave his Missouri homestead, and strike out for the mountains. Along the way he meets a colorful mountain man named Laramie, who breaks the greenhorn in. As Jemmy makes his way to a mountain man rendezvous, he'll have to battle hunger, thunderstorms, attacking Indians, and most often himself to find out if he has what it takes to be a Rocky Mountain trapper. The first of a series, Jemmy Fletcher books were written to take students on an adventure through the American frontier in a historically accurate way. Each book was written to tell a particular story of the West, and highlight a specific event, or time period of that history. Written for educational purposes by award winning teacher Cody Assmann, each chapter has reflection questions to reinforce the factual information contained in the chapter. Many chapters also

end with extension research links, to allow students the opportunity to continue learning about factual events or people portrayed in this book of historical fiction. Finally, nearly all the chapters end with an extension activity that students can complete at home. These activities have been developed to enhance student's grasp of history, by actually participating in historical skills. Not only will the reader get to learn about history in a fun and entertaining way, but they will also get the opportunity to live out scenes from the book.

[The Ride of a Lifetime](#) Dec 27 2022 #1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • A memoir of leadership and success: The executive chairman of Disney, Time's 2019 businessperson of the year, shares the ideas and values he embraced during his fifteen years as CEO while reinventing one of the world's most beloved companies and inspiring the people who bring the magic to life. NAMED ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR BY NPR Robert Iger

became CEO of The Walt Disney Company in 2005, during a difficult time. Competition was more intense than ever and technology was changing faster than at any time in the company's history. His vision came down to three clear ideas: Recommit to the concept that quality matters, embrace technology instead of fighting it, and think bigger—think global—and turn Disney into a stronger brand in international markets. Today, Disney is the largest, most admired media company in the world, counting Pixar, Marvel, Lucasfilm, and 21st Century Fox among its properties. Its value is nearly five times what it was when Iger took over, and he is recognized as one of the most innovative and successful CEOs of our era. In *The Ride of a Lifetime*, Robert Iger shares the lessons he learned while running Disney and leading its 220,000-plus employees, and he explores the principles that are necessary for true leadership, including:

- Optimism. Even in the face of difficulty, an optimistic leader will

find the path toward the best possible outcome and focus on that, rather than give in to pessimism and blaming. • Courage. Leaders have to be willing to take risks and place big bets. Fear of failure destroys creativity. • Decisiveness. All decisions, no matter how difficult, can be made on a timely basis. Indecisiveness is both wasteful and destructive to morale. • Fairness. Treat people decently, with empathy, and be accessible to them. This book is about the relentless curiosity that has driven Iger for forty-five years, since the day he started as the lowliest studio grunt at ABC. It's also about thoughtfulness and respect, and a decency-over-dollars approach that has become the bedrock of every project and partnership Iger pursues, from a deep friendship with Steve Jobs in his final years to an abiding love of the Star Wars mythology. "The ideas in this book strike me as universal" Iger writes. "Not just to the aspiring CEOs of the world, but to anyone wanting to feel less fearful, more confidently

themselves, as they navigate their professional and even personal lives."

Mind is the Ride Oct 21 2019 When Jet McDonald cycled four thousand miles to India and back, he didn't want to write a straightforward travel book. He wanted to go on an imaginative journey. *Mind is the Ride* takes the reader on a physical and intellectual adventure from West to East using the components of a bike as a metaphor for philosophy, which is woven into the cyclist's experience. Each chapter is based around a single component, and as Jet travels he adds new parts and new philosophies until the bike is 'built'; the ride to India is completed; and the relationship between mind, body and bicycle made apparent. The age of the travelogue is over: today we need to travel inwardly to see the world with fresh eyes. *Mind is the Ride* is that journey, a pedal-powered antidote to the petrol-driven philosophies of the past.

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footed companions inspired an outpouring of neighborliness in a rapidly changing world.

Ride a Cockhorse Dec 23 2019 A revolution is under way at a once sleepy New England bank. Forty-five-year-old Frances Fitzgibbons has gone from sweet-tempered loan officer to insatiable force of nature almost overnight. Suddenly she's brazenly seducing the high-school drum major, taking over her boss's office, firing anyone who crosses her, inspiring populist fervor, and publicly announcing plans to crush her local rivals en route to dominating the entire banking industry in the northeast. The terrifying new order instituted by Frankie and her offbeat goon squad (led by her devoted hairdresser and including her own son-in-law) is an awesome spectacle to behold. Brimming with snappy dialogue and gleeful obscenity, *Ride a Cockhorse* is a rollicking cautionary tale of small-town demagoguery that might be seen to prefigure both America's current financial woes and the rise of Sarah Palin. Frances is in any case a

beautiful monster of an antiheroine—resist her at your peril!

A ride of eight hundred miles in France ... Third edition Mar 06 2021

Ride the Jawbone Jan 04 2021 Montana author, Jim Moore, teaches many history lessons in his debut novel, *Ride the Jawbone*, which effectively transports the reader to central Montana's ranching communities and the famous Jawbone Railroad as they were experienced at the turn of the twentieth century. Into this story of a young lawyer, T. C. Bruce, who is asked to defend an odious outcast that the citizens want to hang, author Moore weaves details about the way of life of ranchers and other citizens of that era. Richard A. Harlow employed much persuasion to finance his Montana Railroad from where it linked with the Northern Pacific at Lombard to the Musselshell River Valley. Because of Harlow's ability to accomplish this task on the strength of his jawbone, people called it the Jawbone Railroad. In Jim Moore's novel, the

body of a young woman is allegedly thrown from this train after the murder was committed. The accused is a reprehensible trapper whom no established attorney in Montana wants to defend. T. C. Bruce is the son of a rancher who owns a large spread an easy horseback ride away from Two Dot, Montana. T. C. loves ranching and is torn between his father's wish for him to take over the ranch and his mother's insistence that he put his education to use and practice law. When the judge asks him to take on the role of defense attorney in the Jawbone murder case, his father encourages him to do so. Two young women who take an interest in the handsome T. C. add complication to the story.

Legend of the Third Horseman Apr 26 2020

Samuel Prescott rode into history like a streak of lightning and out of it as quick as a flash. If it were not for Paul Revere's deposition of his own famous midnight ride, history might never remember Samuel. He was a young physician courting a clockmaker's daughter and planning

to dedicate his life to the practice of medicine until the American Revolution rewrote his destiny. But this is not only his story; it is also that of John Hancock, Samuel Adams, Joseph Warren, William Dawes, Paul Revere, Thomas Hutchinson, Jonas Clark, the Mullikens, and those who died at Lexington and Concord and at Breed's and Bunker hills.

The Ride of Your Life: 25 Reasons Why Theme Parks Are Modern Shrines Sep 12 2021 From the magical colossus of Disney to the charming quaintness of Tivoli Gardens, theme parks are as established as schools and hospitals. Theme parks have become dynamic destinations where people test their courage and learn to have fun in safe environments. Theme parks are also economic catalysts that offer employment, as they require a supporting structure of roads, hotels, restaurants, and shops. Most importantly, they give us a place to celebrate life's milestones. After each reason that theme parks are modern shrines, the author presents a

snapshot of a park. These snapshots represent theme parks around the globe. For example, Disneyland in California represents the ideal of nostalgia while Germany's Europa-Park portrays the virtue of interacting with locals. Take an interesting, informative, and fun look at why theme parks around the globe are so magical with *The Ride of Your Life*.

Siegfried-Idyll; Ritt der Walküren Jun 09 2021

The Ride of a Lifetime Jul 10 2021 Tough, smart business advice from the star of the hit TLC reality show "American Chopper" Now in paperback, *The Ride of a Lifetime* elucidates the business principles that have made Paul Teutul Sr. and Orange County Choppers a household name. Paul's smart, commonsense business wisdom works for businesses both big and small in any industry. Here, he shows you firsthand how he built a uniquely successful business by working hard and demanding it from others; encouraging and embracing unfettered creativity; establishing well-defined roles for

every team member and demanding they support each other; and using honest conflict and confrontation to solve problems and constantly innovate. Paul and his sons build the best one-of-a-kind choppers in the world with unrivaled passion, creativity, and honesty. *The Ride of a Lifetime* shows you how they do it. Offers an inside look at the business practices that built Orange County Choppers into a massively successful business Reveals a different side to the OCC family patriarch Full of practical, real world business principles that lead to unlimited success for any business *The Ride of a Lifetime* is a smart, tough-as-nails guide to business success that every entrepreneur should read.

Summary Of The Ride Of A Lifetime By Robert Iger Aug 19 2019 Robert Iger traces his path from the bowels of an American TV network to CEO of Disney in *The Ride of a Lifetime*. Iger underlines that it was challenging to get to the top; Disney's future was far from certain when

he got his dream position back in 2005. So how did he change the situation? That's what we'll be looking at in these summaries as we examine one of the most innovative CEOs in the world's strategy, vision, and leadership style. We'll learn about Iger's background, who he is, and how he accomplished his goals in these summaries. Along the line, you'll discover: Consider the factors that led Steve Jobs to sell Pixar to Disney; how Iger rose to fame by endorsing David Lynch; and why do businesses that don't innovate fail? You are viewing an UNOFFICIAL SUMMARIZATION of the content from the book "The Ride of A Lifetime: Lessons Learned from 15 Years as CEO of The Walt Disney Company By Robert Iger" The contents of these summaries are not dignified to replace the original book. It is meant as a complement to enhance the reader's understanding. Once again, this complimentary analysis intends to encourage the reader to get the original book to further their comprehension and understanding.

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Ride of the Second Horseman Aug 23 2022

"Accurst be he that first invented war," wrote Christopher Marlowe--a declaration that most of us would take as a literary, not literal, construction. But in this sweeping overview of the rise of civilization, Robert O'Connell finds that war is indeed an invention--an institution that arose due to very specific historical circumstances, an institution that now verges on extinction. In *Ride of the Second Horseman*, O'Connell probes the distant human past to show how and why war arose. He begins with a definition that distinguishes between war and mere feuding: war involves group rather than individual issues, political or economic goals, and direction by some governmental structure, carried out with the intention of lasting results. With this definition, he finds that ants are the only other creatures that conduct it--battling other colonies for territory and slaves. But ants, unlike humans, are driven by their genes; in humans, changes in our culture and subsistence patterns, not our genetic hardware, brought the

rise of organized warfare. O'Connell draws on anthropology and archeology to locate the rise of war sometime after the human transition from nomadic hunting and gathering to agriculture, when society split between farmers and pastoralists. Around 5500 BC, these pastoralists initiated the birth of war with raids on Middle Eastern agricultural settlements. The farmers responded by ringing their villages with walls, setting off a process of further social development, intensified combat, and ultimately the rise of complex urban societies dependent upon warfare to help stabilize what amounted to highly volatile population structures, beset by frequent bouts of famine and epidemic disease. In times of overpopulation, the armies either conquered new lands or self-destructed, leaving fewer mouths to feed. In times of underpopulation, slaves were taken to provide labor. O'Connell explores the histories of the civilizations of ancient Sumeria, Egypt, Assyria, China, and the New World, showing how war

came to each and how it adapted to varying circumstances. On the other hand, societies based on trade employed war much more selectively and pragmatically. Thus, Minoan Crete, long protected from marauding pastoralists, developed a wealthy mercantile society marked by unmilitaristic attitudes, equality between men and women, and a relative absence of class distinctions. In Assyria, by contrast, war came to be an end in itself, in a culture dominated by male warriors. Despite the violence in the world today, O'Connell finds reason for hope. The industrial revolution broke the old patterns of subsistence: war no longer serves the demographic purpose it once did. Fascinating and provocative, *Ride of the Second Horseman* offers a far-reaching tour of human history that suggests the age-old cycle of war may now be near its end.

The Battle of North Cape Dec 03 2020 On 25 December 1943 the German battlecruiser Scharnhorst slipped out Altenfjord in Norway to

attack Arctic convoy JW55B which was carrying vital war supplies to the Soviet Union. But British naval intelligence knew of the Scharnhorst's mission before she sailed and the vulnerable convoy was protected by a large Royal Naval force including the battleship Duke of York. In effect the Scharnhorst was sailing into a trap. One of the most compelling naval dramas of the Second World War had begun. 'Angus Konstam's gripping account tells the story of this crucial but under-studied naval battle, and explains why the hopes of the German Kriegsmarine went down with their last great ship; only 37 of the German battlecruiser's 1700 crew were saved.' The Nautical Magazine 'This book illuminates this forgotten and overlooked battle like an unexpected enemy star shell bursting out of the Arctic night.' IPMS 'Angus Konstam's book is an excellent read and strongly recommended.... thoughtful and totally engrossing....If you are interested in the Royal Navy in the Second World War, the Arctic

convoy campaign or capital ship actions, The Battle of the North Cape is well worth its cover price.' Naval Review

The Ride of a Lifetime Mar 18 2022 Candid forthright graphic at times a bit outrageous; whatever else may be said of Mr. Bess: "His place shall never be with those cold and timid souls who knew neither victory nor defeat." - Theodore Roosevelt, "Man in the Arena" "Leon is the kid from the rough neighborhoods of Detroit who on his sheer smarts and gumption became extremely successful and never grew a big head." -Gary Fry, former law partner at EK&J "When Leon comes down to Cochise County, he doesn't act like those other Phoenix lawyers." - Wallace Riley, former Cochise County Superior Court Judge "When they made Leon, they definitely threw away the mold." -David Wm. West, former law partner at EK&J

Ride of Your Life Feb 05 2021 Seventeen-year-old Tracy Miller met the love of her life . . . thirty years after her own death. Tracy was working at

the House of Horrors at the Amazing Lands Theme Park when the fire broke out. Instead of running, she lost her life trying to save eleven-year-old Mack. Now thirty years have passed, and suddenly everything changes with the arrival of two new ghosts: a little girl named Ashley and a cute seventeen-year-old boy named Josh. Josh would do anything for Tracy, but can he help her let go of the past and accept his love? Ride of Your Life is a bittersweet, romantic, YA ghost story that was inspired by a true event: the Great Adventure Haunted Castle fire, which killed eight teenagers in 1984. It is a fantasy novel about undying love, and it won third-place in Smart Writer's Write It Now (W.I.N.) contest in the YA category, which was judged by Alex Flinn, the author of Beastly and Cloaked. Hang on. Love can be as terrifying as a roller coaster, but it can also be the Ride of Your Life.

Death Ride of the Panzers Jul 22 2022 A fully illustrated guide to Nazi combat vehicles during

the final months of WWII featuring rare photos and detailed information. Death Ride of the Panzers is a unique guide to the Nazi tanks, vehicles, and crews from early 1944 to the end of the war in Europe. Author Dennis Oliver provides never-before-seen photographs from the US National Archives as well as his own personal collection, annotated artist renderings, and detailed explanations and historical context for each collection of images. Written in forensic approach for which Dennis Oliver is known, this comprehensive reference allows readers to trace the combat histories of each subject through orders of battle, maps and organizational diagrams, vehicle allocation charts, and unit biographies. It combines the context and chronology necessary for the general reader with the primary sources and hardware specifics that are essential to the expert.

The Last Ride of Jed Strange Aug 11 2021

Breaking horses in Arizona Territory, Colter Farrow is forced to kill a soldier in self-defense,

sending him on a wild ride to Mexico where he helps the wild Bethel Strange find her missing father. But there's an outlaw on their trail, and the next ones to go missing just might be them...

Last Ride of Caleb O'Toole Jul 30 2020

Children's Book Winner of the Reading the West Book Award! "I need you to be strong." Caleb O'Toole could hear his mother's last words as clearly as if she was sitting right next to him. He promised her he'd keep his sisters safe. But safety is over a thousand miles away in the rugged Bitterroot Mountains-past dust-choked deserts and thorny tumbleweeds and as sun so hot, it's hard to breathe. Tornadoes and hungry wolves wait for them on the path ahead. But with the infamous Blackstone Gang hot on their trail, Caleb has no choice but to keep going. There's no telling how far the gang will go to keep their latest murder a secret. And Caleb is the number one witness to their crime. Caleb O'Toole can hear his mother's last words: "I need you to be strong." and he can't let her down.

A Ride of Eight Hundred Miles in France

Feb 17 2022

The Ride of Your Life Oct 13 2021 "The Ride of Your Life embraces a highly visual, kinetic, and common image-- of a front wheel of a bicycle as a tool, the "front-wheel" concept. The concept helps readers come to understand the spiritual journey to give a beautiful and joyful ride no

matter what has happened in your life. Building upon a life-changing personal event, Tina brings the details of riding a bike into conversation with the discipline of becoming more faithful on her ride by growing her relationship with God." ... amazon.com.

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