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An Italian travelogue describes the trains that traverse the country, from the architecture of old train stations to the new high-speed railways, and portrays the author's memorable encounters along the way.

La Bella Figura Vintage
"In the tradition of M.F.K. Fisher and Peter Mayle, this ... memoir follows American-born Katherine Wilson on her adventures abroad, where a three-month rite of passage in Naples turns into a permanent embrace of this boisterous city on the Mediterranean. It is all thanks to a surprising romance, a new passion for food, and a spirited woman who will become her mother-in-law--and teach her to laugh, to seize joy, and to love"--*Italian Ways: On and Off the Rails from Milan to Palermo* Ten Speed Press
INSTANT USA TODAY BESTSELLER
Spencer Quinn's *It's a Wonderful Woof* presents a holiday adventure for Chet the dog, "the most lovable narrator in crime fiction"

(Boston Globe), and his human partner, PI Bernie Little. Holiday time in the Valley, and in the holiday spirit—despite the dismal shape of the finances at the Little Detective Agency—Bernie refers a potential client to Victor Klovisky, a fellow private eye. It's also true that the case—promising lots of online research but little action—doesn't appeal to Bernie, while it seems perfect for Victor, who is not cut out for rough stuff. But Victor disappears in a rough-stuff way, and when he doesn't show up at his mom's to light the Hanukkah candles, she hires Chet and Bernie to find him. They soon discover that Victor's client has also vanished. The trail leads to the ruins of a mission called Nuestra Señora de los Saguaros, dating back to the earliest Spanish explorers. Some very dangerous people are interested in the old mission. Does some dusty archive hold the secret of a previously unknown art treasure, possibly buried for centuries? What does the Flight into Egypt—when Mary, Joseph and the baby Jesus fled Herod—have to do with saguaros, the Sonoran desert cactus? No one is better than Chet at nosing

out buried secrets, but before he can, he and Bernie are forced to take flight themselves, chased through a Christmas Eve blizzard by a murderous foe who loves art all too much. At the Publisher's request, this title is being sold without Digital Rights Management Software (DRM) applied.

The Happy Poodle

Macmillan

Join the bestselling author of *Ciao, America!* on a lively tour of modern Italy that takes you behind the seductive face it puts on for visitors—la bella figura—and highlights its maddening, paradoxical true self You won't need luggage for this hypothetical and hilarious trip into the hearts and minds of Beppe Severgnini's fellow Italians. In fact, Beppe would prefer if you left behind the baggage his crafty and elegant countrymen have smuggled into your subconscious. To get to his Italia, you'll need to forget about your idealized notions of Italy. Although *La Bella Figura* will take you to legendary cities and scenic regions, your real destinations are the places where Italians are at their best, worst, and most authentic: The highway: in America, a

red light has only one possible interpretation—Stop! An Italian red light doesn't warn or order you as much as provide an invitation for reflection. The airport: where Italians prove that one of their virtues (an appreciation for beauty) is really a vice. Who cares if the beautiful girls hawking cell phones in airport kiosks stick you with an outdated model? That's the price of gazing upon perfection. The small town: which demonstrates the Italian genius for pleasant living: "a congenial barber . . . a well-stocked newsstand . . . professionally made coffee and a proper pizza; bell towers we can recognize in the distance, and people with a kind word and a smile for everyone." The chaos of the roads, the anarchy of the office, the theatrical spirit of the supermarkets, and garrulous train journeys; the sensory reassurance of a church and the importance of the beach; the solitude of the soccer stadium and the crowded Italian bedroom; the vertical fixations of the apartment building and the horizontal democracy of the eat-in kitchen. As you venture to these and

many other locations rooted in the Italian psyche, you realize that Beppe has become your Dante and shown you a country that "has too much style to be hell" but is "too disorderly to be heaven." Ten days, thirty places. From north to south. From food to politics. From saintliness to sexuality. This ironic, methodical, and sentimental examination will help you understand why Italy—as Beppe says—"can have you fuming and then purring in the space of a hundred meters or ten minutes." *La Passione* Simon and Schuster
How can you live the sweet life for less? Does your spending align with your dreams, hopes and goals? Are you deep in debt and see no way out? You aren't alone. But you can still dig your way out and live the sweet life. This book will show you how to look at your life, including your financial life, and determine what truly matters. This book will help you: * Eat well on a budget * Organize your home and finances * Decorate with what you already have * Achieve la bella figura for less * Ensure your spending is in line with your priorities * Set a course for a

financially savvy future * Live a life focused on what truly matters to you Although this little book contains dozens of tips and tricks to set you on the path to financial freedom, more than anything it is meant to inspire and motivate and help you set a course of your own, tailored to your life, your needs, your desires and your goals. You can live the sweet life on a budget.
Joe DiMaggio Simon and Schuster
Are you looking for a lesson in language and in life? If the answer is yes, look no further. Luckily for us, Italians have gifted the globe with their many contributions in the realms of art, opera, cinema, pizza—the list is endless. Although, one area which is often overlooked is the Italian gift of the gab. The greatest gift of them all. Italians possess a bevy of phrases to get you through all of life's phases. So, if you want to change your life, it's simple. All you must change is your vocabulary. *Living The Lingo of Linguine* will provide you with some of Italy's wisest words, expressions, and proverbs. It will strike up a conversation of cultural

comparison and translate these words, not only into English but into a carefully curated way of life. You are welcomed to embrace this language of longevity. To value a vernacular which will raise your vibration. To proudly pronounce an existence of peace and positivity. And to dive into a dialogue like no other.

Only in Naples SUNY Press Stop raising your Poodle puppy on auto pilot! Help your pup develop into a happy and friendly adult dog! Happiness & behavior tips, detailed care guidance and over 130 photos of adorable Poodles all in one book! Looking for daily practical tips and advice to help your puppy develop into a Happy and Well-behaved dog? Wanting to start off on the right foot and avoid dog-behavior professionals for life? This book has all the answers you need. What reviewers are saying: "As a first-time Poodle owner, I found all the info I needed to bring up my pup. Well written and straight forward book, gave me all the care guidance I wanted. Loved the 100s photos, highly recommended.", J. Smith - Watford - UK "I love my 3 year old mini Poodle and have read many books on

the breed. This one really stands out as it is all about my dog's happiness and well-being. I applied the author's tips and my dog is now so much happier and well behaved."Ms Helen Brown - Kent - UK "Brilliant, well researched book on Poodles. I learnt all I need to raise my pup properly into a happy and sweet mannered dog.", A. Jones - N. Jersey - US "As a passionate Poodle owner and vet, I will definitely be recommending this book to this breed's owners. It is a unique guide that not only provides detailed care instructions, but also shows how to raise a problem free, friendly and happy Poodle.", F. Taylor - Leeds - UK Based on thousands of training encounters over 40 years, Asia Moore's "The Happy Poodle" is teaching you everything you need to fulfill your Poodle's needs, prevent behavior problems and build a happy and loving relationship with your canine friend. Asia is giving you countless tips, techniques and practical advice aimed specifically at preventing behavior issues, rather than correcting them after they surface. She is showing you how to be the Ideal Poodle guardian and keep

your dog happy and well-behaved. Personal anecdotes from Asia's experience are dispersed throughout this complete guide. Just a few of the things you will learn: Poodle Puppy happiness tips and practical advice How to happily welcome and housebreak your puppy Techniques for a well-behaved Poodle pup What is the right food for a happy puppy Happy exercise requirements Poodle puppy training, commands, hand signals, tricks, playtime Why you should not treat your Poodle puppy as a child Ideal living conditions for a happy Poodle Daily routines, care and grooming for a happy pup Poodle body language How you can keep on top of your puppy's good health and which medical conditions you should watch out for How to happily socialise your Poodle puppy with people & other dogs How to make your puppy happier by desensitizing him/her against loud noises, teaching basic rules and boundaries and offering rewards for the right behavior How to prevent puppy behaviour issues and avoid dog behavior experts for life How to provide what your puppy needs to be Happy How to

be the Ideal Poodle Guardian What are the common human mistakes causing unhappiness and behaviour issues & how to avoid them How to reverse unwanted behaviors if you slip up Surprise Q&A Chapter with questions answered from your Poodle's perspective Invest the time and effort to study and apply Asia's happiness techniques NOW to raise a Happy and Well-Mannered Poodle. Your puppy really deserves it. Click the BUY NOW button to order your copy of The Happy Poodle!

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In this witty and entertaining collection of travel tales, an acclaimed journalist explores his obsession with trains--and what his rail journeys have taught him about culture and identity. "I've gone around the world in installments. Every trip has been a revelation. I've watched regions, nations, and continents change moods and I've met more people on trains than in forty years of airplane flights. Every train trip has been a spectacle. Trains are stages, cafés, bazaars. The only talk show that will never go off the air..." Beppe Severgnini has spent his

life traveling the world, and not just because he's a journalist; he's a passionate, unflagging train buff. Off the Rails recounts some of his favorite trips across Europe, Australia, Asia, and the United States, each journey bringing readers not only to a different place but to a different time, from his honeymoon on the Trans-Siberian Express (in a four-person compartment!), to a winding journey from Russia to Turkey during the last summer of communism, to a recent coast-to-coast trip with his son from Washington, D.C., to Washington State. Off the Rails is the perfect getaway for anyone with a touch of wanderlust, who dreams of escape or just likes to laugh. Filled with memorable characters and perceptive observations, it demonstrates--hilariously--what unites us. With the world in chaos and life in perpetual fast-forward, it's always the right time to hop on board with Beppe Severgnini and meet your charming, hapless, quarrelsome, romantic, shifty, quirky, endearing neighbors.

Dream of Venice

HarperCollins

"If the Internet could

create its version of the perfect girl, Jeanne Damas would probably be her. . . . She's nailed that French girl je ne sais quoi." --Vogue A window on the world's most stylish city, with more than 100 full-color photos and profiles of 20 diverse and inspiring Parisian women, by "the coolest, most beautiful French girl in France" (GQ) and a former editor in chief of French Elle "We've always been crazy in love with this city. . . . We love its arrogance, its clumsiness, its simplicity. And especially the women who live here." Two quintessential Parisian women--model and fashion designer Jeanne Damas and journalist Lauren Bastide--shine a spotlight on twenty real-life women of Paris, dispelling the myth that there's only one type of Parisian woman and introducing us to the city that real Parisiennes live in. They're booksellers, singers, writers, activists, and antique dealers; they live in small studios, spacious apartments, or houseboats; their ages range from fourteen to seventy . . . and all embody the effortless chic and insouciant spirit of the legendary Parisian woman. In Paris takes us into these women's lives,

telling us about their careers, families, favorite nightlife spots, shopping habits, and beloved books and films. Full-color photos taken by Jeanne herself accompany charming lists of advice on the French art de vivre--from the best places to people-watch with a glass of wine after work to the perfect Parisian playlist to the ten things that a French woman would never, ever post on Instagram. Witty, elegant, and modern, *In Paris* is an ode to Paris through the eyes of its eternally cool women--for everyone who has ever dreamed of one day living in Paris.

[The Hygge Life](#) Broadway Ah, that inimitable Italian style. It's embedded in an Italian woman's DNA. Fashion doesn't define her. She defines herself. She knows that an extraordinary life is not about status, money, or achievement. The only mastery it requires is one her heritage has given her, the irrepressible passion to make art of life itself. She doesn't follow trends and she doesn't follow rules. She embraces tradition and rejects convention. For her life is a gift. Everything is a reason for wonder. The hard stuff is

just a provocation to shake things up. Ask an Italian woman where she gets her sense of style and she will tell you it's not about labels. It's tethered to humble roots; humanity, community, conscious consumerism, and a profound appreciation for art in all its forms. *Sass, Smarts, and Stilettos* takes the reader on a journey from the humble hill towns of Abruzzo to the revered fashion capitals of Milan and Rome, into the artisan workshops of Florence, and the humanistic business practices of Luisa Spagnoli, Brunello Cuccinelli, and Alberta Ferretti, from the emergence of Italy's fashion industry after WWII, to slow food and sustainable fashion initiatives taking root around the world. Life lessons echo in the words of the author's mother and grandmother, in the voices of Italian film divas, designers, tastemakers, writers, and artisans across generations, from the first Sala Bianca in Florence to the game changing design ethic of Franca Sozzani, Miuccia Prada, and Donatella Versace. Learn how to live fully within your own philosophy of living. Say

good-bye to mindless consumerism, emotional clutter, and others' expectations. Create a personal style that fits like a custom blazer by Ferrè and enchants like the colors of a Sicilian sunset. Then go on to craft an extraordinary and empowering life made-to-measure for you alone.

Playlist for a Broken

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La Bella Figura is a lifestyle guide for the woman who aspires to live a European-style life filled with simple pleasures and wants to look good while she does it. It is about making your life richer with less, not more, just like European women do. Who Should Read This Book: * Do you feel overwhelmed and yearn for a life where you spend the majority of your time, money and energy toward what you think really matters? * Have you ever looked in your closet and felt overwhelmed by the sheer number of clothing items you own and yet still feel as if you have nothing to wear? * Do you want to elevate everything in your world to an art form -- from the way you dress to how you

eat and spend your leisure time? La Bella Figura shows how you can bring all the simple pleasures of a European lifestyle into your home and life no matter what your budget or where you live.

French Secrets about Beauty & Fashion Penguin Italian Days is one of the richest and most absorbing travel books written—a journey that traverses the Italian peninsula and immerses readers in a culture which provides the reader with a definition of the good life. *The Italians* FriesenPress Tracey Livesay makes her Avon Impulse debut with a sparkling and sexy novel about a woman who will do anything to fulfill her dreams... but discovers that even the best laid plans can fail when love gets in the way. Successful PR executive Chelsea Grant is one assignment away from making partner at her firm and nothing will stand in her way. Her big break? Turn a reclusive computer genius into a media darling in time for his new product launch. He may have been dubbed the "sexiest geek alive" but he has no patience for the press—and it shows. Piece of cake, right? Only

problem is... his company doesn't want him to know they hired her. After a disastrous product launch two years ago, tech CEO Adam Bennett knows the success of his new device depends on the media's support. When a twist of fate brings the beautiful PR specialist to his door, Adam hires Chelsea to help turn his image around. Their attraction is undeniable and the more time they spend together, the harder it becomes to keep things professional. But when Adam discovers Chelsea's deception, will she risk everything for her career or is love the real thing on her mind? *Sass, Smarts, and Stiletto* Open Road + Grove/Atlantic "My ideal type of armchair travel: immersive, insightful, seductive. In *Bella Figura*, Kamin Mohammadi takes us to the year in Florence that changed her life, and gives us the tools to bring the grace of the Italian lifestyle to our own lives." —National Bestselling Author Stephanie Danler "She walks down the street with a swing in her step and a lift to her head. She radiates allure as if followed by a personal spotlight. She may be tall or short, slim or pneumatically

curvaceous, dressed discreetly or ostentatiously—it matters not. Her gait, her composure, the very tilt of her head is an ode to grace and self-possession that makes her beautiful whatever her actual features reveal." This is the bella figura, the Italian concept of making every aspect of life as beautiful as it can be, that Kamin Mohammadi discovered when she escaped the London corporate media world for a year in Italy. Following the lead of her new neighbors, she soon found a happier, healthier, and more beautiful way of living. The bella figura knows: • That the food that you eat should give you pleasure while eating it. Pause for meals, and set a place, even if you are eating alone. • To seize any opportunity to get moving—be it taking the stairs, doing a coffee run at work, or dancing with abandon. • To drink a spoonful of excellent-quality extra-virgin olive oil four times a day. • To seek out nature, be it a city park, a tree on your street, or some wild place. • And to love yourself. The bella figura—occupies her space, emotionally and physically, with style and entitlement. *Living The Lingo of*

Linguine Penguin Books
 One woman's story of finding beauty, and herself--and a practical guide to living a better life, the Italian way! Kamin Mohammadi, a magazine editor in London, should have been on top of the world. But after heartbreak and loneliness, the stress of her "dream life" was ruining her physical and mental health. Gifted a ticket to freedom--a redundancy package and the offer of a friend's apartment in Florence--Kamin took a giant leap. It did not take her long to notice how differently her new Italian neighbors approached life: enjoying themselves, taking their time to eat and drink, taking their lives at a deliberately slower pace. Filled with wonderful characters--from the local bartender/barista who becomes her love adviser, to the plumbers who fix her heating and teach her to make pasta al pomodoro--here is a mantra for savoring the beauty and color of every day that Italians have followed for generations, a guide to the slow life for busy people, a story of finding love (and self-love) in unlikely places, and an evocative account of a year living an Italian

life.
In Paris Emmaus Academic
 A contemporary guide to classic beauty and fashion, the French way. *La Vie En Rose* takes a peek into the everyday lives of modern-day French belles, divulging their surprising and deep-rooted style secrets. And what's not to love? Cool, classic and chic, a French woman seems naturally blessed with an ingrown sense of style, grace and sophistication. But the mystery goes further than just skin deep. That enigmatic *je ne sais quoi* truly infiltrates into every part of a French woman's life. Discover her must-do's, have-to-haves and never-agains. From her fashion, beauty and hair habits, get the inside scoop on living and looking your best as an effortlessly glamorous *beauté française*. It's as much an ideology as it is a lifestyle. It's *La Vie En Rose*. Like the French Series, Book 3 *Italian Days* Orion
Dream of Venice captures the mysterious allure of the ancient floating city with the evocative photography of Charles Christopher and the beguiling words of a diverse group of contemporary

Venetophiles. With a captivating foreword by bestselling author Frances Mayes, *Dream of Venice* will inspire you to listen to the silence of the canals and lose yourself in the ethereal mist of Piazza San Marco.

La Bella Figura Crown Archetype
 After years of living vicariously through the heroines in her novels, bestselling author Eloisa James takes a leap that most of us can only daydream about. She sells her house, leaves her job as a Shakespeare professor, and packs her husband and two protesting children off to Paris. Grand plans are abandoned as she falls under the spell of daily life as a Parisienne — exquisite food, long walks by the *seine*, reading in bed, displays of effortless chic around every corner, and being reminded of what really matters in a place where people seem to kiss all the time. Against one of the world's most picturesque backdrops, she copes with her Italian husband's notions of quality time; her two hilarious children, ages eleven and fifteen, as they navigate schools — not to mention puberty — in a foreign language; and her formidable

mother-in-law, marina, who believes dogs should be fed prosciutto and wives should live in the kitchen. An irresistible love letter to a city that will make you want to

head there, Paris in Love is also a joyful testament to the pleasures of savouring life.

Ciao, America! W. W. Norton & Company
The author of Romantic Europe and the Ghost of

Italy paints an intimate portrait that blends together history and the unusual to show how his "two Italies" join and clash in unexpected ways. 15,000 first printing.