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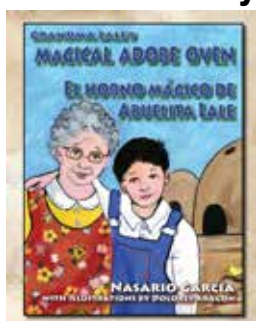
READS

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GRANDMA LALE'S MAGICAL ADOBE OVEN by Nasario Garcia

Description: The horno has been a central part of every home in the Americas, especially Hispanic and Native American homes of New Mexico, the Land of Enchantment. This is the story of nine-year old Junie López, his grandma Lale, and her magical adobe oven. This is the third book that Nasario Garcia and Dolores Aragón have worked on together.



ISBN: 978-1-943681-64-8 \$17.95 pb
978-1943681-84-6 \$25.95 hb54pp

WINNER, PABLITA VELARDE AWARD, HSNM 2019

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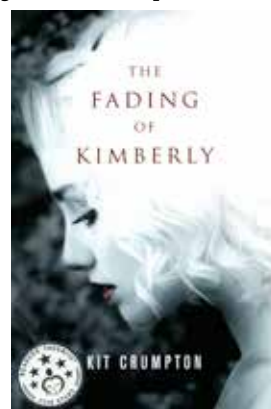
Subject category: Bilingual Childrens' Picture Book

Publisher: Rio Grande Books, www.LPDPpress.com LPDPpress@q.com

Author email: lospobres@cybermesa.com

The Fading of Kimberly by Kit Crumpton

Description: Kimberly's family history does little to protect her from the double standards applied to unconventional women in the early twentieth century. As a child Kimberly witnessed the murder of her friend by an astronomer named Riley Nacht. Riley becomes a resident of Elgin State Mental Hospital. Hospital attendant Eddie Fisk is strangely attracted to Riley and his mythological stories of the stars to the demise of both men.



ISBN: 978-0-99653-962-3, \$17.00, 265pp

Wholesalers/distributors: Amazon and Barnes and Noble

Subject Category: Historical Fiction, Women's Issues

Publisher: Ro Bar Romaani LLC, KitCrumpton.com, Kit@KitCrumpton.com

Author email: Kit@KitCrumpton.com

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The Fly Fisherman's Bucket List by Slim Randles

Description: Welcome to the Great Fly Fishing Race! With this book, you see, it's really a race to see how many of these hundred-plus top places to catch fish in America before you starve to death, because you're having fun instead of working. The fly fishing experts in each state steer you to their own hotspots, tell you when to fish and which flies work best. The rest is up to you. And remember, it isn't nice to drown worms! Take this trip with a true-outdoors person: Randles has packed mules in the High Sierra, competed as a roper and bulldogger in rodeo, guided hunters in Alaska and New Mexico, and drove a team in the first Iditarod Dogsled Race. Join him for some real fun!



ISBN: 978-1-943681-70-9 \$18.95 144pp

WINNER, NATURE/ ENVIRONMENT AWARD, NM-AZ BOOK AWARDS 2017

Wholesalers: Ingram, Follett, Baker & Taylor

Subject: Guide/Travel

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Author: LPDPpress@q.com

Miguel & Michelle Visit Spaceport America by Loretta Hall

Come along with Miguel & Michelle as they learn the answers to these questions: What is a spaceport? Where is Spaceport America? Are there space aliens there?



Learn about New Mexico's long history and exciting future!

WINNER, NM-AZ BOOK AWARDS, 2017

ISBN: 978-01-943681-17-4 42pp \$16.95

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Children's picture book; adventute story (grades 1-5)

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New Mexico author and lawyer, **Jonathan Miller** has been weaving his legal thrillers for over a decade. His last novel, *Luna Law*, was a co-winner of the 2017 Tony Hillerman award at the New Mexico/Arizona Book Awards. *Rattlesnake & Son* is the eleventh book in the best-selling Rattlesnake Lawyer series.

His son was the last person Dan Shepard, the Rattlesnake Lawyer, expected to meet when he walked into the courthouse in Truth or Consequences, New Mexico. Turns out Marley may be psychic and with his special abilities Dan can take his law practice statewide. *Rattlesnake & Son* could be the next great New Mexico law firm. Unfortunately, things go exceedingly wrong at school for Marley and he's charged with a serious crime. The Rattlesnake Lawyer now has to represent his son in his wildest trial yet. When Dan learns the truth about his son, he will have to face some extremely dangerous consequences.

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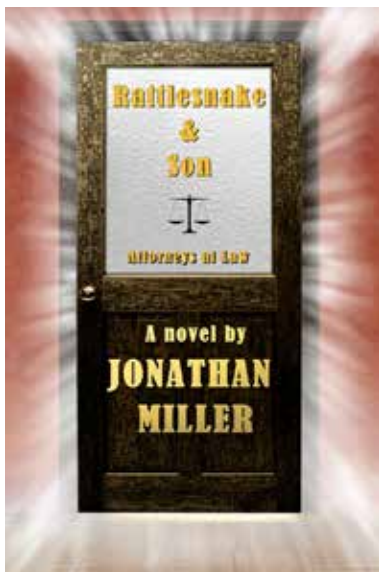
Release Date: 03-05-19

Paperback

Retail: \$17.95 / 344 pgs

Available from Midwest

Trade Books, Ingram, Baker & Taylor, IPG, and Follett.



Canadian author, **Pierre C. Arseneault** is known for his award-winning horror stories, but with his latest novel he takes a more humorous look at the world we live in and the people who live with us. *Poplar Falls* is a detective story wrapped in a heavy cloak of dark humor.

The small city of Poplar Falls is abuzz with gossip after a body is found tied to a four post bed, a pillow still on its face. Detectives Franklin Dodge and Roxanne Tilley investigate the strange circumstances surrounding the death of Charlie Baker, a client of the local Rehabilitation Centre. Meanwhile new evidence arises in a cold case whose perpetrator has become known as the Panty Bandit. The biggest challenge Dodge and Tilley face is the race against the constant gossip spreading like wildfire through town by the group of elderly ladies known as the Naughty Knitters. But the question remains, who killed Charlie Baker?

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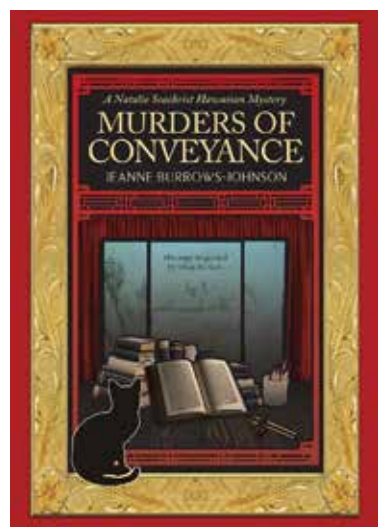
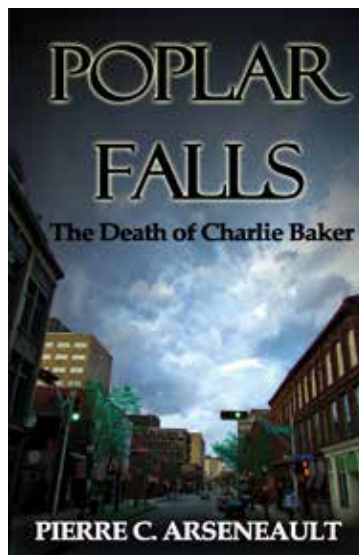
Release Date: 03-19-19

Retail: \$14.95 / 212 pgs

Paperback

Available from Midwest

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ISBN: 9781932926729

Release Date: 04-02-19

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Hardback

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Arizona author, **Jeanne Burrows-Johnson** releases the third book in her award-winning cozy mystery series set in Hawai'i. *Murders of Conveyance* combines detailed pan-Asian history, Hawaiian culture, and an amateur sleuth that rivals Miss Marple or Jessica Fletcher.

Journalist Natalie Seachrist and her boyfriend, private investigator Keoni Hewitt, join a scavenger hunt across O'ahu during Chinese New Year. Visiting popular tourist sites and partaking of a lūau and Chinese feast are appealing attractions. But when Natalie realizes her vision of a mid-twentieth century murder parallels a crime that occurs outside their hotel room, she and Keoni must again aid in the investigation of HPD Lieutenant John Dias. Although the crimes are separated by sixty years, the trio considers whether they may be connected. Expanding visions, a false scavenger hunt clue, and a hidden, priceless Kuan Yin statue in Honolulu's Chinatown point them toward a single murderer with long hidden secrets.

ISBN: 9781932926651

Release Date: 03-05-19

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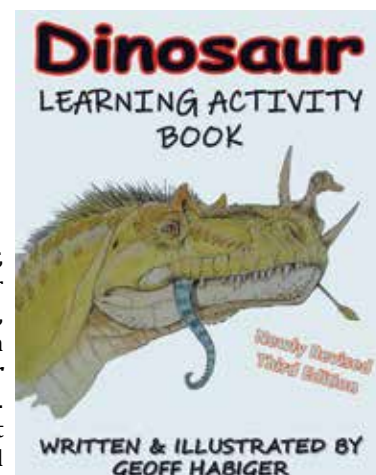
Paperback

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New Mexico author, geologist, and dinosaur enthusiast, **Geoff Habiger**, releases the latest edition of his best-selling *Dinosaur Learning Activity Book*. Dinosaurs ruled the planet for 180 million years, and continue to be the most popular museum attraction for children and adults alike.



Matching, puzzles, mazes, connect-the-dots, and lots of pages to color make learning about dinosaurs and geology fun for paleontologists of any age. With over 80 pages of dinosaur material the *Dinosaur Learning Activity Book* is perfect for those rainy afternoons, long trips in the car, or a visit to your local museum.

The third edition has been recently updated to reflect the many amazing and fun changes being made by paleontologists as they continue to study and learn about dinosaurs. From new discoveries to confirming feathers on many different dinosaurs this latest edition keeps up with the cool dinosaur science.

From Overwhelmed to Inspired ~ Your Personal Guide to Health and Well-being by Mary Jayne Rogers Ph.D.

Description: Dr. Mary Jayne Rogers guides you on a journey toward personal empowerment and well-being. From Overwhelmed to Inspired cuts through the misinformation of most diet and exercise fads to help you discover the true essentials of wellness and how to attain better health, improved relationships and a deeper connection to your inner source.

ISBN: 9781534853089 145pp

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The Doctor Danced with Us by Louis Hieb

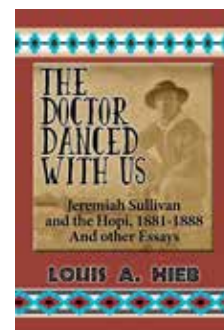
From early in 1881 until the summer of 1888, Jeremiah Sullivan lived on the Hopi First Mesa, practicing medicine, participating in the social and ceremonial life of the community, and recording songs and narratives. Soon dismissed as agency physician, arrested, threatened with expulsion by military force, blacklisted from employment by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs and the Smithsonian Institution, slandered by Frank Hamilton Cushing, and all but forgotten in the history of anthropology, Sullivan's residence among the Hopi was the immediate cause of the creation of the 1882 Executive Order Moqui [Hopi] Pueblo Indian Reservation.

ISBN: 978-1-943681-25-9 370pp \$19.95

Subject: Hopi Indians; Southwest History

Publisher: Rio Grande Books

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WINNER, BEST BIOGRAPHY, NM PRESS WOMEN BOOK AWARDS 2018

Archaeopteryx (Book One, The Albuquerque Trilogy) by Dan Darling

Description: When John Stick, a zookeeper with giantism, discovers a breed of chupacabra monsters trained to hunt down undocumented migrants, he begins unraveling a mystery within the mountains of New Mexico. To solve the crisis facing his homeland, Stick must face his family's secret history, bare the scars on his own heart, and make tough choices about his identity. Archaeopteryx is a finalist for the New Mexico/Arizona books awards.

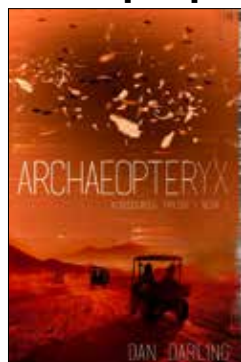
ISBN: 9781948099332 \$20.99 pp336

Distributor: Ingram

Subject Category: Southwest, Mystery

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The Soulful Child: Twelve Years in the Wilderness by Chloe Rachel Gallaway

Description: Out of the '60s counterculture movement arises a true story about risking it all for freedom, told from the heart of child born and raised in the wilderness of Lindrith. Gallaway puts NM on the world map for its enchanting beauty and collective of awe-inspiring people. "An extraordinary read" (*Midwest Book Review*); "A deeply moving remembrance...of the privations and delights of growing up in rural northern New Mexico." (*The Albuquerque Journal*)

ISBN: 978-0997547085, \$23.95, 330 pp.

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Essential Paranormal Bucket List by Riley Mitchell

Description: Are you someone who loves a good ghost story? Do you occasionally scan the evening sky for signs of flying saucers? Have you ever hoped to see a legendary monster in the woods or at the lake? Do you always read your daily horoscope before venturing out of the house in the morning? If your answer to any of these questions is "yes," then you have come to the right place. This guide profiles one hundred of the world's most intriguing paranormal destinations, activities, and opportunities that you should seek out during your allotted time on Earth.

ISBN: 978-1-943681-71-6 \$15.95 128pp

Wholesalers: Ingram, Follett, Baker & Taylor

Subject: Guide/Travel

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WINNER, BEST TRAVEL BOOK, NM PRESS WOMEN BOOK AWARDS, 2017

ALBUQUERQUE'S NORTH VALLEY by Francelle Alexander

Description: For centuries, a strand of settlements was built along the Rio Grande by the ancient Pueblo peoples, many of which disappeared before and during the Pueblo Revolt in 1680. In the 1700s, when the Spanish returned, they built villages along the Rio Grande, not only what is now Old Town but many others.

ISBN: 978-1-943681-14-3/978-1-943681-67-9 \$24.95 pb 243pp & 229pp

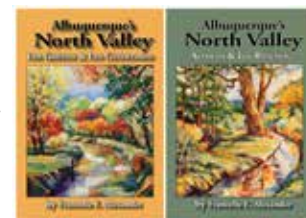
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Subject Category: Southwest history

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WINNER, BEST NONFICTION NATL FED OF PRESS WOMEN BOOK AWARD, 2019

So Long for Now: A Sailor's Letters from the USS Franklin by Jerry L. Rogers

Description: 2018 NM/AZ Book Award Finalist. A poignant history of small town America during WWII, young love, humor, and lasting tragedy told through the daily experiences of one sailor among more than 3,000 crew members of a giant aircraft carrier that sailed directly into the teeth of the enemy's war machine. A lesson in leadership and, in the end, simple luck and circumstance, in determining who lives and who does not.

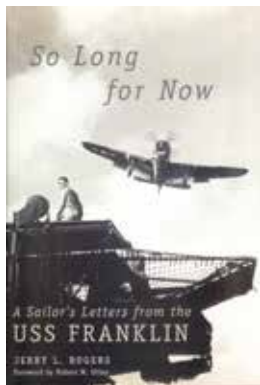
ISBN: 9780806156323 \$29.95 432 pp

Distributor: University of Oklahoma Press

Subjects: World War 1939-1945; Personal narratives, American

Publisher: University of Oklahoma Press oupres.com oupres@ou.edu

Author Email: jrogers@cnsf.net



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Overtured Bucket by Rose Spader

Description: Go back 400 years to my little village of Taos, the Indian tribes and massive buffalo herds, Mexico encouraging homesteaders in Northern New Mexico, conquistadors establishing Spain as the ruling government for 300 years, Mexico winning back the land from Spain. On to America with the mindset of manifest destiny, gaining half of Mexico's land. Experience the conditions and hardships of brave people courageously carving the Territorial Southwest—my ancestors.

ISBN: 9780996900003 \$14.99 290pp

Wholesalers/distributors: Amazon, Kindle

Subject Category: NM Territorial History, Historical Memoir

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Tales from La Perla: A Misspent Hippie Youth by Ralph M. Flores

Description: Though cast as fiction, these stories show what dropping into a small New Mexico town at the end of the highway in the Rio Abajo was like for freaks rejecting the madness of the Vietnam War and mainstream U.S. culture. This posthumous collection by the author of *The Horse in the Kitchen* includes photographs by Bob Christensen and others and depicts Ralph's evolution from a 1970s dropout to a man finding his way to connections with others. A section at the end, *Beyond La Perla*, shows the author's further evolution as he came to realize what he values most.

ISBN: 978-1-7328852-1-9 \$12 215pp

Wholesalers/distributors: Geri Rhodes

Subject category: Southwestern Fiction

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Tom Max in the Wild West / Tom Max en el viejo oeste by Tomás Maximiliano Benavidez

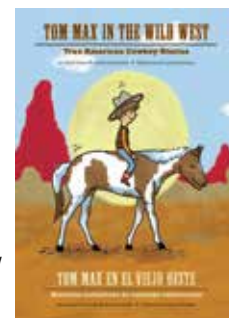
Description: It's a sweet collection of true stories told by a native New Mexican. His stories take place when he was a young cowboy and the son of a broncobuster in Hatch, New Mexico. Tom Max had many unforgettable childhood adventures. The stories tell of his daily life lessons: from chasing jackrabbits in desert, to saving his brother's life, and hunting with his father and brother in the nearby mountains. Brings an authentic New Mexican voice and is a thoroughly entertaining book from beginning to end.

ISBN: 978-1-60448-042-9, 24 pp

Wholesalers/distributors: Brodart, Follett and Publisher

Subject Category: Children's, Non-fiction

Publisher: LecturaBooks, www.LecturaBooks.com info@LecturaBooks.com 5F



Samuel Bowman Watrous: Transitional Frontiersman by John Taylor

Description: Samuel Watrous, born three years before the War of 1812, traveled to the Mexican Province of Nuevo México in 1835 by wagon train along the Santa Fe Trail and ran a store for miners during a period of gold fever south of Santa Fe. He and his family homesteaded on the eastern plains in 1849, and saw the opening of NM to the rest of the U.S. as the railroad replaced the wagon train as a means of transport. His was truly the life of a transitional frontiersman of the American West.

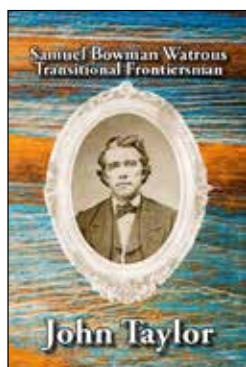
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Subject: New Mexico Biography/History

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The Sun: a Mystery by J. Courtney White

Description: Something's amiss in the New West... A murdered ranch employee. A vanished suspect. A stolen rodeo horse. A black helicopter. Angry environmentalists. Menacing oil-and-gas developers. A Sasquatch hunter gone astray. A mysterious billionaire. A missing can opener... The Sun Ranch Saga is a contemporary mystery series on a historic cattle ranch in northern New Mexico, near the fictional town of Alameda, during the tumultuous years of 2008-9.

ISBN: 978-1-7327561-0-6 \$12.99 364 pp

Subject category: Fiction / Mystery

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