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CHRISTINA HECKE Let's Be Honest My Glimpse Behind Our Lives

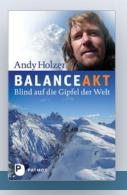
ISBN: 978-3-8436-1218-0 | Patmos | Hardcover with dust jacket | 272 pages | 14×22 cm | \notin 24.00

A look behind the scenes

The actress Christina Hecke impresses with her sensitive, caring and simultaneously intensive approach, which she also teaches by means of the Hecke Method: Truth in Acting. The background of this attitude is the conviction that we human beings already know from a very young age how we are connected with each other and with all of life. This is an intuition that we often lose, yet it is an indispensable condition for really being able to encounter each other.



Ich, SALFRANK Birgit, Autistin Psychotherapeutin





Nora-Marie Ellerymeyer **Life Fog**

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1063-6 Patmos

Burnout and depression can affect anyone. For psychotherapist Nora-Marie Ellermeyer, suddenly, nothing works anymore. She plunged into a deep dark depression that lasted for more than a year.

Sold: Korean

BIRGIT SAALFRANK I, Birgit, Autist and Psychotherapist

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1117-6 Patmos

An autistic psychotherapist? When Birgit Saalfrank was diagnosed with Asperger's syndrome, her world fell apart. But she learns to accept herself and can ultimately lead a happy life – even if it means giving up her profession.

Sold: Korean

ANDY HOLZER Balancing Act

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0043-9 Patmos

Blind mountaineer Andy Holzer has climbed the world's highest mountain peaks. His optimism and mental strength are inspiring.

Sold: German audio rights

Andy Holzer My Everest

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1093-3 Patmos

In May 2017, mountain climber Andy Holzer – who has been blind since birth caused a sensation: He reached the summit of Mount Everest, which meant fulfilling his greatest dream. In this book, he describes his spectacular expedition to the Roof of the World.









ELENA PIRIN My Lion Cub

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0767-4 Patmos

Leo does just fine, just not at the pace that development tests and society expect. Elena Pirin loves son above everything else, but sometimes she is discouraged by the difficulties that everyday life with a disabled child entails.

Sold: Korean

Nicole Knörr Lean Years

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0988-3 Patmos

When Nicole was 13 years old she started eating less and less. With the progression of her anorexia, she only consumed 300ml of non-fat broth and is rushed to the hospital. Just one day later would have meant too late. But Nicole is a fighter...

Max Rinneberg You Wake Up and Your Life

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0873-2 Patmos

is Gone

When Max Rinneberg woke up in hospital after a fall, he didn't recognize his parents and friends anymore. He had to reconquer everything forgotten and reinvent himself, which is not possible without an existential crisis.

BRIGITTE BIERMANN Murdered or: The Terror In My Marriage

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0974-6 Patmos

Andrea's marriage is full of humiliation and violence. Her attempts to flee fail. She sees no way out and kills her husband. In prison, she writes letters to her daughter which encourage a discussion on guilt and justice.

Sea rescuer in the Mediterranean

- First extensive personal report on sea rescue in the Mediterranean
- A young woman fights for humanity
- Enthralling story



After passing her university-entrance exam and during her training as a boat builder, the 20-year-old Zoe joined the German Jugend rettet (Youth Rescues) organisation to save the lives of refugees by working on a ship in the Mediterranean. Her mission on the Iuventa became an existential borderline experience for which Zoe was not prepared: Confronted with panic, disease and the death of refugees, she primarily had to struggle with her own anger and helplessness in view of this tragedy in the Mediterranean. The situation became even worse when she and the other crew members were investigated for aiding and abetting illegal entry.

This is a moving and highly topical story of a young woman fighting for justice and humanity – even if she endangers herself in doing so.

Zoe Katharina **Zoe Means Life** I Risked 20 Years of Prison for Rescuing Hundreds of People at Sea – And Would Do It Again

ISBN 978-3-8436-1230-2 Patmos Hardcover 220 pages 14 x 22 cm € 18.00

ZOE KATHARINA, born in 1996 in southtary rescue helper in the Mediterranean. In 2017, she saved the lives of hundreds of refugees as a motorboat operator and Iuventa crew member.



Also vailable:

Gudrun Pflüger Wolfspirit

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0141-2

When diagnosed with an aggressive brain tumor, Pflüger was told she had 18 months left to live. Taking the wolf as model, she trusts in her own powers of self-healing and overcomes her illness.

Sold: English (World)



SIGRID TSCHÖPE-SCHEFFLER

I Used to be a Snazzy Bird, But Now I'm a Lame Duck

My Old Mother, Her Eastern European Caregivers and I

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1233-3 | Patmos | Softcover with flaps | 180 pages | 14 x 22 cm | € 18.00

Mother needs help!

More than four million elderly people in need of care live in the German-speaking regions. The author and her mother have decided on support by around-the-clock caregivers from Eastern Europe. This has allowed the mother to live at home for a long time, even when the "Black Monkey" – which is what she called the progressive dementia – later developed. The smart, open-minded and humorous lady seized the opportunity of living with her caregivers for a personal and cultural exchange. This allowed the creation of strange and wonderful, but also sad, stories that show how even a care situation can be lively and enriching.

PETER SCHMIDT

A Valentine's Day Cactus

Autism and Love

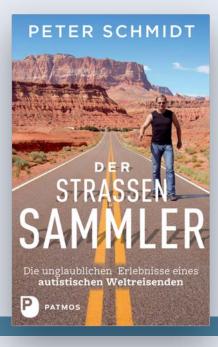
ISBN: 978-3-8436-0211-2 | Patmos | Hardcover with dust jacket | 224 pages | 14 x 22 cm | \in 19.99

Sold: Polish

The story of a lived contradiction

He prefers to observe people from behind, because trouser seams are more interesting than faces. Presumably, he would not recognize his wife if he saw her on the street. Peter Schmidt is a person with autism. An invisible wall separates him from other people. He cannot understand others' feelings, nor can he interpret their facial expressions. For him, small talk represents a balancing act, a choice of which foot to put in his mouth. All this doesn't exactly make him Prince Charming, but he is nevertheless happily married with children.





PETER SCHMIDT

The Street Collector

The Incredible Adventures of an Autistic World Traveler

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0832-9 | Patmos | Softcover with flaps | 288 pages | 14 x 22 cm | € 19.99

An autistic globetrotter

Travel is by nature unpredictable. And autistic people hate unpredictability. That makes it all the more surprising that Peter Schmidt, diagnosed with Asperger's syndrome, wants to collect all the roads of the world, but his longing and passion for collecting are stronger than the fear of the unknown. Peter Schmidt crosses ice deserts, experiences distress at sea, and travels through Syria during the impending civil war. He doesn't start to panic until the McDonald's on highway 95 runs out of soda... because that was not expected. Peter Schmidt takes us with him on his bizarre trip around the globe.

Differently different, but how?

- Understanding autism
- A non-fiction book about autism from the inner and outer perspective
- With recommendations for autism-friendly schools and workplaces



There are many prejudices about autistic people, as conveyed by films like "Rain Man" that still shape the prevailing view of them to this day. But what is autism really and how can we better understand the people who have it? Dr. Peter Schmidt, himself an Asperger autist and highly talented geophysicist, explains the typical types of autistic behaviour and how these may be perceived from the inside and outside viewpoint. Misunderstandings are pre-programmed in living with others and at the workplace if non-autistic people do not take into consideration the autists' different way of perceiving things and special needs. This book provides a well-founded professional and yet entertaining contribution on this topic.

PETER SCHMIDT Kein Anschluss UNTER DIESEM Kollegen

By the same author:

PETER SCHMIDT This Connection Is Not in Service

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0517-5

He doesn't recognize his colleagues' faces, and he is so honest with clients that he undermines his boss's marketing strategy. This is because Peter Schmidt has autism. He doesn't let this stop him and builds a career in the field of IT.

Peter Schmidt **Out of the Ordinary** Practical Autism Information by Someone Who Knows About It

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1175-6 **Patmos** Hardcover with dust jacket 256 pages 14 x 22 cm € 22.00

Dr. Peter Schmidt has a Ph.D. in geophysics, and is an expert in information technology. His passions include volcaage of 41, a coincidence led him to realize that he has Asperger's syndrome. He has a rare talent for mathematics and the natural sciences, but human communication is often a riddle for him. He lives with his wife and two children in northern Germany.



CLAUS KOCH

Children of Separation

How Parents and Their Children Become Happy Again After Separation and Divorce

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1108-4 | Patmos | Hardcover with dust jacket | 240 pages | 14×22 cm | $\notin 20.00$

Separation and divorce – what makes parents and children strong

What happens within children and adolescents whose parents separate? And how do the adults cope with their own feelings, which are often difficult? Based on the latest scientific studies, the psychologist and attachment expert Claus Koch outlines perspectives on how parents and their children can best cope with a separation or divorce. After a separation, this approach allows the courage and confidence for a new and happy life to develop once again.



Ein Papa Sist keine Mana Was ein Baby von seinem Vater braucht





RITA STEININGER When Little Dragons Spit Fire

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1188-6 Patmos

When children turn into little dragons it costs parents a lot of energy and nerves. By using games, exercises and tips that apply to everyday situations, the author shows how parents can intercept their children's fits of rage and steer them into more constructive channels.

Josephine Schwarz-Gerö A Dad Is Not a Mom

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1092-6 Patmos

While the role of the new mother is clear, there are many questions in the part of the father. Josephine Schwarz-Gerö explains how a father can fulfil his role in a way that is good for everyone. This makes it possible to resolve conflicts and dissatisfaction.

Sold: Romanian

Stefan weigand Great, Dad!

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1060-5 Patmos

Children change life and turn men into fathers. Many things are completely new, others disappear from view. With a straightforward and relaxed and approach, the author gets to the bottom of everyday life of a father and brings back many moments of calmness and serenity.

Elisabeth Raffauf

They Don't Just Do Nothing: They Lie There and Grow

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1019-3 Patmos

This book reminds readers of their own chaos years and helps understanding today's young people in their conflict between need for affection and rebellion, as well as exploring the role of the parent in a new way.

Sold: Korean



Wie ich meinem Kind zu einem starken Selbstwertgefühl verhelfe





RITA STEININGER The Basics of Fighting Fairly

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0468-0 Patmos

The author uses typical examples and concrete tips to demonstrate how parents can guide their families toward respectful coexistence. You can master conflict with your children without yelling or punishments.

Heinz-Peter Röhr How I Can Help my Child Gain Strong Self-Esteem

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0995-1 Patmos

Röhr shows how parents can recognize negative inner workings of their children and deal with it in a helpful way. It's possible to strengthen their self-esteem to cope with life while growing up! Sold: Czech

Josephine Schwarz-Gerö Baby, Why Won't You Eat?

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0033-0 Patmos

When a baby doesn't want to eat, parents worry about the wellbeing of their child. Their desperate attempts to get their baby to eat often trap them in a vicious cycle, although the baby knows what the solution is!

Sold: Italian

Christine Rankl How to Soothe Your Baby

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0060-6 Patmos

Babies who cry a lot often leave their parents feeling helpless and frustrated. Christine Rankl explains the various causes for severe crying in babies and provides useful advice to parents.

Sold: Chinese (simplified)

Religion that enriches family life

- Basics, experiences and tips
- Age-appropriate and descriptive
- ► From the practice and for the practice



More attention is being paid once again to the idea that children's personality development should also include contact with religion. Children already bring a religious openness with them: Even the little ones ask the big questions about where they came from, where they are going and why.

This guide supports mothers and fathers, grandparents and educators in being age-appropriate and religion-sensitive companions for children. The author imparts basic and experiential knowledge on religious development. She encourages the mutual discussion of questions that will arise sooner or later. And she provides practical suggestions for shaping everyday life, as well as the highlights of family life and over the course of the year.

Albert Biesinger
Julia Biesinger

Ein Etternbegleiter
durch den
Erziehungsalltag

Kindern

Grundvertrauen
und Orientierung
geben

Also available:

Albert Biesinger/Julia Biesinger **Giving Children Fundamental Trust and Guidance** ISBN: 978-3-8436-0775-9

What can parents do for their children to help them master a life in which they will inevitably have to deal with stress, fears, and pressure to achieve? This is a guidebook for parents through everyday life with kids.

HEIKE HELMCHEN-MENKE

Accompaniment Into Life

Religious Sensitivity Through

Everyday Family Life

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1159-6 Patmos Softcover with flaps 192 pages 14 x 22 cm € 19.00

HEIKE HELMCHEN-MENKE, graduate theologian and pastoral advisor, is head of the Elementary Pedagogy Department at the Archdiocese of Freiburg's Institute for Religious Education. She is a sought-after speaker and author of many publications on religious education. The mother of two adult daughters lives with her husband in Freiburg i.Br., Germany.



CHRISTOPH AUGNER

Self-Optimization Is Also Not the Solution

An End to Perfection Mania

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1232-6 | Patmos | Hardcover | 160 pages | 12 x 19 cm | € 16.00

Getting out of the optimization trap

Faster, better and more efficient – more from life in less time. We live in the age of self-optimization: Apps take our body measurements and tell us how many steps we should walk or what we are allowed to eat. In the past, medications were prescribed when we were sick but now we swallow pills to function better, which is called biohacking or neuro-enhancement. But the more we strive for optimization, the greater our discontent becomes. The psychologist Christoph Augner explains why this situation arose and shows that there is a way out: de-optimization.









Hans Morschitzky When Fear Determines Life

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1189-3 Patmos

In this book, experienced behavioral therapist Hans Morschitzky describes the latest developments in the diagnosis and treatment of the known five anxiety disorders: claustrophobia, social phobia, specific phobia, panic disorders and

generalized anxiety disorder.

Hans Morschitzky/ Thomas Hartl

Understanding and Overcoming Fear of Illness

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0153-5 Patmos

A guidebook for people suffering from excessive fear of illness featuring a self-help program in seven steps for those affected.

Sold: Complex Chinese, Italian, Romanian

CHRISTOPH AUGNER

Soul in Search of Substance

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0844-2 Patmos

Mobbing, burnout and depression are taking on epidemic proportions. Psychology has never been in such great demand as it is today, and it has never provided so little help. The author is in search of a psychology that gives a sense of purpose in life.

Udo Rauchfleisch

Living (and Loving) with Borderline Personality Disorder

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0636-3

Psychotherapist Udo Rauchfleisch helps friends and partners of people with borderline disorder to understand this serious psychological illness and gives concrete suggestions.

Sold: Korean









Udo Rauchfleisch Narcissists are Only Human as Well

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0994-4 Patmos

Narcissism is the disorder of our time. The author explains this phenomenon and provides understanding for narcissistic personalities. We can learn how to handle them without demonizing them.

Sold: Korean

Ursula Tirier

Confronting the Giant of Fear

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1113-8

Fears can be so distressing and can become an anxiety disorder. In this book, an expert for logotherapy sums up briefly and succinctly how people with anxiety disorders can succeed in better understanding their lives in view of threats and suffering.

Rosa Rechtsteiner Family Baggage

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0656-1 Patmos

Our family of origin affects us far more than we are aware of. In this book, Rosa Rechtsteiner conveys us how we can consciously unearth the rules in our own families and use that insight to promote powerful process of change.

CHRISTIAN FIRUS Finding Land Again

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0742-1 Patmos

Depression is on the rise and can happen to anyone! But there is effective help. The author highlights the most important strategies. His approach: the most important step is to take good care of yourself, and to recognize where you have freedom to act.

Overcoming wounds and allowing closeness

- ► How couples can grow through crises
- ► Trendy topic of the inner child
- With many tips and exercises



The first experiences that we have in childhood with our parents help to determine whether and how our own relationships succeed. If we lacked support, appreciation and love as a child, these emotional wounds will probably also interfere in our couple relationships. Within this context, the authors speak about the narcissistic wounds that become apparent in relationship crises when conflict scenarios repeat and are dominated by feelings such as pain, anger or shame. The authors, who are also a couple in private life, show how people can leave the negative spiral of inadequate self-love, shame and insecurity to find true communication and deeper closeness.



Also available:

CHRISTIAN FIRUS

The Long Shadow of Childho

The Long Shadow of Childhood ISBN: 978-3-8436-1015-5

Patmos

Emotional injuries and traumatic experiences in childhood can have an impact on a person's entire life. The author provides tips on how adults can cope with their "difficult childhood" and gain a greater enjoyment of life. Barbara Röser/Udo Röser
The Wounded Inner Child
and Love

How to Achieve Deep Closeness in Couple Relationships

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1237-1
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€ 18.00

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Felicitas Römer

Grow In Love and Become Happy

Using Relationship Conflicts as an Opportunity

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1180-0 | Patmos | Paperback | 176 pages | 14 x 22 cm | € 18.00 **Sold: Romanian**

Strengthening love

Every couple argues – and this is also good since every conflict offers developmental opportunities for the individual partners and the couple. This approach also applies to conflicts that constantly recur, sometimes escalate or appear meaningless. In this book, couple therapist Felicitas Römer illustrates how even diffuse or absurd conflict patterns have a deeper meaning. Using many practical examples from her therapeutic practice, the author shows how couples succeed in resolving their reciprocal entanglements.









JO ECKARDT

Talking is Gold – How Conversation Strengthens Love

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0746-9 Patmos

This book provides practical instructions for how couples can become closer again through intensive conversations. Focused questionnaires to open up and get to know each other anew.

Sold: Italian

Marascha Daniela Heisig Love Nevertheless

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0840-4 Patmos

Marascha Daniela Heisig demonstrates that we have to continually learn to transform what has not been reconciled, in order to master the everyday challenges of love. Using a 10step process, couples can rediscover a loving and forgiving relationship.

Tom Diesbrock Hermann!

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1186-2 Patmos

Hermann is our inner critic. He picks us to pieces and nags at us. We want to run away, but Hermann runs with us. Because he is part of our personality that "actually" just wants to help us. The author knows how Hermann ticks and reveals how we can defuse his criticism.

Doris Bewernitz/Andrea Lauer/Ilka Haederle

Asta of Astasia's Guide

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1172-5 Patmos

Hot flashes? Sleep disorders? There's finally an expert who can answer all of the questions related to the so-called change of life with humor and wisdom: Asta of Astasia. The self-confident lady pug shares the results of her research findings.









Doris Bewernitz The Secret of Slowness

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1046-9 Patmos

People train their "functioning" throughout their entire life, but stopping, dreaming and inner calm are not obviously part of the practice plan. The author tells us about how she has discovered the secret of slowness for her own life.

RITA STEININGER The Little Be-Good-toYourself-Book

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0642-4 Patmos

Stop constantly criticizing yourself! Many women between 40 and 50 would like to be kinder to themselves. But for many, it isn't easy to do something for their own benefit but Rita Steininger shows that it is possible!

Heinz-Peter Röhr The Art of Appreciating Yourself

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0391-1 Patmos

Heinz-Peter Röhr shows how it is possible to develop appreciation for oneself and find a way to create a happy and successful life. Over 10,000 copies sold.

ERICH SCHECHNER Live Your Possibilities

ISBN: 978-3-8436-10≠03-2 Patmos

The life journey of Viktor Frankl led to the foundation of a form of psychotherapy, guided by the meaning of existence which helps to say Yes to life even in abysmal situations. Viktor Frankl's impulses explained for all purpose-seekers of our time.

About the strength of friendship and power of dreams

- Ideal for reading, giving as a gift and dreaming
- Lessons for modern life



This is a book about friendship, the power of dreams and the invisible forces that accompany us. In his mid-thirties, Michael is in a crisis: His girl-friend left him two years ago, and he no longer enjoys his job or sports. If it weren't for his friends!

The first one is Chris, an artist and bon vivant who lives in an old construction trailer. Then there is the "round table," four completely different people who are very close to him: Bonnie, Joy, Theo and Dr. Zweifel. They meet with him on a regular basis at a place that exists outside of time: Café Timeless. This is where he learns how dreams can change his life and an angel becomes a companion for his life.

This book is like wings for the soul.

RAINER HAAK **Café Timeless** A Tale About the Wings of the Soul

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1206-7 Patmos Hardcover with book ribbon 128 pages 12 x 19 cm € 14.00

RAINER HAAK worked as a waiter, book dealer, pastor, concert organizer and tour operator before he became one of the most successful book authors in the Germanlanguage region with more than 9 million books sold.



Also available:

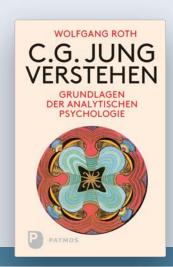
Andrea Schwarz

About Chaos, Order and the True Life

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1165-7

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Opposites are what keep us lively if we put them into the right relationship with each other. How we deal with opposites and find a greater liveliness: Andrea Schwarz writes about this issue based on her own experience. This is one of the most requested topics for lectures and workshops by the popular speaker.



Wolfgang Roth

Understanding C.G. Jung

Basics to Analytical Psychology

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1231-9 | Patmos | Hardcover | 264 pages | 12 x 19 cm | € 28.00

Introduction to the Analytical Psychology of C. G. Jung

In clear, comprehensible language this book gives access to the often thought of as "difficult" works of Jung with his important basic concepts – those of the shadow, the archetype, the individual and collective unconscious, the complex, the ego and the self. Most importantly, using the interpretation of dreams – the core of Jung's psychology – Roth vividly explains specifics of Jung's thinking and in doing so systematically dis_sociating it from that of Sigmund Freud. The biographical background also conveys a lively and vivid picture of analytical psychology which is enjoying increasing attention.



Verena Kast Couples

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1191-6 Patmos

When we love, we develop relationship fantasies. For example, the partner is idealized. Verena Kast describes the relationship fantasies lived by modern couples and how our love relationships can be better understood with the help of a glance in the mirror of myths.



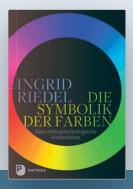
Verena Kast

Dreams

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0373-7 Patmos

Renowned psychologist and Jungian analyst Verena Kast explores the fascinating language of our subconscious and demonstrates that our dreams can help to better understand ourselves.

Sold: Italian, Spanish (EU), Russian

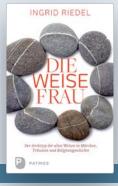


INGRID RIEDEL

The Symbolism of Colors

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1193-0 Patmos

Even our everyday language makes it clear that colors express emotions and have a positive or negative effect on us. Ingrid Riedel describes the psychological effect of the colors red, blue, yellow, green, orange, violet, brown, black, white, silver, gold, pink and grey.



INGRID RIEDEL

The Wise Woman

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0752-0 Patmos

Riedel explains how meaningful it is to get in touch with the archetypical image of the wise woman. She shows that experiencing various aspects of feminine wisdom can contribute to imbuing old age with new meaning dignity.



Ingrid Riedel/ Christa Henzler

Painting Therapy

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0849-7 Patmos

Jungian painting therapy is to enable the soul to express itself and to initiate healing. The authors argue that the colors and shapes of a painting can clarify psychological problems.

Sold: English (World)



RUTH AMMANN/VERENA KAST/INGRID RIEDEL (ED.)

The Book of Pictures

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1017-9 Patmos

Never before seen pictures by C.G. Jung's patients are now accessible in this book. Explanatory texts provide help in understanding the picture series.

Sold: Czech, Italian, Korean, Romanian



VERENA KAST

Aging – Always Good for a Surprise

ISBN: 978-3-8436-0736-0 Patmos

The sometimes difficult changes of aging provide lots of new challenges. How to go about during this aging process is what the renowned Jungian analyst Verena Kast describes in this book.

Sold: Russian



Matthias Scharer

Courageous In the Midst of Fear

ISBN: 978-3-8436-1176-3 Patmos

A politically controlled game revolves around the exclusion of others, especially foreigners. German-Jewish therapist Ruth C. Cohn opposes this game of excluding fear with an art of loving that connects everything.

Taking power away from complexes

- How to deal with recurring conflicts
- ► The classic on the topic of complexes
- By bestselling author Verena Kast



"I always miss out" or "nobody likes me!" – there are conflicts that keep recurring. These complexes, which conceal our individual life themes, are connected with strong emotions. They determine our experiencing and behaviour in the here and now, even though they originate in conflicts of the past: For example, people who were constantly devalued by their father may suffer from a debilitating inferiority complex as adults.

In this classic on the topic of complexes, the renowned Jungian analyst and psychotherapist Verena Kast shows the following: When we uncover our life themes, we can more easily free ourselves of the constantly recurring conflicts and discover new, enriching aspects of life.

Sisyphos
Altes loslassen und
neue Wege
gehen

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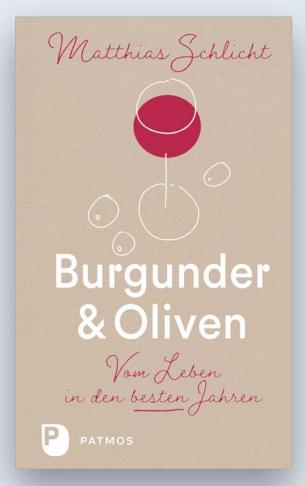
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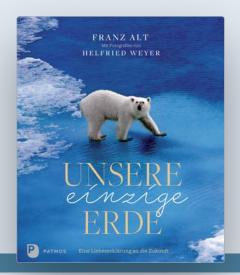
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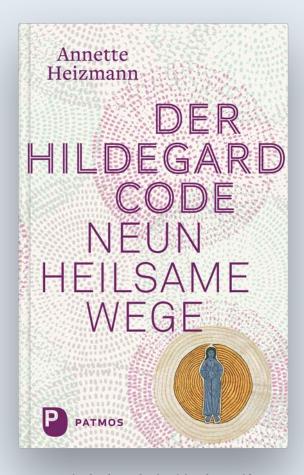
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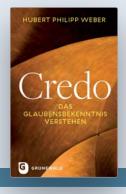
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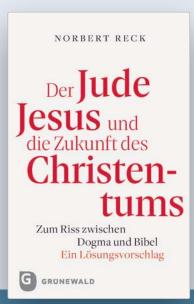
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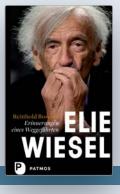
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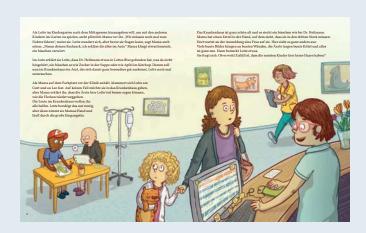
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Sonja Marschall, born in 2002, qualified for university entrance in the spring of 2019. When one of her babysitter children became ill and the author sensed the inability of the people around her to talk about it, she decided to write a cancer book for families so they can explain the disease to the children. She went to doctors for information, did internships and contacted the respective organisations. She is a volunteer employee of Hilfe für krebskranke Kinder Frankfurt e. V. (Aid for Child Cancer Patients in Frankfurt), scholarship holder and guest member of the Society of German Natural Scientists and Physicians, active children's representative on the advisory board of the Deutsche Kinderhilfe e.V. (German Children's Aid) and winner of the Young Women in Public Affairs Award Zonta 2019. She lives near Frankfurt/Main.

SONJA KURZBACH is a freelance illustrator and media designer. She has already illustrated a number of children's books and written one herself. She has received several awards for her work. She lives in Berlin.



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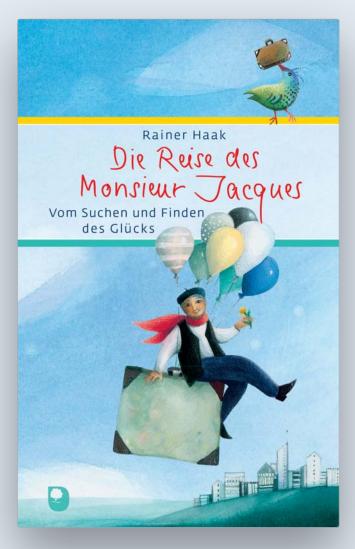


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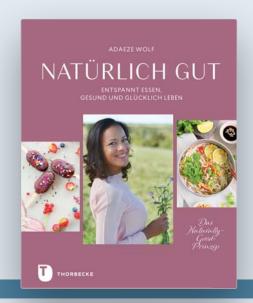
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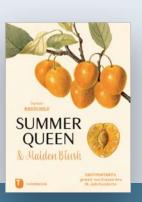


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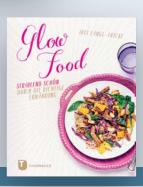
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