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True is a star-crossed romance set in Europe in 1985, whose theme is self-discovery. In the course of the story, the main character Tom Spotted Tail Augustine Stearns, a hip Stanford preppy studying in France, grapples with, and struggles mightily to resolve, through his post-modern education and traditional Roman Catholic faith, the pressing and divisive issues of his day, i.e., race, class, religion, nationality, sexuality, and AIDS, especially as they relate to his formation and identity. During his studies abroad and grand tour, Tom journeys inward and, in the process, comes face to face with his working-class roots, biracial past, bisexual heart, Christian faith, saving God, and what it means to be true. This book is also available for purchase by Kindle device and app users in the Kindle Store on Amazon.com.

Léna, 16 ans, est atteinte d'une maladie cérébrale rare, qui affecte sa mémoire. Elle oublie tout. Elle vit avec Mary, une vieille dame qui prend soin d'elle, et passe ses journées au Centre des Aigles Bleus. Tous les dimanches, une femme appelée Étaine lui rend visite. Léna ne sait pas trop qui c'est, mais elle la trouve gentille. Un dimanche, justement, Étaine lui annonce qu'elle ne viendra plus pendant une longue période. Elle ne lui donne pas d'explication, mais elle lui remet un manuscrit avec la recommandation de le cacher à Mary. Il s'agit du journal de sa soeur, dont la lecture pourra lui être utile... Dès lors, Léna se plonge dans ce journal ; elle en note les détails

au fur et à mesure de sa lecture, pour ne pas les oublier. On y fait la connaissance de Shanel, quadragénaire énergique en pleine remise en question : son mariage a été un fiasco, les romans dont elle est l'auteur n'ont pas rencontré le succès... Un jour, elle tombe sur une annonce pour des tests cliniques : il s'agit d'un programme appelé « Jeunesse Éternelle », dont l'objectif est d'éradiquer la dégénérescence des cellules. Si Shanel s'engage à y participer, elle devra bien sûr signer une clause de confidentialité. Idéologiquement, cela ne lui plaît pas, mais elle a besoin d'argent, et jouer les cobayes paye bien...

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Carlos Dega, insurance investigator, has an extraordinary job. His clients are expensive horses. Unfortunately, most of them are dead. A former Olympic dressage rider, Carlos is brought into a swirl of intrigue, deaths, and beautiful women. With the help of fiery Minneapolis Assistant District Attorney Susan Lindstrom, Carlos is quickly tracking criminals who would harm beautiful animals for personal profit. There are plenty of thrills and trails that lead nowhere but trouble. A cast of unforgettable characters races through mayhem straight to a devastating and surprising conclusion. Horse Sense will jump-start your heart and you won't want to put it down until the final page is finished. "The authors really know their horses. This is a horse-lovers book, a real thriller that has

opened my eyes to fraud in the high stakes world of championship horses."-Mark Fazlollah, Staff Reporter, The Philadelphia Inquirer

An exploration of the cultural impact of Samuel Barber's Adagio for Strings, the Pieta' of music, and its enigmatic composer. "Whenever the American dream suffers a catastrophic setback, Barber's Adagio plays on the radio."—Alex Ross, author of *The Rest is Noise* In the first book ever to explore Samuel Barber's Adagio for Strings, music and literary critic Thomas Larson tells the story of the prodigal composer and his seminal masterpiece: from its composition in 1936, when Barber was just twenty-six, to its orchestral premiere two years later, led by the great Arturo Toscanini, and its fascinating history as America's secular hymn for grieving our dead. Older Americans know Adagio from the funerals and memorials for Presidents Roosevelt and Kennedy, Albert Einstein, and Grace Kelly. Younger Americans recall the work as the antiwar theme of the movie *Platoon*. Still others treasure the piece in its choral version under the name *Agnus Dei*. More recently, mourners heard Adagio played as a memorial to the victims of the 9/11 attacks. Barber's Adagio is truly the saddest music ever written, enrapturing listeners with its lyric beauty as few laments have. The Adagio's sonorous intensity also speaks of the turbulent inner life of its composer, Samuel Barber (1910-1981), a melancholic who, in later years,

descended into alcoholism and severe depression. Part biography, part cultural history, part memoir, *The Saddest Music ever Written* captures the deep emotion Barber's great elegy has stirred throughout the world during its seventy-five-year history, becoming an icon of our national soul.

A Divine Comedy is a compilation of the author's novels *True* and its sequel *One*. It is a star-crossed romance set in California, Britain, and Europe -- mainly France -- in 1985-86, whose theme is self-discovery. In the first half of the story, the main character Tom Spotted Tail Augustine Stearns, a hip Stanford preppy studying in France, grapples with, and struggles mightily to resolve, through his post-modern education and traditional Roman Catholic faith, the pressing and divisive issues of his day, i.e., race, class, religion, nationality, sexuality, and AIDS, especially as they relate to his formation and identity. During his first term abroad and grand tour, Tom journeys inward and, in the process, comes face to face with his working-class roots, biracial past, bisexual heart, Christian faith, saving God, and what it means to be true. In the second half of the story, Tom comes home from his studies in France for the Christmas holiday. Back in Los Angeles, the hip Stanford preppy finds himself in a lit Bel-Air pool and in the arms of a young man, surrendering to a psychosexual weakness far deeper than the shimmering blue waters and as old as the curse of Original Sin. Despite his

repentance, frequenting the sacraments of the Church, and marriage to a brilliant blonde coed from Napa Valley, Tom again finds himself in the arms of the love that dare not speak its name, this time in France. Under the seductive power of this ancient Greco-Roman form of love, his own "thorn in the flesh...an angel of Satan" (2 Cor 12:7), intransigent as Saint Paul's, Tom is led deep into a Dantean woods of melancholic isolation and sin, spiritual correction and purification, but also, ultimately, unmerited love and redemption. In the course of this interior journey into his own unique versions of inferno, purgatorio, and, finally, paradiso, as both sinner and saint, Tom discovers what it means to be one, in weakness and in strength, in flesh and in spirit, in time and in eternity. This book is also available for purchase by Kindle device and app users in the Kindle Store on [Amazon.com](https://www.amazon.com).

Contains reviews of recordings made by the world's great musicians found on compact discs. As featured in the Telegraph and on Radio 4's Today programme. 'Year of Wonder is an absolute treat - the most enlightening way to be guided through the year.' Eddie Redmayne Classical music for everyone - an inspirational piece of music for every day of the year, celebrating composers from the medieval era to the present day, written by award-winning violinist and BBC Radio 3 presenter Clemency Burton-Hill. Have you ever heard a piece of music so beautiful it stops you in your tracks? Or wanted to discover more about classical music but had no idea where to begin? Year of Wonder is a unique celebration of classical

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music by an author who wants to share its diverse wonders with others and to encourage a love for this genre in all readers, whether complete novices or lifetime enthusiasts. Clemency chooses one piece of music for each day of the year, with a short explanation about the composer to put it into context, and brings the music alive in a modern and playful way, while also extolling the positive mindfulness element of giving yourself some time every day to listen to something uplifting or beautiful. Thoughtfully curated and expertly researched, this is a book of classical music to keep you company: whoever you are, wherever you're from. 'The only requirements for enjoying classical music are open ears and an open mind.' Clemency Burton-Hill Playlists are available on most streaming music platforms including Apple Music.

An exploration of the human experience of music, its evolution and neuroscience, how music reflects its historical culture, and how composers and performers move us.

Many contemporary composers and music critics say in an offhand way that all music written in the past quarter century is about music - that it is reflexive and self-referential in some significant sense. It is music in search of an understanding of itself. This book tries to deepen the understanding of music about music as well as music itself in four ways. First, it puts music's own self-understanding onto an equal footing with philosophical aesthetics of music. It subjects pieces of music about music to close, detailed analysis, and puts the statements about the nature of music that emerge from these analyses into conversation with philosophical statements about music. Second, it investigates whether and in what way the concept of reflexive music makes sense and to what extent music about music is possible. Third, it inquires into the need for music

to search for itself, and evaluates the connection between this need and the European fascination and then disillusion with the concept of aesthetic experience. self-understanding, that there are severe limits to the meaningfulness of music in general that it is thus impossible for music about music to be fully meaningful.

Más allá de la pantalla: Música, sonido, imagen es un volumen colectivo que estudia la música como cultura audiovisual en nuestros días. Dividido en cuatro grandes bloques (Nuestro cine; Lenguajes cinematográficos y musicales; Otras pantallas, otras audiencias; Educación músico-audiovisual), en este libro los autores estudian fenómenos que van desde la cinematografía de Pedro Almodóvar hasta los films de Pixar, pasando por fenómenos como Game of Thrones, la figura del prosumidor en internet o diversas propuestas educativas a partir de los productos artísticos más cercanos a las jóvenes audiencias. Más allá de la pantalla: Música, sonido, imagen pertenece a la colección científica Cafarnaüm Akademics, y los capítulos que lo integran han sido previamente seleccionados por el comité editorial y, posteriormente, sometidos a un sistema de revisión por pares ciego a cargo de especialistas en la rama de conocimiento. Cafarnaüm Akademics es una colección de elpoblet edicions dedicada a la publicación de textos de carácter científico, con especial énfasis en aquellos que versan sobre el arte y la cultura y los modos en los que conocemos y comprendemos la realidad. Textos centrados en el pasado histórico, en el presente y su genealogía y, por supuesto, con suficiente alcance para entender y analizar las

perspectivas de futuro. Textos rigurosos pero, por encima de todo, accesibles y comprometidos con el saber.

This is a tale of friendship, greed, and betrayal in the music industry—and a definitive history of America's biggest rap mogul. No one knows more about creating hits than Sean “Puffy” Combs. For years he virtually ran hip-hop. It seemed the perfect arrangement: “Puffy” provided the sounds and obsessive attention to detail while the Notorious B.I.G. promoted an image that kept rap fans happy. It should have lasted forever, but “Biggie” was murdered at the height of his career—and “Puffy”'s ascension to superstardom ushered in an age of disloyalty and deception that exploded into one of the greatest debacles in the history of the music industry. Through interviews with label insiders, grand jury testimony, and other sources, America's preeminent rap journalist Ronin Ro -reveals the true story of “Puffy” -addresses the larger issues that shaped the man and the industry -explains how Bad Boy both helped and destroyed hip-hop and R&B music -details why some artists “Puffy” created ultimately left his Bad Boy family in disgust. At once an intimate history and a portrait of an era, Bad Boy shows readers exactly how Combs lost his strangle-hold over the multibillion-dollar rap music industry. The story of Bad Boy Entertainment is the story of the American Dream, an up-close and personal account of the people, the money, the creative process that made it all come true, and the young mogul who caused the dream to fall apart. In this hip-hop tragedy of Shakespearean dimensions, readers finally learn the story that Sean “Puffy”

Combs does not want them to know.

This collection brings new voices and new perspectives to the study of popular—and particularly rock—music. Focusing on a variety of artists and music forms, *Rock Over the Edge* asks what happens to rock criticism when rock is no longer a coherent concept. To work toward an answer, contributors investigate previously neglected genres and styles, such as “lo fi,” alternative country, and “rock en español,” while offering a fresh look at such familiar figures as Elvis Presley, the Beatles, and Kurt Cobain. Bridging the disciplines of musicology and cultural studies, the collection has two primary goals: to seek out a language for talking about music culture and to look at the relationship of music to culture in general. The editors' introduction provides a backward glance at recent rock criticism and also looks to the future of the rapidly expanding discipline of popular music studies. Taking seriously the implications of critical theory for the study of non-literary aesthetic endeavors, the volume also addresses such issues as the affective power of popular music and the psychic construction of fandom. *Rock Over the Edge* will appeal to scholars and students in popular music studies and American Studies as well as general readers interested in popular music. Contributors. Ian Balfour, Roger Beebe, Michael Coyle, Robert Fink, Denise Fulbrook, Tony Grajeda, Lawrence Grossberg, Trent Hill, Josh Kun, Jason

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