

## Arts & entertainment 2023



### The Art of Papercraft

by Helen Hiebert

Artist and teacher Helen Hiebert compiles a one-of-kind collection of 40 unique projects, each using just one sheet of paper, combining decorative techniques like marbling and stenciling with dimensional techniques like origami and pop-ups.



## The Come Up

by Jonathan Abrams

Drawing on more than 300 interviews conducted over three years with DJs, executives, producers and artists, a best-selling author offers a comprehensive account of hip-hop's rise, conveying the drive, the stakes and the relentless creativity that ignited modern music.



## Cosplay

by Frenchy Lunning
Cosplay is a unique and necessary
examination of identity, performance, play,
and otaku fandom and culture. Through a
culmination research on cosplay, the author
offers an intimate, sensational tour through
cosplay's past and present, as well as its
global lure.



### **Drawing Architecture**

by Richard Taylor

This guide shows architecture drawn in a range of styles to demonstrate techniques and details. It includes studies of different architectural styles, from town houses and cottages to churches and continental cafes.



#### Frida Kahlo

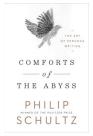
by Héctor Tajonar and Roxana Velásquez A rich overview of the fascinating life and career of internationally renowned Mexican artist Frida Kahlo, featuring the artist's complex and diverse paintings and a series of essays about her life and career.



#### Blood, Sweat, & Chrome

by Kyle Buchanan

This oral history of the film that has been hailed as one of the greatest action movies ever features interviews with the cast and crew, including director George Miller and stars Charlize Theron and Tom Hardy.



## Comforts of the Abyss

by Philip Schultz

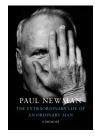
Persona writing, a method of borrowing the voice and temperament of accomplished writers, offers aspiring writers imaginative distance and perspective needed to tell their stories. Explore how writers can transform vulnerability into creativity.



## The Creative Instigator's Handbook

by Leanne Prain

The co-creator of the seminal craft book *Yarn Bombing* shares a guide for making impactful, socially engaged art projects.



# The Extraordinary Life of an Ordinary Man

by Paul Newman

Culled from thousands of pages of transcripts, this raw, candid, unvarnished memoir of a renowned movie star of the past 75 years, told with searing honesty, covers everything -- his crowning achievements and his personal struggles.



#### Here Now

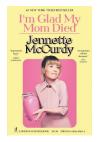
by Denver Art Museum
Denver Art Museum features two hundred of
the museum's most notable Indigenous
artworks, reinterpreting the collection and
revealing new insights into the historic and
contemporary work of Indigenous artists.

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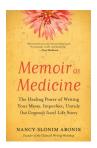
### Hollywood

by Jeanine Basinger
A legendary film scholar and best-selling
author present the oral history of
Hollywood through candid remarks from
stars both in front and behind the camera -including Bette Davis, Meryl Streep, and
Frank Capra.



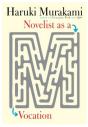
## I'm Glad My Mom Died

by Jennette McCurdy
The *iCarly* and *Sam & Cat* star, after her
controlling mother dies, gets the help she
needs to overcome eating disorders,
addiction and unhealthy relationships, and
finally decides what she really wants for the
first time in her life.



#### Memoir as Medicine

by Nancy Slonim Aronie
A discussion of the healing benefits of
memoir writing along with pragmatic advice
for writing your own memoir. Includes a set
of prompts, directions, and examples to
help readers become writers of their
personal stories.



### Novelist as a Vocation

by Haruki Murakami
In this highly personal look at the craft of
writing, an internationally best-selling
author and famously reclusive writer shares
his own creative process as well as his
thoughts on the sparks of creativity that
inspire other writers, artists and musicians.



#### Takedown

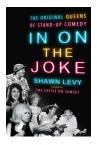
by Farah Nayeri
This book addresses the difficult questions plaguing the art world, from the bad habits of Old Masters, to current grappling with identity politics. For centuries art censorship has been a top-down phenomenon, but it can now happen from the bottom-up through online campaigns.



## How to Write a Song That Matters

by Dar Williams

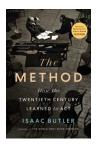
An invaluable guide to writing music by a woman who knows how to do it and do it well -- an iconic singer-songwriter who has led songwriting retreats for musicians, from beginners to professionals for years.



#### In on the Joke

by Shawn Levy

This account of the trailblazing women comics who forged a path for today's female comics looks at the obstacles faced by pioneers such as Moms Mabley, Belaine May, Joan Rivers, and Phyllis Diller.



#### The Method

by Isaac Butler

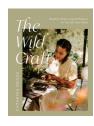
This must-read for any fan of Broadway or American film, a critic and theater director chronicles the history of Method acting -- an engaging story of creative discovery and the birth of classic Hollywood.



#### The Office BFFs

by Jenna Fischer

Expanding on their Office Ladies podcast, two beloved The Office co-stars, and close friends in real life, share everything from what it was like in the early days as the show gained traction, to walking their first red carpet, to how their lives have changed.



#### The Wild Craft

by Catarina Seixas

This book is filled with seasonal naturebased projects designed to reignite your love of the natural world and connect you to the earth. Every project will celebrate the wonder and beauty of nature and encourage readers to reconnect to the wild.



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