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**Umrao Jan Ada** A&C Black

A collection of nineteen happy stories featuring the Disney princesses.

**The Dud Bud** Farrar, Straus and Giroux

A beautiful children's book exulting in the beauty of the changing seasons through the eyes of animals

**Same-Sex Love in India** Univ of California Press

With all the catastrophic things that could take place should she bloom, Rosie is certain the only place she wants to be is safely inside her little red bud. But as her floral friends bravely blossom around her in the garden, Rosie must face an uncomfortable truth: the world can indeed be a scary place, but our inner fears are often harder to face. A terrifically tall tale filled with disasters, drama and self-doubt, *The Dud Bud* beautifully illustrates the power of letting go and the magic to be found in embracing the unknown. [www.michaelaskilney.com](http://www.michaelaskilney.com)

**Humans of Bombay** Otto Harrassowitz Verlag

All of the animals are afraid of the Selfish Crocodile - he never let's them into his river, and he's always so snappy! And so when the Selfish Crocodile finds himself in terrible pain, no-one wants to help him - after all, what if he gobbles them up? But, to everyone's surprise, there is one animal in the forest who is willing to help . . . A brilliant tale of friendship, *The Selfish Crocodile* has become a picture book classic.

*My Brother* DIANE Publishing

The author, a computer science professor diagnosed with terminal cancer, explores his life, the lessons that he has learned, how he has worked to achieve his childhood dreams, and the effect of his diagnosis on him and his family.

*Spaghetti in a Hot Dog Bun* Penguin

*Same-Sex Love in India* presents a stunning array of writings on same-sex love from over 2000 years of Indian literature. Translated from more than a dozen languages and drawn from Hindu, Buddhist, Muslim, and modern fictional traditions, these writings testify to the presence of same-sex love in various forms since ancient times, without overt persecution. This collection defies both stereotypes of Indian culture and Foucault's definition of homosexuality as a nineteenth-century invention, uncovering instead complex discourses of Indian homosexuality, rich metaphorical traditions to represent it, and the use of names and terms as early as medieval times to distinguish same-sex from cross-sex love. An eminent group of scholars have translated these writings for the first time or have re-translated well-known texts to correctly make evident previously underplayed homoerotic content. Selections range from religious books, legal and erotic treatises, story cycles, medieval histories and biographies, modern novels, short stories, letters, memoirs, plays and poems. From the Rigveda to Vikram Seth, this anthology will become a staple in courses on gender and queer studies, Asian studies, and world literature.

*"Years Don't Wait for Them"* Springer

Bella is a happy and inquisitive five-year old girl who loves to play with her friends, go to school, and spend time with her family. Everyone tells her how beautiful she is, but she doesn't feel as beautiful as the faces she sees on TV and in the magazines. Join Bella as she navigates a very important life lesson and learns to love the skin she is in. This captivating story for young children provides a message of empowerment and acceptance that readers of all ages can understand and enjoy.

*The laws of cricket* Cardinal Rule Press

"About the book In 2014 Karishma Mehta started *Humans of Bombay* to capture the untold stories of the millions of people living in the maximum city. This book entails a handpicked collection of some

of the best stories on the *Humans of Bombay* Facebook blog as well as several unseen stories. Funny insightful quirky and intimate these stories are sure to make your heart melt."--Provided by publisher.

*The Jungle Book - Illustrated* Farrar, Straus and Giroux

Rhiow, Urruah, and Arhu, the wizard cats who saved New York City in "The Book of Night with Moon", are summoned to London to deal with a crisis which affects the very fabric of time.

*The Life of a Text* Manoj Publications

What is it like to be known as Mansoor Ali Khan Pataudi's daughter? Or to have a mother as famous as Sharmila Tagore? Or to be recognized as Saif Ali Khan's sister? Or as Kareena Kapoor's sister-in-law? And where do I stand among them? Actor Soha Ali Khan's debut book is at heart a brilliant collection of personal essays where she recounts with self-deprecating humour what it was like growing up in one of the most illustrious families of the country. With never before published photos from her family's archives, *The Perils of Being Moderately Famous* takes us through some of the most poignant moments of Soha's life-from growing up as a modern-day princess and her days at Balliol College to life as a celebrity in the times of social media culture and finding love in the most unlikely of places-all with refreshing candour and wit.

**American Indian Stories** Univ of California Press

Full of wit and delicious observations, *Mrs Funnybones* captures the life of the modern Indian woman a woman who organizes dinner each evening after having been at work all day, who runs her own life but has to listen to her mummyji, who worries about her weight and the state of the country. Based on Twinkle Khanna's super-hit column, *Mrs Funnybones* marks the debut of one of our funniest, most original voices.

*Afghanistan's Islam* Disney Press

The classic Aesop fable is performed by a troupe of animal actors.

**Clean My Space** All India Radio (AIR), New Delhi

In *See Now Then*, the brilliant and evocative new novel from Jamaica Kincaid—her first in ten years—a marriage is revealed in all its joys and agonies. This piercing examination of the manifold ways in which the passing of time operates on the human consciousness unfolds gracefully, and Kincaid inhabits each of her characters—a mother, a father, and their two children, living in a small village in New England—as they move, in their own minds, between the present, the past, and the future: for, as she writes, "the present will be now then and the past is now then and the future will be a now then." Her characters, constrained by the world, despair in their domestic situations. But their minds wander, trying to make linear sense of what is, in fact, nonlinear. *See Now Then* is Kincaid's attempt to make clear what is unclear, and to make unclear what we assumed was clear: that is, the beginning, the middle, and the end. Since the publication of her first short-story collection, *At the Bottom of the River*, which was nominated for a PEN/Faulkner Award for Fiction, Kincaid has demonstrated a unique talent for seeing beyond and through the surface of things. In *See Now Then*, she envelops the reader in a world that is both familiar and startling—creating her most emotionally and thematically daring work yet.

*THE INDIAN LISTENER* Av2 by Weigl

I didn't know his secrets when he knocked me up...I only knew the heat of his touch, The bite of command in his voice, He demanded submission. Complete surrender. For one night, I was someone else. Then I learned the truth. Neelalt's just one blind date. One silly night to get my sister and my friend off my back. They say I'm letting my best years slip by and that I need a man in my life. Me, though? I'm happy on my own. I have a good job and my life is fine. A little boring sometimes. Maybe just a little depressing and lonely here and there, but it's comfortable. But that one little blind date turns my life upside down. All I gave him was a single night, just a few hours of recklessness. A few moments of release. For just a night, I was someone else. The scary part? I'm starting to like the

person I am with him, and my comfortable, easy life seems a whole lot less appealing now. Enzo've always done my job. My duty. I've sacrificed my life for the Luciani crime family, so what difference does it make if I have to kidnap some girl? Her father is on the verge of cracking a case against my father and our family wide open, so using his daughter as leverage is our best shot. My job is simple. Meet the girl for a "date". Tempt her back to my place and hold her until her dad cooperates. It should have been simple. But then I saw her. Those wide, innocent eyes and that mischievous little smile. Those curves barely hidden under her dress that practically begged to be explored and worshipped. She was a goddess. Sexy innocence made flesh. In a single moment, I knew this girl was going to ruin everything. I'd break promises for her. I'd forsake my duty for her. I'd start a war for her if I had to. I'll make her mine, no matter the cost. \*As always, this is a totally SAFE, full-length book with a happily ever after, no cheating, and plenty of steam.\*

**Baby for the Beast** National Geographic Books

The Life of a Text offers a vivid portrait of one community's interaction with its favorite text—the epic Ramcaritmanas—and the way in which performances of the epic function as a flexible and evolving medium for cultural expression. Anthropologists, historians of religion, and readers interested in the culture of North India and the performance arts will find breadth of subject, careful scholarship, and engaging presentation in this unique and beautifully illustrated examination of Hindi culture. The most popular and influential text of Hindi-speaking North India, the epic Ramcaritmanas is a sixteenth century retelling of the Ramayana story by the poet Tulsidas. This masterpiece of pre-modern Hindi literature has always reached its largely illiterate audiences primarily through oral performance including ceremonial recitation, folksinging, oral exegesis, and theatrical representation. Drawing on fieldwork in Banaras, Lutgendorf breaks new ground by capturing the range of performance techniques in vivid detail and tracing the impact of the epic in its contemporary cultural context.

[To Visit the Queen](#) Pearson Education India

Includes entries for maps and atlases.

[Ganeśapurāna](#) DigiCat

Chanakya Neeti is a classic text that captures the wisdom and philosophy of one of ancient India's greatest political thinkers and strategists, Chanakya. Known as the "Machiavelli of India," Chanakya was a philosopher, economist, and advisor to the first Mauryan emperor, Chandragupta. His teachings, compiled in this timeless work, offer insight into human nature, governance, power dynamics, and personal conduct. The book comprises practical lessons on leadership, diplomacy, ethics, and societal norms, blending sharp observation with ethical guidelines. Chanakya's principles emphasize the importance of self-discipline, intelligence, and adaptability for achieving success. His reflections address the essence of human behavior and the strategies that can be employed to navigate personal and professional relationships effectively. Relevant across centuries, Chanakya Neeti provides readers with strategies for life's challenges, guiding them towards personal

development and prudent decision-making. Through concise maxims and teachings, Chanakya offers a roadmap to leading a purposeful life grounded in wisdom and insight. This text remains invaluable for anyone interested in philosophy, strategy, and the art of governance.

[The Criminal Justice and Community Response to Rape](#) Penguin Random House India Private Limited  
In this delightful hybrid of a book—part memoir and part travel journal—the bestselling author takes us deep into the mountains of Nepal with a trio of botanist friends in search of native Himalayan plants that will grow in her Vermont garden. Alighting from a plane in the dramatic Annapurna Valley, the ominous signs of Nepal's Maoist guerrillas are all around—an alarming presence that accompanies the travelers throughout their trek. Undaunted, the group sets off into the mountains with Sherpas and bearers, entering an exotic world of spectacular landscapes, vertiginous slopes, isolated villages, herds of yaks, and giant rhododendron, thirty feet tall. The landscape and flora and so much else of what Kincaid finds in the Himalaya—including fruit bats, colorful Buddhist prayer flags, and the hated leeches that plague much of the trip—are new to her, and she approaches it all with an acute sense of wonder and a deft eye for detail. In beautiful, introspective prose, Kincaid intertwines the harrowing Maoist encounters with exciting botanical discoveries, fascinating daily details, and lyrical musings on gardens, nature, home, and family. From the Trade Paperback edition.

[Princess Bedtime Stories Special Edition](#) Penguin UK

"This book provides the first ever overview of the history and development of Islam in Afghanistan. It covers every era from the conversion of Afghanistan through the medieval and early modern periods to the present day. Based on primary sources in Arabic, Persian, Pashto, Urdu and Uzbek, its depth and scope of coverage is unrivalled by any existing publication on Afghanistan. As well as state-sponsored religion, the chapters cover such issues as the rise of Sufism, Sharia, women's religiosity, transnational Islamism and the Taliban. Islam has been one of the most influential social and political forces in Afghan history. Providing idioms and organizations for both anti-state and anti-foreign mobilization, Islam has proven to be a vital socio-political resource in modern Afghanistan. Even as it has been deployed as the national cement of a multi-ethnic 'Emirate' and then 'Islamic Republic,' Islam has been no less a destabilizing force in dividing Afghan society. Yet despite the universal scholarly recognition of the centrality of Islam to Afghan history, its developmental trajectories have received relatively little sustained attention outside monographs and essays devoted to particular moments or movements. To help develop a more comprehensive, comparative and developmental picture of Afghanistan's Islam from the eighth century to the present, this edited volume brings together specialists on different periods, regions and languages. Each chapter forms a case study 'snapshot' of the Islamic beliefs, practices, institutions and authorities of a particular time and place in Afghanistan"--Provided by publisher

[The Perils of Being Moderately Famous](#) Hachette UK

American Indian Stories is a collection of stories by Zitkála-Šá. The author was a Sioux historian and recounts here several colorful legends and tales from American Indian oral tradition.