

INSPIRATIONAL BOOKS READING LIST (DIGITAL BOOKS, ENGLISH AND SPANISH SELECTIONS)

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ENGLISH FICTION

CHRISTMAS LIST

Author: EVANS, RICHARD PAUL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 70292

Narrator: FOX, JACK

1 cartridge in 1 container

Three weeks before Christmas, the newspaper erroneously publishes the obituary of Utah real-estate developer James Kier. Kier discovers what others really think of him and sets about making amends to the people he has hurt, including the cancer-stricken wife he's divorcing and his estranged son. 2009.

CHRISTMAS SHOES

Author: VANLIERE, DONNA

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: CHRISTMAS HOPE 1

DB 58657

Narrator: TIPTON, GARY

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 58657

Narrator: TIPTON, GARY

1 cartridge in 1 container

Robert Layton has become focused on material things, and his marriage is in jeopardy. But when on Christmas Eve 1985 he crosses paths with a

young boy whose mother is dying, the impact has a positive effect on both families for years to come. 2001.

CHRISTMAS VISITOR: A CAPE LIGHT NOVEL

Author: KINKADE, THOMAS

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: CAPE LIGHT 8

DB 74549

Narrator: PARDEE, MARTHA HARMON

1 cartridge in 1 container

As Christmas approaches in Cape Light, Reverend Ben unearths an angel statue that draws worshippers searching for miracles. Meanwhile, remarried Molly is dismayed to learn that she is pregnant just as her daughters are nearly grown. And Miranda falls in love with a stranger who has amnesia. 2007.

LOST DECEMBER

Author: EVANS, RICHARD PAUL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 74065

Narrator: MAUPIN, GREGORY

1 cartridge in 1 container

Luke Crisp, son of a wealthy businessman, runs with a wild crowd in grad school, wastes his trust fund, and loses his father's respect. Ashamed to ask for financial support, Luke--now homeless--takes a job in one of his dad's stores and tries to rebuild his life. Bestseller. 2011.

MILES TO GO: THE SECOND JOURNAL OF THE WALK

Author: EVANS, RICHARD PAUL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult
Series: WALK 2

DB 73358
Narrator: WILLIAMS, GUY
1 cartridge in 1 container

Alan Christoffersen, who began a cross-country trek after losing everything in *The Walk* (DB 71348), is recuperating from a near-fatal mugging in Spokane, Washington, with help from a stranger named Angel. Alan in turn helps Angel heal from her emotional wounds before he heads on to Mount Rushmore. 2011.

NANA'S GIFT AND THE RED GERANIUM
Author: OKE, JANETTE, 1935-
S/P/V: None
Reading level: Adult

DB 74551
Narrator: FERRIS, JILL
1 cartridge in 1 container

Two inspirational short stories. In *Nana's Gift* ninety-three-year-old Lizzie helps her great granddaughter overcome tragedy. In *The Red Geranium* Tommy brings his Gran a gift to cheer her up while she is in the hospital. 1995.

NEVER SAY NEVER
Author: WINGATE, LISA
S/P/V: None
Reading level: Adult
Series: DAILY TEXAS

DB 71426
Narrator: ALLISON, KRISTIN
1 cartridge in 1 container

Kai Miller floats through life like driftwood tossed by waves. She's never put down roots and she doesn't plan to. But when a hurricane evacuation lands her in Daily, Texas, she begins to think twice about her wayfaring existence. And when she meets hometown-boy Kemp Eldridge, she can almost picture settling down in Daily - until she discovers he may be promised to someone else. Daily has always been a place of refuge for those the wind blows in. For Kai, will it be just another place to leave behind?

TALK OF THE TOWN: A NOVEL OF DAILY, TEXAS

Author: WINGATE, LISA

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: DAILY TEXAS

DB 69058

Narrator: ALLISON, KRISTIN

1 cartridge in 1 container

Mandalay Florentino, associate producer of TV's hit reality show American Megastar, travels to small-town Daily, Texas, to plan a surprise reunion concert for hometown, trouble-prone finalist Amber Anderson. Manda juggles her job and personal issues, the swarming paparazzi, and an attraction to a gorgeous country boy with a secret. 2008.

WORD GETS AROUND: A NOVEL OF DAILY, TEXAS

Author: WINGATE, LISA

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: DAILY TEXAS

DB 69082

Narrator: ALLISON, KRISTIN

1 cartridge in 1 container

Lauren Eldridge reluctantly returns to her hometown in Texas to help

her father train a racehorse that is starring in a Hollywood film. With the family's ranch on the line, Lauren does her best despite complications from struggling screenwriter Nate Heath, who might be more trouble than the horse. 2009.

ENGLISH NON-FICTION

ALL I REALLY NEED TO KNOW I LEARNED IN KINDERGARTEN: UNCOMMON THOUGHTS

Author: FULGHUM, ROBERT

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 28047

Narrator: ELDERS, HARRY

1 cartridge in 1 container

Subtitle: Uncommon Thoughts on Common Things. A retired Unitarian minister presents his thoughts and observations on the joy of life. The essays cover such topics as the joys of Crayolas, jumper cables, Beethoven's Ninth Symphony, a shoebox of childhood memories, and the author's wife. A frequently quoted Fulghum maxim, from a kindergarten graduation speech is, "When you go out into the world, it is best to hold hands and stick together."

AMERICA'S PROPHET: MOSES AND THE AMERICAN STORY

Author: FEILER, BRUCE S.

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 70476

Narrator: MOORE, BOB

1 cartridge in 1 container

Author of *Where God Was Born* (RC 61658) and *Walking the Bible* (RC 52171) visits Clark Island, where the pilgrims observed their first Sabbath in the New World; the Liberty Bell in Philadelphia; and other

U.S. landmarks to explore the influence of the biblical prophet Moses in American history. 2009.

BEST AMERICAN SPIRITUAL WRITING, 2008

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: BEST AMERICAN SERIES

DB 70432

Narrator: DOWNER, PATRICK

1 cartridge in 1 container

Thirty-five short stories, essays, and poems that explore, in the editor's words, "the life of the soul" through human responses to truth, beauty, and divinity. Includes works by Wendell Berry, Pico Iyer, Ursula K. Le Guin, Robert Pinsky, Oliver Sacks, and John Updike. Introduction by former president Jimmy Carter. 2008.

CALENDAR OF WISDOM: DAILY THOUGHTS TO NOURISH THE SOUL WRITTEN AND
SEL

Author: TOLSTOY, LEO

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 47390

Narrator: GRAY, JANIS

1 cartridge in 1 container

Subtitle ends:...Written and Selected from the World's Sacred Texts. This last major work of Tolstoy's contains philosophical and spiritual writings he collected over fifteen years. Each day is arranged by a theme. Includes a name index with brief biographies.

CHANGE YOUR THOUGHTS--CHANGE YOUR LIFE: LIVING THE WISDOM OF THE
TAO

Author: DYER, WAYNE W

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 65369

Narrator: GRENVILLE, LEWIS

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 65369

Narrator: GRENVILLE, LEWIS

1 cartridge in 1 container

Inspirational author suggests modern applications for the eighty-one verses of the Tao Te Ching, a Chinese book of wisdom written in the sixth century B.C.E. by prophet Lao-tzu. Posits that adhering to this eastern philosophy can lead to a life of integrity, joy, peace, and balance. Bestseller. 2007.

CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL: A BOOK OF MIRACLES; 101 TRUE STORIES OF

Author: CANFIELD, JACK

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: CHICKEN SOUP

DB 72363

Narrator: GARVER, KATHY AND TOM PARKS

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Healing, Faith, Divine Intervention, and Answered Prayers"

Real-life experiences that suggest that God is involved in our daily lives. In "I Will Make Darkness Light" Pam Bostwick, who is partially sighted, describes becoming lost on her way to a night class, then ending up safely at her own church. Commercial audiobook. 2010.

CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL: CHRISTMAS CHEER; STORIES ABOUT THE LOVE,

Author: CANFIELD, JACK

S/P/V: None
Reading level: Adult
Series: CHICKEN SOUP

DB 72371
Narrator: BURR, SANDRA
1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Inspiration, and Joy of Christmas--Our 101 Best Stories"

Inspirational stories center on the true meaning of Christmas and on traditions, memories, the spirit of giving, and love of family.
Commercial audiobook. 2008.

CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL: MY RESOLUTION; 101 STORIES--GREAT IDEAS

Author: CANFIELD, JACK

S/P/V: None
Reading level: Adult
Series: CHICKEN SOUP

DB 72499
Narrator: MOORE, BOB
1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "for Your Mind, Body, and Wallet"

Ordinary people share resolutions they have made and kept, including simplifying their lives, "going green," getting healthy, improving their relationships, dealing with addictions, and changing jobs.
Commercial audiobook. 2008.

CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL: TEENS TALK MIDDLE SCHOOL; 101 STORIES OF

S/P/V: None
Reading level: Grades 6 - 9
Series: CHICKEN SOUP

DB 72842
Narrator: DINES, CAROL

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Life, Love, and Learning for Younger Teens"

Compiled by Jack Canfield ...[et al..

Middle school teens share their experiences and emotions. Topics include friendship, mean girls--and boys, embarrassing moments, crushes and young love, self-acceptance, family issues, doing what is right, and more. In "In Between Is Okay" a girl describes her feelings about having partial sight. For grades 6-9. 2008.

CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL: THE CANCER BOOK; ONE HUNDRED ONE STORIES

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: CHICKEN SOUP

DB 70319

Narrator: CONN, BRIAN

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "of Courage, Support, and Love"

Inspirational essays from cancer patients, their loved ones, professionals, and clergy. Shares their experiences with the disease, including diagnosis, treatment, remission, and the process of letting go. 2009.

CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL: THINK POSITIVE; 101 INSPIRATIONAL STORIES

Author: CANFIELD, JACK

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: CHICKEN SOUP

DB 72501

Narrator: EBY, TANYA AND BOND, JIM

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "about Counting Your Blessings and Having a Positive Attitude"

Autobiographical sketches from people who have summoned their inner strength to overcome challenges and find ways to make their lives more meaningful. Foreword by newscaster Deborah Norville. Commercial audiobook. 2010.

CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL: WHAT I LEARNED FROM THE CAT; 101 STORIES

Author: CANFIELD, JACK

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: CHICKEN SOUP

DB 72502

Narrator: LINDEN, TERI CLARK, 1966-

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "about Life, Love, and Lessons"

Contributing writers relate values they have learned from cats. In "A Lesson in Ugly" Bobbie Shafer describes helping heal a burned feral cat when she was a young girl, and the ways the experience changed her outlook on life. Commercial audiobook. 2009.

CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL: WHAT I LEARNED FROM THE DOG; 101 STORIES

Author: CANFIELD, JACK

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: CHICKEN SOUP

DB 72365

Narrator: BEAN, JOYCE

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "about Life, Love, and Lessons"

Contributing writers offer insight about life, love, and the fundamental wisdom they have learned from dogs. In "Shih Tzu Lifeguards" Jeff Mainard discusses the unconditional love of his two tiny canines and credits them for saving him from drowning--in alcohol. Commercial audiobook. 2009.

CONFIDENT WOMAN: START TODAY LIVING BOLDLY AND WITHOUT FEAR

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 63471

Narrator: HANCOCK, ANNE

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 63471

Narrator: HANCOCK, ANNE

1 cartridge in 1 container

A Christian minister, the author of Look Great, Feel Great (RC 62579), encourages women to overcome their inner fears and live confident lives. Meyer interprets the Bible's view of women in ministry, highlights the characteristics of confident women, and proposes steps to independence. Bestseller. 2006.

CRYSTAL CLEAR: THE INSPIRING STORY OF HOW AN OLYMPIC ATHLETE LOST HIS

Author: LE MARQUE, ERIC, 1969-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 69667

Narrator: SANDVOLD, ERIK

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Legs Due to Crystal Meth and Found a Better Life"

Former professional hockey player recounts his post-career addiction to methamphetamine ("speed"). Describes becoming stranded in 2004 for eight days in subfreezing temperatures in the Sierra Nevada. Discusses the amputation of his frostbitten feet and later his legs below the knee and relates his newfound belief in God. 2009.

DAILY READINGS FROM YOUR BEST LIFE NOW: NINETY DEVOTIONS FOR LIVING

Author: OSTEEN, JOEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 63057

Narrator: HAUENSTEIN, RICHARD

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 63057

Narrator: HAUENSTEIN, RICHARD

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "at Your Full Potential"

Christian pastor offers a devotional as a companion to his bestselling *Your Best Life Now* (RC 59330, BR 16228). Presents ninety days of motivational and inspirational messages and scripture intended to strengthen belief in God. 2005.

EVERY DAY A FRIDAY: HOW TO BE HAPPIER SEVEN DAYS A WEEK

Author: OSTEEN, JOEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73781

Narrator: WALLACE, BILL

1 cartridge in 1 container

Pastor Osteen discusses research showing that people are happiest on Fridays and suggests allowing joy to infuse every day by maintaining a positive outlook. Uses scripture and personal anecdotes to illustrate his principles for happiness. Bestseller. 2011.

FEARLESS: IMAGINE YOUR LIFE WITHOUT FEAR

Author: LUCADO, MAX
S/P/V: Heavy violence
Reading level: Adult

DB 69793

Narrator: MOORE, BOB
1 cartridge in 1 container

Pastor's advice on replacing fear with faith. Addresses common concerns such as one's own insignificance, financial adversity, parenting, disappointing God, violence, death, and global calamity. Offers guidance through scripture in coping with daily struggles. Bestseller. 2009.

GABBY: A STORY OF COURAGE AND HOPE

Author: GIFFORDS, GABRIELLE D., 1970-
S/P/V: Some profanity; Some violence
Reading level: Adult

DB 74049

Narrator: BERNSON, BARRY
1 cartridge in 1 container

Arizona congresswoman Giffords and her husband, astronaut Kelly, describe their lives before and after the near-fatal shooting of Giffords in January 2011. They discuss their anguish over the other victims, Kelly's support during Giffords's recovery, and Giffords's determination to return to work. Some violence and some strong language. Bestseller. 2011.

GIFT OF LOVE: REFLECTIONS FOR THE TENDER HEART

Author: STANLEY, CHARLES F
S/P/V: None
Reading level: Adult

DB 62394

Narrator: MOORE, BOB

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 62394

Narrator: MOORE, BOB

1 cartridge in 1 container

Collection of brief devotional passages, prayers, and scripture verses by pastor and author of *The Source of My Strength* (RC 39969). Encourages readers to embrace God's unconditional love and accept Jesus as savior to find salvation in life and cope with everyday challenges. 2001.

HEAVEN

Author: ALCORN, RANDY

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DX 60445

Narrator: FOX, JACK

1 cartridge in 1 container

Pastor, noted Christian speaker, and founder of a nonprofit ministry presents his vision of the afterlife based on biblical scripture. Depicts heaven as a "new earth" free from suffering and filled with God's presence. Theological discussions offer answers to questions about the realm's structure, atmosphere, daily happenings, and more. 2004.

HOPE FOR THE TROUBLED HEART

Author: GRAHAM, BILLY, 1918-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 34805

Narrator: RAYBURN, JOHN

1 cartridge in 1 container

Graham examines the sense of helplessness that he encounters in people all over the world. He claims that experts in every field agree that the most vital human need is hope. Drawing upon his experience in the ministry, he addresses loneliness, stress, illness, depression, death, and tragedy. He offers the promise of hope in the midst of human suffering.

HOW TO HEAR FROM GOD: LEARN TO KNOW HIS VOICE AND MAKE RIGHT

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 58704

Narrator: GRAY, JANIS

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 58704

Narrator: GRAY, JANIS

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Decisions"

Bible teacher uses scripture and examples from her own ministry to explain how to develop sensitivity to God's communication through supernatural revelation, the "inner witness," and nature. Contends that rote religious activity, unforgiveness, and legalism can hinder the fulfillment of God's plan and suggests ways to protect against negativity. 2003.

IT'S YOUR TIME: ACTIVATE YOUR FAITH, ACHIEVE YOUR DREAMS, AND INCREASE

Author: OSTEEN, JOEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 69979

Narrator: TIPTON, GARY

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "in God's Favor"

Citing real-life examples and scripture, the pastor of the Lakewood Church in Houston and author of *Become a Better You* (RC 65690) and *Your Best Life Now* (RC 59330) offers inspirational advice on overcoming adversity. Bestseller. 2009.

LETTERS AND PAPERS FROM PRISON

Author: BONHOEFFER, DIETRICH

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73283

Narrator: TIPTON, GARY

1 cartridge in 1 container

The German theologian's correspondence with his family and friend (the book editor) during his incarceration by the Nazis from 1943 until his execution in 1945. A devout Christian's account of examining his conscience and beliefs while the Nazis were in power.

LIFE YOU WANT: GET MOTIVATED, LOSE WEIGHT, AND BE HAPPY

Author: GREENE, BOB (BOB W.)

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 72880

Narrator: PYLE, ANDY

1 cartridge in 1 container

Author and Oprah fitness expert Greene teams up with psychologist Kearney-Cooke and nutritionist Jibrin to examine barriers to weight loss. Offers tips on overcoming emotional eating, poor body image, and aversion to exercise, motivational tools, including lifestyle logs and goal-setting worksheets. 2010.

LIVING BEYOND YOUR FEELINGS: CONTROLLING EMOTIONS SO THEY DON'T

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73798

Narrator: FERRIS, JILL

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Control You"

Christian author warns against allowing emotions to rule your life. Uses scripture, psychological research, and her own experiences to explain ways to control your sentiments. Discusses common feelings, personality types, and the mind-body connection. Bestseller. 2011.

NEARING HOME: LIFE, FAITH, AND FINISHING WELL

Author: GRAHAM, BILLY, 1918-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73955

Narrator: DOWNER, PATRICK

1 cartridge in 1 container

Ninety-three-year-old evangelist, whose wife Ruth died in 2007, uses his personal experience of aging to illustrate ways to achieve spiritual growth while facing life's transitions. Discusses retirement, health, and grief and suggests viewing one's latter years from God's perspective. Bestseller. 2011.

NEVER GIVE UP: RELENTLESS DETERMINATION TO OVERCOME LIFE'S CHALLENGES

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 68923

Narrator: DUKIN, KERRY

1 cartridge in 1 container

Minister and author of *I Dare You: Embrace Life with Passion* (RC 66441) shares scripture and anecdotes encouraging readers to persevere amid challenges, pursue goals, and fulfill God's purpose for their lives. Profiles individuals who overcame obstacles to succeed, including Helen Keller and businessman James Cash Penney. 2008.

NO END IN SIGHT: MY LIFE AS A BLIND IDITAROD RACER

Author: SCDORIS, RACHAEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DX 61948

Narrator: ALLISON, KRISTIN

1 cartridge in 1 container

Twenty-year-old author discusses her Oregon childhood, her experience with low vision, and her determination to become a professional sled dog racer. Describes being introduced to the sport by her father, becoming the youngest athlete to win a five-hundred-mile race, and the obstacles she overcame to qualify for the Iditarod. 2006.

PARABLES OF JOSHUA

Author: GIRZONE, JOSEPH F.

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: JOSHUA 7

DB 74133

Narrator: HUNTEY, BRUCE

1 cartridge in 1 container

Author recasts the parables of Jesus from the New Testament in twenty-first-century settings to make their messages more meaningful to new audiences. First in the collection is the parable of a rich man who shares his wealth with common people. 2001.

PATCHES OF GODLIGHT: FATHER TIM'S FAVORITE QUOTES

Author: KARON, JAN

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: MITFORD SERIES COMPANION BOOKS

DB 61575

Narrator: TIPTON, GARY

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 61575

Narrator: TIPTON, GARY

1 cartridge in 1 container

Collection of favorite quotes and passages that have a special meaning for fictional Father Tim. They are drawn from the works of poets, humorists, clerics, philosophers, and others. Companion to A Continual Feast (RC 62403, BR 16532). 2001.

PEACE WITH GOD

Author: GRAHAM, BILLY, 1918-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 71233

Narrator: WALLACE, BILL

1 cartridge in 1 container

Minister Billy Graham revises and expands his statement of faith first published in 1953. It offers Graham's analysis of man's deepest longings and highest hopes and describes the path he has found to personal peace amid world crisis. 1991.

**RC 23520 is a revision Rev. Graham published in 1984.

READING LIPS: AND OTHER WAYS TO OVERCOME A DISABILITY

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 67826

Narrator: DUKIN, KERRY

1 cartridge in 1 container

Diane Scharper, a member of the National Book Critics Circle, and ophthalmologist Philip Scharper Jr. present twenty-nine winners from the Helen Keller Foundation for Research and Education memoir competition. Contributors from all over the world describe, in prose and poetry, overcoming life-altering disabilities ranging from blindness to cancer. 2008.

REMARKABLE MOTHER

Author: CARTER, JIMMY

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 66727

Narrator: COFFEE, FRANK

1 cartridge in 1 container

Former U.S. president Jimmy Carter pays homage to his mother, Bessie Lillian Gordy Carter (1898-1983). Describes "Miss Lilly's" childhood in rural Georgia, training as a nurse during World War I, marriage, and 1969-1968 trip to India as a Peace Corps volunteer. Highlights her humanitarian ethic at home and abroad. 2008.

REPOSITION YOURSELF: LIVING LIFE WITHOUT LIMITS

Author: JAKES, T. D.

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 65083

Narrator: MOORE, BOB

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 65083

Narrator: MOORE, BOB

1 cartridge in 1 container

Bishop Jakes offers advice on how to succeed and prosper by reassessing one's life and positioning oneself for the future. Jakes uses scripture and personal experience to illustrate the connection between faith, good works, and responsibility. Foreword by Dr. Phil McGraw. Bestseller. 2007.

RESOLUTION FOR MEN

Author: KENDRICK, STEPHEN, 1973-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73757

Narrator: SARRIS, GEORGE W.

1 cartridge in 1 container

Authors of The Love Dare (DB 70078) use scripture to encourage men to take full physical, social, and spiritual responsibility as fathers and husbands. Companion to The Resolution for Women (DB 73760). Bestseller. Commercial audiobook. 2011.

**Additional authors: Alex Kendrick with Randy Alcorn.

RESOLUTION FOR WOMEN

Author: SHIRER, PRISCILLA EVANS

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73760

Narrator: SHIRER, PRISCILLA

1 cartridge in 1 container

Companion to The Resolution for Men (DB 73757) offers examples from

life and scripture to encourage women to honor God and their families.
2011.

SAME KIND OF DIFFERENT AS ME

Author: HALL, RON

S/P/V: Some profanity; Some violence

Reading level: Adult

DT 06944

Narrator: THOMPSON, STACI

1 cartridge in 1 container

(Subtitle reads: "A modern-day slave, an international art dealer, and the unlikely woman who bound them together") This is the story of Denver Moore, an man who grew up in virtual slavery, picking cotton for "the man" as late as the 1960's. A man who never attended a day of school, never was paid for his years of back-breaking labor, who saw surviving on the streets as a step up in life. This is Ron Hall's story too, an upscale art broker with an eye for a masterpiece and nose for a deal. He went from selling soup to selling Picassos and Van Goghs. And this is Debbie Hall's story whose compassion and persistence brought about this unlikely friendship. 2006.

SEVEN THINGS THAT STEAL YOUR JOY: OVERCOMING THE OBSTACLES TO YOUR

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 58823

Narrator: MEYER, JOYCE

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 58823

Narrator: MEYER, JOYCE

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Happiness"

Christian radio and television host shares wisdom from scripture passages and her own ministry that has enabled her to find happiness, health, and strength in daily life. Offers advice to replace with God's truth and love such joy stealers as jealousy, discontentment, excessive reasoning, and anger. 2004.

WHAT DIFFERENCE DO IT MAKE? STORIES OF HOPE AND HEALING

Author: HALL, RON

S/P/V: Some profanity; Some violence

Reading level: Adult

DT 07019

Narrator: THOMPSON, STACI

1 cartridge in 1 container

Using anecdotes and essays, "What Difference Do It Make?" beautifully showcases God's ability to work through even the most awkward and painful circumstances to bring forth amazing and redemptive changes. Deeply moving but never sappy or sentimental, it answers its own question with a simple and emphatic answer. What difference can one person (or two) make in the world? A lot! Some strong language, some violence. 2009.

WHAT HELPED GET ME THROUGH: CANCER SURVIVORS SHARE WISDOM AND HOPE

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 68039

Narrator: KANE, MARY

1 cartridge in 1 container

Breast cancer survivor and medical doctor uses her experience and the comments of other cancer survivors and specialists to explore aspects of fighting the disease. Discusses the need for adequate sleep, proper nutrition, and exercise. Covers spirituality, intimacy, and the importance of seeking help and balancing work and family. 2008.

WHY IS GOD LAUGHING? THE PATH TO JOY AND SPIRITUAL OPTIMISM

Author: CHOPRA, DEEPAK

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 68723

Narrator: CONN, BRIAN

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 68723

Narrator: CONN, BRIAN

1 cartridge in 1 container

Chopra creates the parable of L.A. comedian Mickey Fellows who, after his father's death, meets Francisco. Mickey and Francisco have conversations regarding the true nature of being, and Mickey learns the ten reasons to be optimistic--and how to truly laugh. Foreword by Mike Myers. 2008.

SPANISH NON-FICTION

CADA DIA ES VIERNES: COMO SER MAS FELIZ SIETE DIAS POR SEMANA (EVERY

Author: OSTEEN, JOEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 72984

Narrator: RAMIREZ, JUAN

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Day a Friday: How to Be Happier Seven Days a Week)"

Pastor Osteen discusses research showing that people are happiest on Fridays and suggests allowing joy to infuse every day by maintaining a

positive outlook. Uses scripture and personal anecdotes to illustrate his principles for happiness. Bestseller. Spanish language. 2011.

EN MIS PROPIAS PALABRAS: INTRODUCCION A MIS ENSEÑANZAS Y FILOSOFIA (IN

Author: DALAI LAMA XIV, 1935-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 68970

Narrator: RAMIREZ, JUAN

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "My Own Words: An Introduction to My Teachings and Philosophy)"

Compilation edited by Rajiv Mehrotra presents writings and teachings of the fourteenth Dalai Lama of Tibet. The spiritual leader, Buddhist scholar, and Nobel Peace Laureate explores the nature of happiness, the law of karma, meditation, transformation of the mind, ethics, and the importance of empiricism and science. Spanish language. 2008.

FELIZ PORQUE SI: SIETE PASOS PARA ALCANZAR LA FELICIDAD DESDE EL

Author: SHIMOFF, MARCI

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 67965

Narrator: PINO, MARIA

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TITLE CONTINUES: "Interior (Happy for No Reason: Seven Steps to Being Happy from the Inside Out)"

Author presents a holistic approach to finding lasting happiness. Describes a seven-step program corresponding to personal power, mind, heart, body, soul, purpose, and relationships--as well as twenty-one associated "happiness habits" and exercises. Includes inspirational accounts and tips on applying principles to daily life. Foreword by Jack Canfield. Spanish language. 2008.

NACIDO EN UN DIA AZUL: UN VIAJE POR EL INTERIOR DE LA MENTE Y LA VIDA

Author: TAMMET, DANIEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 65997

Narrator: RAMIREZ, JUAN

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TITLE CONTINUES: "de un Genio Autista (Born on a Blue Day: Inside the Extraordinary Mind of an Autistic Savant)"

Autobiography of Daniel Tammet, a twenty-six-year-old British savant with Asperger's syndrome and synesthesia, who can perform rapid memorization and mathematical calculations and learn an unfamiliar language in days. Describes his mainstream education, impoverished childhood with eight siblings, and adult life as a gay Christian.

Spanish language. 2007.

PENSAMIENTOS: PALABRAS QUE ILUMINAN EL CAMINO (THOUGHTS: WORDS THAT

Author: GOMEZ-BASSOLS, ISABEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 68983

Narrator: PINO, MARIA

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TITLE CONTINUES: "Illumine the Path)"

Popular host of the Doctora Isabel radio show relates inspirational stories and thoughts that have influenced her programs. Covers a range of subjects including values, compassion, forgiveness, love, rebirth, and the lessons of life. Spanish language. 2009.