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Planet Earth  
Springer

Science &  
Business  
Media  
Introduces  
some of the

world's most unusual creatures, including an animal that can be found at the top of Mount Everest, under the sea, and in everyday yards; a creature with cube-shaped scat; and an animal that disguises itself as a crab.

*Boys' Life*

Annick Press Discover 50 fascinating top-ten lists full of facts and trivia about planet Earth in this engaging nonfiction book! This book contains fifty lists of

the most extreme and unusual facts about our planet. From the highest peaks, longest rivers, and most dangerous volcanoes to interesting buildings, indigenous peoples, and amusing place names, this pocket-sized book covers it all. Bursting with fun facts, locator maps, and vivid images, this book of top-ten lists will provide hours of entertainment for fact-hungry kids! *101 Fun Facts*

*About the Planets: A Set of Seven 15-Minute Books*

Niven Dallas These nine interrelated stories for young readers offer an optimistic view of the future, in which postapocalyptic survivors adapt to their dystopian circumstances to build a thriving new world.

Strange Aeon 2nd Edition

UFO Publishing For far too long, horror has been considered a male genre, made by men,

marketed to men, and enjoyed by men. But in the last decade, we have seen an emergence of women as horror filmmakers, academics, and fans, all making sure their voices were heard! Editors Alyse Wax and Rebekah McKendry, PhD have gathered some of the greatest minds in horror film theory—all women—to discuss their love of the genre. The scope of

Creepy Bitches covers all areas of the horror genre, film industry, and fandom – from the Cronenbergian experience of giving birth to how The X-Files plays in the #MeToo moment; from growing up at Disneyland’s Haunted Mansion to growing up in a video store. The book explores gender roles in The Creature From the Black Lagoon trilogy and Mexican horror cinema, as well as the bisexual

energy of I Know What You Did Last Summer. It covers the therapeutic benefits of watching horror and how to love home invasion movies again after experiencing real-life trauma. But the book’s overarching purpose is to celebrate new voices and increase our understanding of women in the horror realm, celebrating that horror does not only scare us, but helps us understand

the world around us, providing a lens through which to view and explore our own selves.

**Strange Sounds** Open Road Media ""The Mist meets Silent Hill meets Lovecraft meets Doctor Who... a uniquely terrifying game."" Lovecraft's strange aeons are here. The stars were right and yes, in time even death may die. Humanity exists on the precipice, a handful of survivors

teetering on the brink of extinction. The dominion of Earth is lost. The Old Ones have returned. Strange Aeon is a roleplaying game in which you, the player, take on the role of survivor and scavenger in a terrifying post-apocalypse setting. With the help of fellow players you must remain alive while battling the forces of the mythos, enduring the toxic fumes of the Morbus mist and the ever

crumbling state of human civilisation. You have only one advantage over the other humans still clinging to life in the aftermath of The Event; you have in your possession a mythos relic known as The Celestial Sphere. With the sorcery contained in this artefact you can travel through time, into future and past versions of the Earth.

[Air Corps News Letter](#)  
Encyclopaedia

Britannica, Inc. A monumental, genre-defying novel that David Mitchell calls "Michel Faber's second masterpiece," *The Book of Strange New Things* is a masterwork from a writer in full command of his many talents. It begins with Peter, a devoted man of faith, as he is called to the mission of a lifetime, one that takes him galaxies away from his wife, Bea. Peter becomes

immersed in the mysteries of an astonishing new environment, overseen by an enigmatic corporation known only as USIC. His work introduces him to a seemingly friendly native population struggling with a dangerous illness and hungry for Peter's teachings—his Bible is their "book of strange new things." But Peter is rattled when Bea's letters from home become increasingly

desperate: typhoons and earthquakes are devastating whole countries, and governments are crumbling. Bea's faith, once the guiding light of their lives, begins to falter. Suddenly, a separation measured by an otherworldly distance, and defined both by one newly discovered world and another in a state of collapse, is threatened by an ever-widening gulf that is much

less quantifiable. While Peter is reconciling the needs of his congregation with the desires of his strange employer, Bea is struggling for survival. Their trials lay bare a profound meditation on faith, love tested beyond endurance, and our responsibility to those closest to us. Marked by the same bravura storytelling and precise language that made *The Crimson Petal* and *the White* such an

international success, *The Book of Strange New Things* is extraordinary, mesmerizing, and replete with emotional complexity and genuine pathos.

**Uncle John's Bathroom Reader**

**The World's Gone Crazy**

Macmillan Publishers Aus.

Presents facts, brief stories, photos, and illustrations showing that fact can be as weird as fiction.

**Unidentified Funny Objects 7**

Routledge

Aliens. Ley lines. Water dowsing. Conspiracies and myths captivate imaginations and promise mystery and magic. Whether it's arguing about the moon landing hoax or a Frisbee-like Earth drifting through space, when held up to science and critical thinking, these ideas fall flat. In *Weird Earth: Debunking Strange Ideas About Our Planet*, Donald R. Prothero demystifies

these conspiracies and offers answers to some of humanity's most outlandish questions. Applying his extensive scientific knowledge, Prothero corrects misinformation that con artists and quacks use to hoodwink others about geology—hollo w earth, expanding earth, and bizarre earthquakes—and mystical and paranormal happenings—healing

crystals, alien landings, and the gates of hell. By deconstructin g wild claims such as prophecies of imminent natural disasters, Prothero provides a way for everyone to recognize dubious assertions. Prothero answers these claims with facts, offering historical and scientific context in a light-hearted manner that is accessible to everyone, no matter their background. With a careful

layering of evidence in geology, archaeology, and biblical and historical records, Prothero's *Weird Earth* examines each conspiracy and myth and leaves no question unanswered. *The Dream Architects* Rigby Straight from the mind of New York Times bestselling author Nathan W. Pyle, *Strange Planet* is an adorable and profound universe in pink, blue, green, and

purple, based on the phenomenally popular Instagram of the same name! Strange Planet covers a full life cycle of the planet's inhabitants, including milestones such as: The Emergence Day Being Gains a Sibling The Being Family Attains a Beast The Formal Education of a Being Celebration of Special Days Being Begins a Vocation The Beings at Home Health Status of a Being The

Hobbies of a Being The Extended Family of the Being The Being Reflects on Life While Watching the Planet Rotate With dozens of never-before-seen illustrations in addition to old favorites, this fixed-format e-book offers a sweet and hilarious look at a distant world not all that unlike our own. I feel more attractive. Honestly, you are. It's the star damage. I CRAVE STAR DAMAGE. **The 9th Place** Atlantis

Rising magazine Curious kids ask the best questions! What keeps the stars from falling from the sky? Why do metal boats float? And more importantly, why don't cars run on apple juice?! All these questions and more are found in the pages of this science Q & A book with questions from the most inquisitive of science center visitors—kids. With help from a slew of scientists, author Kira



Vermont serves up the answers to more than 50 quizzical queries in a fun and engaging style. Vibrant illustrations by Suharu Ogawa add to the appeal, making this a STEM-tastic gift for young graduates, science buffs, and everyone who loves to ask “Why?”.  
*Creepy Bitches: Essays On Horror From Women In Horror*  
Lulu.com  
This book finally casts a spotlight on some short-

lived and almost forgotten sitcoms—those which aired for only one single season. Many books have already been written about situation comedies that enjoyed long and storied runs on television but this volume focuses upon the others. Overflowing with fresh facts, interviews, photographs, and stories, nearly 300 short-lived sitcoms over a 32 year span are presented A-to-Z,

whether network or syndicated, prime time or Saturday morning.  
**Holistic Tips for Everyday Living: A Guide for Being on Planet Earth**  
National Geographic Books  
Fact-hungry kids will love poring over these warped world maps full of unique and weird data. See how many lightning strikes hit parts of our planet, the wind patterns of the whole world, and even how the

world map  
would look if  
global  
warming  
melted the ice  
caps!  
Covering  
everything  
from Pangea  
to the world's  
weirdest  
natural  
wonders, this  
is Earth in all  
its strange  
glory. What's  
Weird on  
Earth is an  
entirely new  
atlas  
adventure,  
with maps of  
UFO sightings,  
popular foods,  
every country  
resized  
according to  
population  
density, and  
their  
popularity as  
holiday

destinations.  
Kids can spot  
the strangest  
features on  
every corner  
of Earth; from  
ancient  
patterns  
carved in the  
desert sand to  
the 29,000  
bath toys that  
sailed the  
world's ocean  
currents after  
a shipwreck.  
Travel back in  
time to  
discover maps  
from previous  
centuries or  
turn the globe  
upside down -  
literally.  
Planet Earth  
will never  
seem the  
same again!

**Weird and  
Amazing  
Places in the  
Natural**

## **World**

BalboaPress  
Boys' Life is  
the official  
youth  
magazine for  
the Boy  
Scouts of  
America.  
Published  
since 1911, it  
contains a  
proven mix of  
news, nature,  
sports,  
history,  
fiction,  
science,  
comics, and  
Scouting.  
[Danger Dolan  
Countdown](#)  
Lulu.com  
The inside  
story of the  
booming video  
game industry  
from the late  
1990s to the  
present, as  
told by the  
Managing

Director of  
Ubisoft's  
Massive  
Entertainment  
(The Division,  
Far Cry 3,  
Assassin's  
Creed:  
Revelations).  
At Massive  
Entertainment  
, a Ubisoft  
studio, a key  
division of one  
of the largest,  
most  
influential  
companies in  
gaming,  
Managing  
Director  
Polfeldt has  
had a hand in  
some of the  
biggest video  
game  
franchises of  
today, from  
Assassin's  
Creed to Far  
Cry to Tom  
Clancy's The

Division, the  
fastest-selling  
new series  
this  
generation  
which  
revitalized the  
Clancy brand  
in gaming. In  
The Dream  
Architects,  
Polfeldt charts  
his course  
through a  
charmed,  
idiosyncratic  
career which  
began at the  
dawn of the  
Sony  
PlayStation  
and Microsoft  
Xbox era --  
from  
successfully  
pitching an  
Avatar game  
to James  
Cameron that  
will digitally  
create all of  
Pandora to

enduring a  
week-long  
survivalist  
camp in the  
Scandinavian  
forest to  
better  
understand  
the post-  
apocalyptic  
future of The  
Division. Along  
the way,  
Polfeldt  
ruminates on  
how the video  
game industry  
has grown and  
changed, how  
and when  
games  
became art,  
and the  
medium's  
expanding  
artistic and  
storytelling  
potential. He  
shares what  
it's like to  
manage a  
creative

process that has ballooned from a low-six-figure expense with a team of a half dozen people to a transatlantic production of five hundred employees on a single project with a production budget of over a hundred million dollars. A rare firsthand account of the golden age of game development told in vivid detail, *The Dream Architects* is a seminal work about the biggest entertainment

medium of today. **Funny & Fabulous Story Prompts** little bee books Award-winning author and National Geographic Traveler writer Jerry Camarillo Dunn takes you on a remarkable journey with such amazing and diverse figures as Sandra Day O'Connor and the Dalai Lama, actors Robin Williams and Morgan Freeman, astronauts Buzz Aldrin and Sally Ride, explorer Jean-Michel

Cousteau, real estate mogul Donald Trump, entertainer Jerry Seinfeld, food guru Alice Waters, and author Tony Hillerman. His simple question to these people: What is your favorite travel discovery? The answers are both surprising and engaging--ranging from Bali Indonesia to a well-used bench at San Francisco's Crissy Field, from the Hopi Mesas in Arizona to the Old City of Jerusalem. In page after

page,  
celebrated  
contributors  
describe the  
special appeal  
of each place--  
be it the  
amazing  
beauty, or the  
character of  
the people, or  
simply the  
hushed joy of  
solitude  
Listopia:  
Planet Earth  
National  
Geographic  
Books  
Contains eight  
sets of related  
story prompts.  
Each set  
contains  
recurring  
characters so  
that students  
will be able to  
create their  
own chapter  
books.

### **The Turning**

**Place**  
Scholastic Inc.  
This book is,  
in a sense, a  
sequel to  
David  
Seargent's  
first Springer  
book *Weird  
Astronomy*  
(2010).  
Whereas  
*Weird  
Astronomy*  
extended over  
a broad range  
of purely  
astronomical  
topics, the  
present work  
concentrates  
on  
phenomena  
closer to  
home; the  
atmospheric  
and "shallow  
space" events  
as opposed to  
deep space  
events. The  
line between

astronomy  
and  
meteorology  
is blurred - a  
fact that is  
discussed in  
*Weird  
Weather*. It is  
not primarily a  
book of  
"wonders" or  
of the  
unexplained,  
although  
some of the  
topics covered  
remain  
mysteries. It is  
primarily  
directed  
toward those  
who are  
fascinated by  
climate and  
weather, and  
who are open-  
minded when  
considering  
Earth's  
climate, what  
drives it, and  
what are the

causes of climate change. The author, David A. J. Seargent, presents the facts with a balanced and scientific approach. Weird Weather: Tales of Astronomical and Atmospheric Anomalies is about strange, unusual, and apparently inexplicable observations of the air and sky. Primarily these are in the Earth's atmosphere, but there are corresponding phenomena in the atmospheres

of other planets of the Solar System - lightning on Venus, Jupiter, and Saturn, whirlwinds and dust storms of Mars, and auroras on Jupiter. Topics include anomalous lights, anomalous sounds, spectacular effects of cloud illumination by the Sun or Moon, lightning phenomena, electrophonic sounds of lightning, aurora and meteors, tornado and whirlwind

phenomena on Earth and Mars, usual atmospheric effects, mirages, and the possible astronomical influences on cloud and climate. Awakening Your Destiny Lonely Planet Kids Set in current times. The 9th Place is a fast-moving, mind provoking, fiction thriller. A spooky story with a new twist about where we came from, and where we are all going. The plot revolves around known wonders of

the ancient world, unresolved scientific mysteries, and old prophecies. A universal power is about to make a small change to correct a solar system event. Three chosen humans on the planet earth are given a fleeting chance to resolve this looming world disaster. All the main characters have normal everyday challenging lives, when they are suddenly

thrown together to save the world from all life extinction. This well researched novel, complete with a dash of humour, will appeal to those who enjoy a good current could be true story. This fast page-turning and believable story, tries to answer many of the unexplained mysteries of our world including. Why do we exist? is there some purpose or plan; are we alone, or are we for some

reason being manipulated. This story contains a fair portion of fact, mingled with some interesting fiction suggesting a potential answer to all of those questions, and who knows... perhaps a few more. *The Book of Strange New Things* McFarland In Strange Sounds, Timothy D. Taylor explains the wonder and anxiety provoked by a technological revolution that began in the

1940s and gathers steam daily. Taylor discusses the cultural role of technology, its use in making music, and the inevitable concerns about "authenticity" that arise from electronic music. Informative and highly entertaining for both music fans and scholars, *Strange Sounds* is a provocative look at how we perform, listen to, and understand music today. [50 Wacky Things](#)

[Animals Do ReadHowYouWant.com](#) Uncle John's latest compendium of the most bizarre and entertaining information imaginable: a [Worldwide Weird-opedia!](#) Good news: It's not you, the world really is going crazy! And Uncle John is barely sane enough to guide you through it all in this whirlwind tour of all things strange and weird. Yes, loyal Throne Room readers, these 432 all-new pages of

pure crazy will shock and confound you . . . and make your side split open from laughing. (Uncle John takes no legal responsibilities for split sides.) So fire up your egg-beater, strap on your tinfoil hat, and plunge on into . . . \* The secret government plot to poison Earth's skies \* Animal-human hybrids and what role they'll have in society \* "Sexy Finding Nemo" and other inappropriate Halloween



costumes \* A  
cow that eats  
chicken,  
therapeutic  
snake  
massages,  
and killer  
kangaroos \*  
The lady who  
married the  
Eiffel Tower,  
and the man  
who hugs and  
kisses his car  
\* Enjoying the

world's  
craziest  
festivals,  
where you can  
eat fried lamb  
testicles, ride  
on a ship  
through the  
desert, or  
pierce your  
skin with a  
bicycle \*  
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lived to tell  
about it \* How  
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Decoding the  
Mayan  
Prophecy \*  
Clergy gone  
wild, and  
much much  
more!