

## NEWSOUTH

### DARWIN SPITFIRES: THE REAL BATTLE FOR AUSTRALIA

ANTHONY COOPER

- A fast-paced action narrative
- Using war diaries, combat reports and other correspondence and records, reconstructs in detail the ten major air battles that took place
- The pilots' personal experiences of combat are told in detail
- Includes 42 stunning maps and illustrations

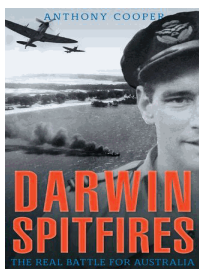
In 1943, a small band of inexperienced Australian and British fighter pilots fought an ongoing air battle in defense of north-western Australia, flying against a formidably skilled and proficient opponent. The air raids on Darwin during 1942-43 constituted the only sustained and intensive direct assault on Australian mainland territory in the whole of World War Two and yet, surprisingly, most Australians have no idea that it ever happened. Following the RAAF's No 1 Fighter Wing, *Darwin Spitfires* tells this little-known story, and in so doing, recovers this important aspect of Australian history.

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42 illustrations



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## UNSW PRESS

### THE LITTLE GREEN GRAMMAR BOOK

MARK TREDINNICK

- Handy companion volume to Mark Tredinnick's highly successful *The Little Red Writing Book*
- He writes engagingly using everyday language and never overcomplicates the subject
- Is brief but comprehensive and includes an outstandingly useful range of examples
- Includes a guide to most common mistakes and how to avoid them
- Will appeal to everyone who writes, from students to grandparents, novelists to poets, letter writers to policy-writers

What really goes on inside a sentence? What is your subject, and where is your verb, and what is its tense, and where is your modifier, and why does it matter? Where do you need a comma, and where do you not? Why are dashes and semicolons so misunderstood? When is it which and when is it that? In *The Little Green Grammar Book*, Mark Tredinnick asks and answers the tough grammar questions—big and small—with the same verve and authority readers encountered in *The Little Red Writing Book*. *The Little Green Grammar Book* does for grammar what *The Little Red Writing Book* did for style. It will have you writing like a writer in no time.

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**THE LITTLE RED WRITING BOOK****MARK TREDINNICK**

- 'The Little Red Writing Book' is for everyone who writes and wants to do it better.
- Full of personality and life, it is engaging and inspiring as well as instructive. Packed with examples of superb writing from all over the world, it shows with insight and passion why some writing works and some doesn't.
- Highly practical, it is filled with useful and instructive exercises to reinforce every point it makes.
- Award-winning Australian author.
- Endorsed by Anna Funder, Nicholas Jose, James Bradley.

A book on technique, style, craft and manners for everyone who writes and wants to do it better. It is a manual of good diction, composition, sentence craft, paragraph design, structure and planning. Enriched by examples of fine prose from great writers including Tim Winton; flush with exercises informed by the author's expertise in both creative writing and functional prose; and written with flair, *The Little Red Writing Book* is a lively and readable guide to lively and readable writing.

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**CHOICE BOOKS****SUSTAINABLE HOUSE 2nd Ed****MICHAEL MOBBS**

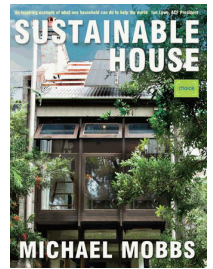
- The first edition sold over 40,000 copies in Australia
- Find out what worked, what didn't, and what Michael Mobbs would do differently 16 years after creating his ground-breaking *Sustainable House*
- Essential for home owners, builders, designers, architects, planners, local councils and government agencies
- Prescribed text in university and technical design courses across Australia
- Includes worldwide examples of sustainable houses

Whether you're planning to build or renovate, whether you live in an apartment or a house, *Sustainable House* is the essential guide to help you achieve an environmentally friendly home. It includes advice on converting your kitchen, bathroom, water supply, energy, waste system and garden, as well as tips for working with councils, builders and engineers, and the costs and benefits associated with making your home sustainable. First published in 1998, this long-awaited second edition covers the revolutions that have since occurred in sustainable housing, and, critically, includes the author's assessment on technologies and materials used in his own ground-breaking *Sustainable House* 14 years after installation. Michael Mobbs tells you what pitfalls to look out for and how to choose the best systems, products and suppliers.

For the first time we can see what happens in a sustainable house after 14 years of use. Did the solar panels last? Is rainwater in the city safe to drink? How has the garden handled over one million litres of treated sewage?

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## WILD DINGO PRESS

### BLOOD ON MY HANDS: A SURGEON AT WAR

CRAIG JURISEVIC

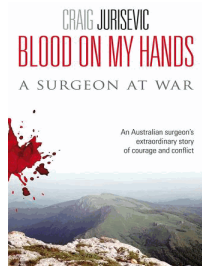
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The year is 1999, and for the first time since World War II, Europe is witnessing scenes of mass murder. The forces of Serbian strongman Slobodan Milosevic have swept into Kosovo on the Balkan Peninsula leaving a trail of death and heartbreak. Scenes of Milosevic's 'ethnic cleansing' play out on television screens all over the world; haunted figures huddled behind barbed wire fences, bodies heaped in ditches. Adelaide surgeon Craig Jurisevic recalls his grandfather's ordeal in a Nazi concentration camp and resolves to honour his memory by offering his skills as a surgeon to the victims of the conflict. Leaving his wife and son in Adelaide, Jurisevic flies to the Balkans under the auspices of the International Medical Corps. Although no stranger to the battlefield, he is appalled at the unparalleled savagery of the Kosovo war. Jurisevic's determination to put his skills to the best possible use leads him closer and closer to the frontline, and deeper into danger. Sickened by scenes of murder and massacre, he sets aside his non-partisan status and joins forces with the Kosovo Liberation Army, operating on the injured at the front and leading night-time missions behind the lines to retrieve injured Kosovar villagers. Struggling to maintain his moral bearings, Jurisevic's journey from Adelaide to the hell of Kosovo has become a descent into the heart of darkness. *Blood on My Hands* tells a story of terrible suffering, of extraordinary heroism, and of the savagery that lies coiled in the human heart.

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Read this review on the Lowy Institute's blog

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## AUSTRALIAN ACADEMIC PRESS

### WHAT TEENAGE GIRLS DON'T TELL THEIR PARENTS

MICHELLE MITCHELL

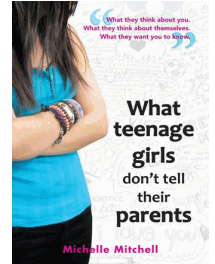
- *This book is full of straightforward advice in a complicated world*
- *Its honesty, reality and practicality is ably illustrated by the many real anecdotes from teenagers themselves about their hectic everyday lives*

As a parent you know that your child is not just another teenager, struggling to grow up. She is your daughter. That in itself makes her the most unique and important teenager in the world. But when your sweet little girl suddenly stops talking, won't do anything you tell her to do, and starts dressing like she stepped out of a celebrity magazine, you start wondering what went wrong. Michelle Mitchell has spent the last 10 years day-in, day-out, listening and talking with teenage girls about their lives, loves, hates and hopes. In this book she reveals that it's what your daughter isn't telling you rather than what she does tell you that matters the most.

You can download and listen to an interview with Michelle Mitchell about *What teenage girls don't tell their parents*

on Radio National, LIFE MATTERS

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## THE DIGGER'S CLUB

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### THE AUSTRALIAN FRUIT & VEGETABLE GARDEN

CLIVE BLAZEY, JANE VARKULEVICIUS

- Stunning jacketed hard back filled with practical advice and 300 colour photographs
- Full colour throughout
- A great gift for the Australian gardener

"...all the practical advice you need to make your organic food growing work." - *Earth Garden*

"This book is highly recommended." - *Australian Landcare*

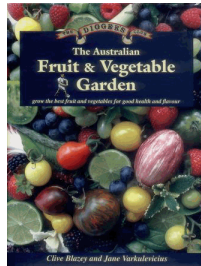
"With such an incredible amount of information and photographs, this book really is a bargain." - *Earth Garden*

This new, totally updated fruit and vegetable book has the most detailed guidance on how to grow vegetables and fruit successfully in your own back yard. It is written by Australians for Australian conditions. Based on 30 years of experience at the Digger's Club gardens, it covers over 240 vegetables and herbs, and 188 fruits, nuts and berries. This is a guide for all climates and even the tiniest garden spaces. It explains how to make compost, and shows how you can save \$1,000's growing your own produce.

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AU\$39.95

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## PLATA PUBLISHING

### IT'S RISING TIME! WHAT IT REALLY TAKES TO REACH YOUR FINANCIAL DREAMS

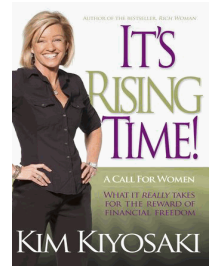
KIM KIYOSAKI

*It's Rising Time!* for women who have a vision for what they want in life and are willing to do what it takes to turn that vision into a reality. Kim's own unique style has won her friends and fans the world over. In her new book, she will explain what it really takes to go from wherever you are financially today to where you want to be. It's a book of courage and creativeness, time-tested principles and real-life stories of success, setbacks and comebacks, with a few surprises along the way.

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AU\$21.95

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## MIDAS TOUCH: WHY SOME ENTREPRENEURS GET RICH-AND WHY MOST DON'T

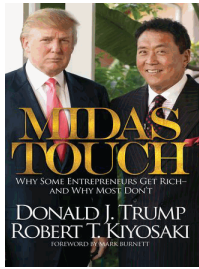
**DONALD J. TRUMP, ROBERT T. KIYOSAKI**

In this title, two entrepreneurial icons share experiences and insights into creating and building successful businesses. What makes some business owners wildly successful? What separates the entrepreneurs who build businesses from ones who just seem to create more work for themselves? How, exactly do the world's most prominent business builders seem to hit home run after home run? The answer: They have the Midas Touch. Donald Trump and Robert Kiyosaki believe the world needs more entrepreneurs. For the first time, two of the world's most successful and influential entrepreneurs will share their own Midas Touch secrets. Secrets that will both inspire you to find and fulfill your passion as well as provide you with the hands-on guidance you need to be successful. Through their real life stories of success, failure, perseverance and purpose, you'll discover how they do it and whether or not you have what it takes to drive your own entrepreneurial success.

Read Robert Kiyosaki's article My Business

Listen to Robert Kiyosaki talking to John Scott on Radio 4BC Brisbane

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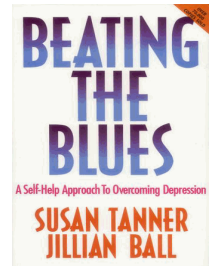
## TANNER & BALL

### BEATING THE BLUES: A SELF-HELP APPROACH TO OVERCOMING DEPRESSION

**SUSAN TANNER, JILLIAN BALL**

Depression has been described as the common cold of the psyche. At any time, one in five adults is feeling down; one in ten shows more significant signs of depression. *Beating the Blues* introduces a step-by-step program for overcoming depression, enabling you to break the lethargy circuit and conquer feelings of hopelessness, persistent bouts of jealousy, loneliness and the suicidal impulse

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## RUNNING PRESS

### SKINNY BITCH

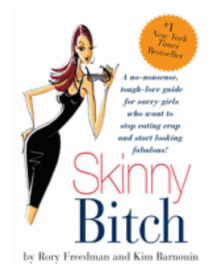
**KIM BARNOUIN**

Not your typical boring diet book, this is a tart-tongued, no-holds-barred wakeup call to all women who want to be thin. With such blunt advice as, "Soda is liquid Satan" and "You are a total moron if you think the Atkins Diet will make you thin," it's a rallying cry for all savvy women to start eating healthy and looking radiant.

Unlike standard diet books, it actually makes the reader laugh out loud with its truthful, smart-mouthed revelations.

Behind all the attitude, however, there's solid guidance. *Skinny Bitch* espouses a healthful lifestyle that promotes whole grains, fruits, and vegetables, and encourages women to get excited about feeling "clean and pure and energized."

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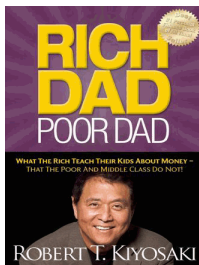


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### RICH DAD POOR DAD

**ROBERT T. KIYOSAKI**

Personal finance author and lecturer Robert T. Kiyosaki developed his unique economic perspective from two very different influences— two fathers. This text lays out Kiyosaki's philosophy and his relationship with money.



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