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heart gripping accounts from family friends and military brethren show that the battle seldom ends when veterans come home the physical and psychological scars mar them for life a permanent bane that they endure for our peace and safety such scenarios have occurred countless times throughout our country s history to defend the red white and blue remarkably most would do it all over again if needed despite ptsd one such veteran jeremy smith continues to deeply touch the lives of those around him upon the altar of freedom shares the soul touching quest of jeremy and his family as they endeavor to ensure that he lives the american dream for which he fought valiantly despite his torments marvel as you read how they silently embrace suffering so that we can enjoy freedom and liberty

we speak of being free to speak our minds free to go to college free to move about we can be cancer free debt free worry free or free from doubt the concept of freedom and

relatedly the notion of liberty is ubiquitous but not everyone agrees what the term means and the philosophical analysis of freedom that has grown over the last two decades has revealed it to be a complex notion whose meaning is dependent on the context the oxford handbook of freedom will crystallize this work and craft the first wide ranging analysis of freedom in all its dimensions legal cultural religious economic political and psychological this volume includes 28 new essays by well regarded philosophers as well some historians and political theorists in order to reflect the breadth of the topic this handbook covers both current scholarship as well as historical trends with an overall eye to how current ideas on freedom developed the volume is divided into six sections conceptual frames framing the overall debates about freedom historical frames freedom in key historical periods from the ancients onward institutional frames freedom and the law cultural frames mutual expectations on our right to be free economic frames freedom and the market and lastly psychological frames free will in philosophy and psychology

the idea of freedom brings historians of kant s philosophy into conversation with contemporary metaphysicians and ethicists with the aim of representing the current state of scholarship on kant s and kantian accounts of freedom while at the same time opening new avenues of exploration

freedom union and power analyzes the beliefs of the republican party during the civil war how those beliefs changed and what those changes foreshadowed for the future the party s pre war ideology of free soil free labor free men changed with the republican ascent to power in the white house with lincoln s election republicans faced something new responsibility for the government with responsibility came the need to wage a war for the survival of that government the country and the party and with victory in the war came responsibility responsibility for saving the union by ending slavery and for pursuing policies that fit into their belief in a strong free union michael green shows how republicans had to wield federal power to stop a rebellion against freedom and union crucial to their use of federal power was their hope of keeping that power the intersection of policy and politics

his birthright his birthright to love be loved to be respectable be respected to be a leader to lead to have a home a world to be a man a blackman to seek his deity and to know his god all lost before his birth right d fu ski

doug samuels is a highly respected but emotionally challenged ex cop turned private investigator who is reeling from a heartbreakingly painful loss working out of a small office in the st louis neighbourhood called central west end and with the assistance of his best friend s wife he receives little warning of his destiny wittingly chosen for the task doug is hired by the spouse of a successful investment banker the alarmingly sexy blond

suspects the man she married of cheating and asks doug to verify her suspicions his pretty client entices and manipulates doug s vulnerabilities as a second case involving an ex pimp turned nfl running back lures doug back and forth across the country forcing him to dodge and deflect warranted scrutiny from the fbi accepting each case with the best of intentions doug s professional ethics and high moral standards are continuously challenged as he s pulled deeper and deeper into a world of deception lies sex and murder doug s good nature paired with his inability to say no changes his life forever

shortlisted for the penderyn music book prize 2017 in this first installment of acclaimed music writer david toop s interdisciplinary and sweeping overview of free improvisation into the maelstrom music improvisation and the dream of freedom before 1970 introduces the philosophy and practice of improvisation both musical and otherwise within the historical context of the post world war ii era neither strictly chronological or exclusively a history into the maelstrom investigates a wide range of improvisational tendencies from surrealist automatism to stream of consciousness in literature and vocalization from the free music of percy grainger to the free improvising groups emerging out of the early 1960s group ongaku nuova consonanza mev amm the spontaneous music ensemble and from free jazz to the strands of free improvisation that sought to distance itself from jazz in exploring the diverse ways in which spontaneity became a core value in the early twentieth century as well as free improvisation s connection to both 1960s rock the beatles cream pink floyd and the era of post cagean indeterminacy in composition toop provides a definitive and all encompassing exploration of free improvisation up to 1970 ending with the late 1960s international developments of free music from roscoe mitchell in chicago peter brötzmann in berlin and han bennink and misha mengelberg in amsterdam

nineteenth century cincinnati was northern in its geography southern in its economy and politics and western in its commercial aspirations while those identities presented a crossroad of opportunity for native whites and immigrants african americans endured economic repression and a denial of civil rights compounded by extreme and frequent mob violence no other northern city rivaled cincinnati s vicious mob spirit frontiers of freedom follows the black community as it moved from alienation and vulnerability in the 1820s toward collective consciousness and eventually political self respect and self determination as author nikki m taylor points out this was a community that at times supported all black communities armed self defense and separate but independent black schools black cincinnati s strategies to gain equality and citizenship were as dynamic as they were effective when the black community united in armed defense of its homes and property during an 1841 mob attack it demonstrated that it was no longer willing to be exiled from the city as it had been in 1829 frontiers of freedom chronicles alternating moments of triumph and tribulation of pride and pain but more than anything

it chronicles the resilience of the black community in a particularly difficult urban context at a defining moment in american history

in the century after emancipation the long shadow of slavery left african americans well short of the freedom promised to them while sharecropping and debt peonage entrapped black people in the south european colonialism had bred a new slavery that menaced the liberty of even more africans a core group of black freedom movement leaders including ida b wells and w e b du bois followed their nineteenth century predecessors in insisting that the continuation of racial slavery anywhere put black freedom on the line everywhere they even predicted the consequences that ignited the recent nationwide black lives matter movement the rise of a prison industrial complex and the consequent erosion of african americans faith in the criminal justice system the freedom movement s lost legacy black abolitionism since emancipation is the first historical account of the black freedom movement s response to modern slavery in the twentieth century keith p griffler details how the mainstream international antislavery movement became complicit in the enslavement of black and brown people across the world through its sponsorship of racist international antislavery law that gave the new slavery explicit legal sanction black freedom movement activists thinkers and organizers did more than call out this breathtaking betrayal of abolitionist principles they dedicated themselves to the eradication of slavery in whatever forms it assumed on the global stage and developed an expansive vision of human freedom this timely and important work reminds us that the resurgence of today s black freedom movements is a manifestation and continuation of the traditions and efforts of these early black leaders and abolitionists an important chapter in the history of antislavery and the ongoing black freedom struggle

this book contains a fiction trilogy consisting of expatriates of babylon arland and the livewood in a world of colliding cultures the shattered fragments continue to build a landfill of disconnected values and conflicting agendas have you ever wished that you could escape the culture and politics of the world around you have you ever felt helpless to ensure the provision of your own needs dream with me as we follow tales of departure from distant control we will produce societies that cannot be crushed by external politics economics and shortages such societies have the power to not only survive but to turn compassionately to the world they have left behind and offer them a more harmonious and sustainable future increasingly sophisticated technologies and even theoretical physics provide a unifying thread for the technically minded while freedom and hope continue to build throughout the trilogy

the bestselling author of washington s crossing and albion s seed offers a strikingly original history of america s founding principles fischer examines liberty and freedom not

as philosophical or political abstractions but as folkways and popular beliefs deeply embedded in american culture 400 illustrations 250 in full color

there s a glaring vacuum in the 2024 political debate no party or candidate offers a governing vision that deals with the root causes of alienation and failure something basic is missing in our culture americans know it nothing much works as it should simple daily choices seem impossible or fraught with peril in the workplace we walk on eggshells big projects say modernizing infrastructure get stalled in years of review endemic social problems such as homelessness become well more endemic everyday freedom pinpoints the source of powerlessness that is fraying american culture and causing public failure and offers a bold vision of simpler governing frameworks to re empower americans in their daily choices everyday freedom shows us how to break out of the spiral of decreasing trust confidence and capability social psychologist jonathan haidt concludes and re invigorate our institutions our governments and ourselves everyday freedom diagnoses our collective futility as resulting from a deliberate change in governing philosophy the assault on authority after the 1960s aimed at enhancing freedom instead created a plague of powerlessness the teacher in the classroom the principal in a school the nurse in the hospital the official in washington the parent on a field trip the head of a local charity or church all have their hands tied things don t work and americans have lost the freedom to be themselves that s the main reason america is in a downward spiral of alienation and extremism who has a vision to revive hope and action not political leaders who are picking the scab of resentment social media gets rich selling distrust stop the steal defund the police everyday freedom in the tradition of thomas paine s common sense offers a radical vision for change re empower americans in their everyday choices the massive legal structures erected since the 1960s were based on flawed notions that human judgment could be replaced by elaborate dictates area by area these failed structures must be replaced with simpler frameworks activated by human responsibility and accountability nothing will work sensibly until americans are free to draw on their skills intuitions and values when confronting daily challenges this is the only cure to alienation this is also the only way to deliver good government philip howard s understanding of the essential role of human agency has been embraced by some of america s leading economists jurists social psychologists and philosophers

the cost of freedom is not a statement about freedom and culture it is a primal scream the sum of our questions and desires it is the raw expression of our lives it talks about what is ultimately made through the dream of free culture us the many contributions in this book offer a unique snapshot of its dreads and interrogations and a tentative program for the reader to reflect on the future of freedom in our times any sales generated from this goes to support the freebassel campaign freebassel org grounded in the rich history of chicago politics for the freedom of her race tells a wide ranging story about black women s involvement in southern midwestern and national politics examining the oppressive decades between the end of reconstruction in 1877 and the election of franklin delano roosevelt in 1932 a period that is often described as the nadir of black life in america lisa materson shows that as african american women migrated beyond the reach of southern white supremacists they became active voters canvassers suffragists campaigners and lobbyists mobilizing to gain a voice in national party politics and elect representatives who would push for the enforcement of the reconstruction amendments in the south

cradle of freedom puts a human face on the story of the black american struggle for equality in alabama during the 1960s while exceptional leaders such as martin luther king jr rosa parks fred shuttlesworth ralph abernathy john lewis and others rose up from the ranks and carved their places in history the burden of the movement was not carried by them alone it was fueled by the commitment and hard work of thousands of everyday people who decided that the time had come to take a stand cradle of freedom is tied to the chronology of pivotal events occurring in alabama the montgomery bus boycott the freedom rides the letter from the birmingham jail the bombing of the 16th street baptist church bloody sunday and the black power movement in the black belt gaillard artfully interweaves fresh stories of ordinary people with the familiar ones of the civil rights icons we learn about the ministers and lawyers both black and white who aided the movement in distinct ways at key points we meet vernon johns king s predecessor at the dexter avenue baptist church in montgomery who first suggested boycotting the buses and who wrote later it is a heart strangely un christian that cannot thrill with joy when the least of men begin to pull in the direction of the stars we hear from john hulett who tells how terror of lynching forced him down into ditches whenever headlights appeared on a night road we see the edmund pettus bridge beatings from the perspective of marcher joanne bland who was only a child at the time we learn of e d nixon a pullman porter who helped organize the bus boycott and who later choked with emotion when for the first time in his life a white man extended his hand in greeting to him on a public street how these ordinary people rose to the challenges of an unfair system with a will and determination that changed their times forever is a fascinating and extraordinary story that gaillard tells with his hallmark talent cradle of freedom unfolds with the dramatic flow of a novel yet it is based on meticulous research with authority and grace gaillard explains how the southern state deemed the cradle of the confederacy became with great struggle some loss and much hope the cradle of freedom

are our pains and sufferings preordained and fixed by god or are they the consequences of man's actions can the immutable lord ever change his mind in response to our prayers this dilemma of god s sovereignty and man s free will has been a quandary for the church for nearly two thousand years previous solutions calvinism arminianism molinism and open theism have not been successful in deciphering the enigma the problem is now resolved by exposing the fallacies in man s claim that he is given no other choice but to do whatever the lord foreknew and foreordained using the analogy of the dual nature of light the quantum proposal affirms that man has alternative options that were created and foreknown by god within his predetermined boundaries from adam s fall in genesis to paul s ministry in the new testament alternative possibilities have always been offered men are free to choose among the given options and must live with the consequences whether good or evil this groundbreaking work is a must read for all christians who struggle with the dilemma of divine sovereignty and human s responsibility

immanuel kant 1724 1804 is a towering figure of modern western philosophy someone whose thought continues to exert an influence across all areas of the discipline his work is characterized by both breadth and unity he writes powerfully about mind epistemology metaphysics logic mathematics natural science ethics politics aesthetics education and more and across those areas his work is concerned with defending a view of human beings and their place in nature according to which our own reason enables us to discover and uphold the laws of nature and freedomthat is to think for ourselves the oxford handbook of kant provides an up to date account of recent scholarship on kant s philosophy taking in all areas of his writings it will be essential reading for students and researchers who want to think for themselves about the topics he wrote with such insight the individual chapters to this handbook each provide a scholarly analysis and assessment of some aspect of kant s thought and the collection ranges across all the areas to which kant contributed it collectively presents a picture of where the study of kant s philosophy finds itself at this point in the twenty first century

with essays on u s history ranging from the american revolution to the dawn of the twenty first century contested democracy illuminates struggles waged over freedom and citizenship throughout the american past guided by a commitment to democratic citizenship and responsible scholarship the contributors to this volume insist that rigorous engagement with history is essential to a vital democracy particularly amid the current erosion of human rights and civil liberties within the united states and abroad emphasizing the contradictory ways in which freedom has developed within the united states and in the exercise of american power abroad these essays probe challenges to american democracy through conflicts shaped by race slavery gender citizenship political economy immigration law empire and the idea of the nation state in this volume writers demonstrate how opposition to the expansion of democracy has shaped the american tradition as much as movements for social and political change by

foregrounding those who have been marginalized in u s society as well as the powerful these historians and scholars argue for an alternative vision of american freedom that confronts the limitations failings and contradictions of u s power their work provides crucial insight into the role of the united states in this latest age of american empire and the importance of different and oppositional visions of american democracy and freedom at a time of intense disillusionment with u s politics and of increasing awareness of the costs of empire these contributors argue that responsible historical scholarship can challenge the blatant manipulation of discourses on freedom they call for careful and conscientious scholarship not only to illuminate contemporary problems but also to act as a bulwark against mythmaking in the service of cynical political ends

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