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This book presents all the publicly available questions from the PISA surveys. Some of these questions were used in the PISA 2000, 2003 and 2006 surveys and others were used in developing and trying out the assessment.

"Comprehensive, rational and personal. It supplies much of what is missing in traditional approaches to alcoholic rehabilitation. I believe that this book can save lives." Leo Galland, M.D. Open this book and you will embark on a groundbreaking seven-week journey that will change your life. You will learn how to break your addiction to alcohol and end your cravings--and do it under your own power. Here, step-by-step, is a proven, seven-week program developed by Dr. Joan Matthews Larson at the innovative Health Recovery Center in Minneapolis, that subdues your body's addictive chemistry and puts you on the path to full recovery.

Now complete with daily prompts to reflect on each day of a month-long, alcohol-free plan, the author of *This Naked Mind* helps readers challenge their thinking, find clarity, and form new habits. Changing your habits can be hard without the right tools. This is especially true for alcohol because habits are, by definition, subconscious thought processes. Through her methodical research of the latest neuroscience and her own journey, Annie Grace has cracked the code on habit change by addressing the specific ways habits form. This unique and unprecedented method has now helped thousands redefine their relationship to drinking painlessly and without misery. In *The Alcohol Experiment*, Annie offers a judgment-free action plan for anyone who's ever wondered what life without alcohol is like. The rules are simple: Abstain from drinking for 30 days and just see how you feel. Annie arms her readers with the science-backed information to address the cultural and emotional conditioning we experience around alcohol. The result is a mindful approach that puts you back in control and permanently stops cravings. With a chapter and journal prompt devoted to each day of the experiment, Annie presents wisdom, tested strategies, and thought-provoking information to supplement the plan and support your step-by-step success as you learn what feels good for you. It's your body, your mind, and your choice.

"Nothing Good Can Come from This is a book about generative discomfort, surprising sources of beauty, and the odd, often hilarious, business of being human." —Leslie Jamison, author of *The Empathy Exams* and *The Recovering* Kristi Coulter inspired and incensed the internet when she wrote about what happened when she stopped drinking. *Nothing Good Can Come from This* is her debut--a frank, funny, and feminist essay collection by a keen-eyed observer no longer numbed into complacency. When Kristi stopped drinking, she started noticing things. Like when you give up a debilitating habit, it leaves a space, one that can't easily be filled by mocktails or ice cream or sex or crafting. And when you cancel Rosé Season for yourself, you're left with just Summer, and that's when you notice that the women around you are tanked—that alcohol is the oil in the motors that keeps them purring when they could be making other kinds of noise. In her sharp, incisive debut essay collection, Coulter reveals a portrait of a life in transition. By turns hilarious and heartrending, *Nothing Good Can Come from This* introduces a fierce new voice to fans of Sloane Crosley, David Sedaris, and Cheryl Strayed—perfect for anyone who has ever stood in the middle of a so-called perfect life and looked for an escape hatch.

Are you looking for scientific answers for you or your loved one's drinking problem? Have you struggled to take your drinking habit seriously and are ready for a change? Are you ready to break free from the terrible physical, social, and psychological effects of alcohol dependency? If you answered yes to any of these questions, keep reading. We all know how dangerous

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alcohol abuse is, with its potential to destroy every aspect of our lives. Despite that, alcohol dependency is extremely common. In fact, there are more people dependent on alcohol than all illicit drugs combined. Why is that? Naturally, it's easy to ignore the dangers of alcohol abuse when drinking is considered normal. After all, a nightly drink or two after work or spending weekends at a bar with friends seems ordinary and harmless. That is until you notice your quality of life is deteriorating, and you can't seem to put the bottle down. And suddenly, you realize you've lost control. Sound familiar? The good news is, you can improve your drinking habits and prevent or overcome alcohol addiction with the help of science. If you want power over your drinking, you'll find all the information you need to get started right here. In this guide, you'll discover: How this one brain chemical causes alcohol addiction and how to use it for good instead Whether a glass of red wine is actually good for you (the truth may surprise you!) 5 types of alcoholism: find out which group you or a loved one fit into and how to break free How this one simple habit can prevent alcohol addiction (anyone can do this without giving up alcohol completely) ...and much, much more! Alcohol dependency is debilitating and can ruin your entire life. All it takes is that first step. Arm yourself with the truth about alcohol today by clicking "Add to Cart" right now!

Many busy women wonder if they are drinking too much. This 30-day guided alcohol detox helps you examine your drinking habits and shows you how to ensure your drinking isn't getting out of control. *30 New Days Alcohol-Free - For Sober Curious Drinkers* is your guide to finding out where alcohol fits into your life. It is for those sober curious drinkers who wonder if they are drinking too much. If your drinking is worrying you, order your copy today and start your guided detox with confidence. Who is this book for? *30 New Days Alcohol-Free* is for the mother who longs for wine o'clock but worries about her health. It is for the newly divorced woman who wonders if sinking into a bottle of wine at night is keeping her stuck. It is for the woman who wonders if she is being held back by her need for a drink when things get tough. It is for the woman who wants to know where alcohol fits into her life. And it is for those who secretly worry they are drinking too much, but fear they cannot cope without a drink or three. I know how it goes when we decide to make a change; we start, we stop, we change our minds, and so the cycle goes. *30 New Days Alcohol-Free for Sober Curious Drinkers* is here to help you reach the goal of being alcohol-free for a month. This book will not make you feel bad, and it will not pile on the guilt if you have a slip-up over the next 30 days. It is about supporting your journey and exploration of not drinking. If you want to stop halfway, take a break from the detox and then restart, you can. A few twists in the road are normal when you are changing your life. *30 New Days Alcohol-Free* will remind you each day that you are stronger than you think, wiser than you believe and more amazing than you can fathom. ? So how does it work? Each day offers new ways of examining your relationship with alcohol. You will be guided and supported through any doubts or cravings towards achieving your goal. Included are daily writing prompts where you explore what makes you want to drink. Learn more about yourself and your relationship with alcohol so you can gain back control. Each day also includes spaces to write, reflect, and record your journey. There is a helpful detox timeline to help you understand what your body is going through during the 30 days, and the resource section contains useful guides for coping with sleeplessness, cravings and slip-ups during the detox. *30 New Days Alcohol-Free for Sober Curious Drinkers* promises to give you the motivation to reach 30-days alcohol-free easily. It provides your daily gentle shove in the right direction towards that goal. Don't delay on something so important. Order your copy today and begin your guided alcohol detox with confidence.

Thousands of people have forever regained control of their drinking through *This Naked Mind*. Now, they're telling their stories. *This Naked Life* offers forty-eight raw and real stories of people who have found freedom from alcohol. In these pages, discover how Bryan went from hopeless certainty that drinking would eventually kill him to absolute peace over the course of

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a single day. See how reading one book gave Jennifer total freedom after twenty years of binge drinking. Witness Becca thrive in ways she had never thought possible, all because she learned it was okay to question her relationship with alcohol before she hit rock bottom. Find out how Kari broke a family legacy of deadly alcohol abuse that stretched back generations. Alternately poignant and humorous, *This Naked Life* will surprise, challenge, and inspire you. These stories, written by relatable humans from all walks of life, pull no punches and prove that, no matter where you are in your journey with alcohol, you are not alone. Witness the power of transformed minds today in *This Naked Life*, the collection Annie Grace calls "the most important book I never wrote." "From *This Naked Life* I'm finally able to move forward into the future with confidence and poise, interacting with others on my own terms instead of through the haze of alcohol." -Nancy "It feels good to be alive-truly alive!" -Ryan "Past me-the me who drank-wouldn't recognize present me. But over those intervening years, I was able to design my lifestyle, to purposefully choose who I want to be without alcohol. . . . And in place of alcohol, I found a life I'm in love with that's only getting better. I love who I am today." -Mike J. One of the world's most esteemed and influential psychologists, Roy F. Baumeister, teams with New York Times science writer John Tierney to reveal the secrets of self-control and how to master it. "Deep and provocative analysis of people's battle with temptation and masterful insights into understanding willpower: why we have it, why we don't, and how to build it. A terrific read." —Ravi Dhar, Yale School of Management, Director of Center for Customer Insights Pioneering research psychologist Roy F. Baumeister collaborates with New York Times science writer John Tierney to revolutionize our understanding of the most coveted human virtue: self-control. Drawing on cutting-edge research and the wisdom of real-life experts, *Willpower* shares lessons on how to focus our strength, resist temptation, and redirect our lives. It shows readers how to be realistic when setting goals, monitor their progress, and how to keep faith when they falter. By blending practical wisdom with the best of recent research science, *Willpower* makes it clear that whatever we seek—from happiness to good health to financial security—we won't reach our goals without first learning to harness self-control.

Are you worried you might be drinking too much? Fed up of hangovers, hangxiety and feeling below par? Bored of booze culture at home, at work, as a parent? Do you have a sneaking suspicion that alcohol might be standing between you and your best life? Are you wondering if there's another way? Julia Carson found out, quite unexpectedly, that there really is, when she had her last drink of mummy-juice wine in February 2017 and then embarked on a rollercoaster journey of self-discovery in sobriety. *Sober Positive* is both the story of her journey over the last two years and a detailed road map for anyone else looking for their own way out of the alcohol maze. You may not believe this now, but it is entirely possible to stop drinking and be completely happy. To achieve true freedom from alcohol. To be sober positive. In this book you will learn how to change your mindset about alcohol, how to assemble your own personal sobriety toolbox and how to cope with sober firsts like social events, holidays and Christmas. You will gain insight into why you might be struggling with alcohol and how you can address other compulsive behaviours which may arise in early sobriety. You will develop detailed strategies for self-care and be guided through the deeper work needed to support your physical and mental wellbeing and truly thrive as a non-drinker. You will be helped to navigate changing relationships with partners, children and friends and learn some surprising truths about our best friend booze. So, if you're

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drinking too much and it's making you miserable, why not take a chance on being sober and happy? You might just find your best life along the way. Julia did and this book contains everything she has learned in the past two years that helped her get there.

THE SUNDAY TIMES BESTSELLER 'Not remotely preachy' - The Times 'Jaunty, shrewd and convincing' - Sunday Telegraph 'Admirably honest, light, bubbly and remarkably rarely annoying.' - Alice O'Keeffe, Guardian 'Truthful, modern and real' - Stylist 'Brave, witty and brilliantly written' - Marie Claire Ever sworn off alcohol for a month and found yourself drinking by the 7th? Think there's 'no point' in just one drink? Welcome! There are millions of us. 64% of Brits want to drink less. Catherine Gray was stuck in a hellish whirligig of Drink, Make horrible decisions, Hangover, Repeat. She had her fair share of 'drunk tank' jail cells and topless-in-a-hot-tub misadventures. But this book goes beyond the binges and blackouts to deep-dive into uncharted territory: What happens after you quit drinking? This gripping, heart-breaking and witty book takes us down the rabbit-hole of an alternative reality. A life with zero hangovers, through sober weddings, sex, Christmases and breakups. In *The Unexpected Joy of Being Sober*, Catherine Gray shines a light on society's drink-pushing and talks to top neuroscientists and psychologists about why we drink, delving into the science behind what it does to our brains and bodies. Much more than a tale from the netherworld of addicted drinking, this book is about the escape, and why a sober life can be more intoxicating than you ever imagined. Whether you're a hopelessly devoted drinker, merely sober-curious, or you've already ditched the drink, you will love this book. 'Haunting, admirable and enlightening' - The Pool 'A riveting, raw, yet humorous memoir with actionable advice.' - Annie Grace, author of *This Naked Mind* 'Like listening to your best friend teach you to be sober. Lighthearted but serious, it's packed with ideas, tools, tips and, most importantly, reasons for living a sober life.' - Eric Zimmer, host of podcast *The One You Feed* 'Gray's fizzy writing succeeds in making this potentially boring-as-hell subject both engaging and highly seductive' - The Bookseller 'Her exquisitely crafted thoughts on the joys of being sober are not only deeply honest and pragmatic, but she manages to infuse tons of humor. This is a delightful, informative, and compelling read for all those who are sober or seeking sobriety.' - Sasha Tozzi, *Huffington Post*

Finally someone has gone straight to the real experts: hundreds of men and women who have resolved a drinking problem. The best-selling author Anne M. Fletcher asked them a simple question: how did you do it? The result is the first completely unbiased guide for problem drinkers, one that shatters long-held assumptions about alcohol recovery. Myth: AA is the only way to get sober. Reality: More than half the people Fletcher surveyed recovered without AA. Myth: You can't get sober on your own. Reality: Many people got sober by themselves. Myth: One drink inevitably leads right back to the bottle. Reality: A small number of people find they can have an occasional drink. Myth: There's nothing you can

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do for someone with a drinking problem until he or she is ready. Reality: Family and friends can make a big difference if they know how to help. Weaving together the success stories of ordinary people and the latest scientific research on the subject, Fletcher uncovers a vital truth: no single path to sobriety is right for every individual. There are many ways to get sober - and stay sober. **SOBER FOR GOOD** is for anyone who has ever struggled not to drink, coped with someone who has a drinking problem, or secretly wondered, "Do I drink too much?" It might be that extra glass of wine once the kids have gone to bed, or the habitual tittle after work that you know is too much. You could be an 'all or nothing' drinker, or regularly drink more than you know is healthy for you but just can't seem to cut back. It may seem impossible but there is light at the end of the tunnel. **Drink Less in 7 Days** will get you off the drinking-too-much treadmill once and for all. In this positive and practical handbook, world-leading therapist and clinical hypnotherapist Georgia Foster offers an easily achievable way to reduce your alcohol intake - in just seven days! **Drink Less in 7 Days** contains all the tools you need to change your drinking habits, and the complementary hypnotherapy sessions will reinforce this positive, message leading to a happier, healthier you. Do you want to take a break from alcohol easily and safely? When you stop drinking, it takes up to 10 days for the alcohol to completely leave your system. It's a tricky time. You get cravings and your thinking becomes emotional. Most people struggle in the early days. But now there's a modern, scientific solution. The **10-Day Alcohol Detox Plan** walks you through the detox period painlessly and explains everything you need to carry on to your personal sobriety goal, whether short-term or long-term. Written in an engaging and informative way, the **10-Day Alcohol Detox Plan** is practical and easy to follow. There's no doom and gloom or going to meetings. It just does the job, and is suitable for anyone: If you want to try a sober break from alcohol If you want to stop drinking to help fitness or weight-loss If you need to give up alcohol for health reasons If you've simply had enough and want to quit drinking for good The author is a therapist working in public health who has helped countless drinkers to quit alcohol, and is the author of the bestseller "Alcohol and You: How to Control and Stop Drinking" and "Mindfulness for Alcohol Recovery". Order this book today and find a better way.

Non fiction self-help book. A non traditional approach to problem drinking, aimed at helping the reader explore their relationship with alcohol. Offers suggestions for moving forward and making a change.

'Exquisite' - Fearn Cotton 'A paean to the longer-term pleasures of staying booze-free' - The Guardian 'The kind of book that changes lives, and very possibly saves them' - The Lancet Psychiatry 'A reflective, raw and riveting read. A beautiful book on what it takes to root for yourself' - Emma Gannon, Ctrl Alt Delete 'Stone cold sober.' Sounds horrible, doesn't it? Hard, icy. Brrrrr. No bloody ta. However, as the millions who choose to stay sober now know, the propaganda around drinking and sobriety is wonky. Sober doesn't feel stony, or

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cold. Retired wreckhead Catherine Gray, author of surprise bestseller *The Unexpected Joy of Being Sober*, is now in her eighth sober year and has learnt a damn sight more. This hotly anticipated sequel enlists the help of experts and case studies, turning a curious, playful gaze onto provocative questions. Is alcohol a parenting aid? Why are booze and cocaine such a horse and carriage? Once an addict, always an addict? How do you feel safe - from alcohol, others and yourself - in sobriety? Whether you're a dedicated boozehound, flirting with teetotaling, or already sober, this witty, gritty read may just change how you think about alcohol forever. Praise for *The Unexpected Joy of Being Sober*:

'Fascinating' - Bryony Gordon 'Truthful, modern and real' - Stylist 'Brave, witty and brilliantly written' - Marie Claire 'Gray's tale of going sober is uplifting and inspiring' - Evening Standard 'Not remotely preachy' - Sunday Times 'Jaunty, shrewd and convincing' - Sunday Telegraph 'Admirably honest, light, bubbly and remarkably rarely annoying' - Guardian 'An empathetic, warm and hilarious tale from a hugely likeable human' - The Lancet Psychiatry

Do you ever wonder whether your drinking has become a problem? Maybe you used to have a drink to wind down on a Friday evening, but now you don't stop until you've finished the bottle? Perhaps your weekends are increasingly wasted because you're--well, wasted? Maybe you think that the only way to control alcohol is to give it up forever. What if we told you that you could transform the way you drink? You may be able to enjoy alcohol without it dominating your life. This simple guide gives you the tools to control your alcohol intake for good, by discovering your naked mind. Find out whether you need to quit drinking forever, or whether you can discover a life where it is possible to enjoy alcohol without it controlling you. Our easy guide will help you to understand how addiction works, find out whether you are addicted to alcohol, and adopt a healthier approach to drinking. You will discover: Traditional and cutting-edge ways to overcome alcohol addiction Pharmacological and natural treatments The role of therapists and other professionals How you can help individuals addicted to alcohol How to deal with those at risk of suicide because of alcohol addiction The role of family and friends How to determine whether you have an addiction Mindfulness techniques to deal with pressure situations How to avoid trigger situations If you are addicted, why your addiction may have developed The range of emotions associated with alcohol addiction How to reduce the dominance of alcohol in your life Why drinking is a habit that can be broken Which organizations really help How to avoid relapses The differences and similarities between alcohol addiction and addiction to narcotics How stress and anxiety respond to alcohol Like to find out more? Simply click the Buy Now button to start a new relationship with alcohol--where you're in control!

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A sober hedonist's guide to living a decadent, wild, and soulful life--alcohol-free. In a culture where sipping "rosé all day" is seen as the epitome of relaxation, "grabbing a

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drink" the only way to network; and meeting at a bar the quintessential "first date," many of us are left wondering if drinking alcohol really is the only way to cultivate joy and connection in life. Jardine Libaire and Amanda Eyre Ward wanted to live spontaneous and luxurious lives, to escape the ordinary and enjoy the intoxicating. Their drinking, however, had started to numb them to the present moment instead of unlocking it. Ward was introduced to Libaire when she first got sober. As they became friends, the two women talked about how they yearned to create lives that were Technicolor, beautifully raw, connected, blissed out, and outside the lines . . . but how? In *The Sober Lush*, Libaire and Ward provide a road map for living a lush and sensual life without booze. This book offers ideas and instruction for such nonalcoholic joys as:

- The allure of "the Vanish," in which one disappears early from the party without saying goodbye to a soul, to amble home under the stars
- The art of creating zero-proof cocktails for all seasons
- Having a fantastic first date while completely sober
- A primer on setting up your own backyard beehive, and honey tastings

For anyone curious about lowering their alcohol consumption or quitting drinking altogether, or anyone established in sobriety who wants inspiration, this shimmering and sumptuous book will show you how to keep indulging in life even if you stop indulging in alcohol. *Alice in Wonderland* (also known as *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland*), from 1865, is the peculiar and imaginative tale of a girl who falls down a rabbit-hole into a bizarre world of eccentric and unusual creatures. Lewis Carroll's prominent example of the genre of "literary nonsense" has endured in popularity with its clever way of playing with logic and a narrative structure that has influence generations of fiction writing. Many people have silently asked themselves why can't I drink like everyone else? They wonder why sometimes it feels like alcohol has a pull over them, that they don't understand, and don't like to talk about. They are frustrated that other people can control how much they drink without any problem, when their efforts are often hit or miss. Rachel Hart has spent years trying to answer these questions for herself and untangle this mystery. Deep down, she was afraid that her drinking was always going to be a problem, and grew more and more frustrated of the repercussions. As the years mounted, she worried that not being able to rein herself in meant something was really wrong with her. There is a solution—and it doesn't require anyone to wear a label for the rest of their life or admit to being powerless. In fact, the tools outlined inside will reveal just how much power there is within each and every person struggling with this issue.

Determine if your drinking is a problem, develop strategies for curbing your intake, and measure your progress with this practical, engaging guide to taking care of yourself. Every day, millions of people drink a beer or two while watching a game, shake a cocktail at a party with friends, or enjoy a glass of wine with a good meal. For more than 30 percent of these drinkers, alcohol has begun to have a negative impact on their everyday lives. Yet, only a small number are true alcoholics--people who have completely lost control over their drinking and who need alcohol to function. The great majority are what Dr. Doyle and Dr. Nowinski call "Almost Alcoholics," a growing number of people whose excessive drinking contributes to a variety of problems in their lives. In *Almost Alcoholic*, Dr. Doyle and Dr. Nowinski give the facts and guidance needed to address this often unrecognized and devastating condition. They provide the tools to identify and assess your patterns of alcohol use; evaluate its impact on your

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relationships, work, and personal well-being; develop strategies and goals for changing the amount and frequency of alcohol use; measure the results of applying these strategies; and make informed decisions about your next steps.

90 spirit-free cocktail recipes from leading and lauded mixologists across the country
More than 100 years after Prohibition was enacted, bartenders are actually excited about people not drinking again. From Dry January and alcohol-free bars opening around the country to people interested in abstaining from drinking for better health, the no-proof movement is one of today's fastest-growing lifestyle choices, as consumers become more mindful and re-examine their relationship to alcohol. The no-proof drinker could be anyone, and even traditional bars have taken note with no-alcohol offerings. What do the world's most talented bartenders concoct when they can't use booze? This book answers that question with 90 lush and sophisticated recipes that take the craft to new heights. Veteran reporter Elva Ramirez interviewed the biggest names in cocktails and collected recipes for vibrant no-proof drinks from the world's top bars in Paris, London, and New York. This is the start of a new era in no-proof drinking. Find recipes from renowned bars all over the world, including Death & Co in Denver and NYC, Employees Only, The Aviary NYC, Broken Shaker in LA, Everleaf Drinks in London, Little Red Door in Paris, and many more.

Would life be better without alcohol? It's the nagging question more and more of us are finding harder to ignore, whether we have a "problem" with alcohol or not. After all, we yoga. We green juice. We meditate. We self-care. And yet, come the end of a long work day, the start of a weekend, an awkward social situation, we drink. One glass of wine turns into two turns into a bottle. In the face of how we care for ourselves otherwise, it's hard to avoid how alcohol really makes us feel... terrible. How different would our lives be if we stopped drinking on autopilot? If we stopped drinking altogether? Really different, it turns out. Really better. Frank, funny, and always judgment free, *Sober Curious* is a bold guide to choosing to live hangover-free, from Ruby Warrington, one of the leading voices of the new sobriety movement. Drawing on research, expert interviews, and personal narrative, *Sober Curious* is a radical take down of the myths that keep so many of us drinking. Inspiring, timely, and blame free, *Sober Curious* is both conversation starter and handbook—essential reading that empowers readers to transform their relationship with alcohol, so we can lead our most fulfilling lives.

If you are an avid reader of all *Quit Lit* and looking for a radically different recovery approach, then this fascinating book is for You! ? In our day, the media bears the strongest influence on mass consciousness, convincing people that it mirrors reality when it deliberately shapes public opinion. This extends beyond politics to anything that generates profit for those who influence it through advertising budgets, lobby groups, political, and other means. While effectively managing the alcohol industry's reputational risk by blaming the individual and presenting dependence on a highly addictive substance as a character flaw, the Theory of Moderate Drinking keeps adults drinking and drives children to the trough. It protects the fabulous profits of the industry and reinforces the alcohol mythology. The sayings "all good things are good in moderation" and "all harmful things are harmful from the first drop" speak volumes. This book is divided into two parts: ? The first, *Alcohol and Society*, deals with the macro scale. It provides an overview of the problem, touching on the history and including the role of the state and the alcohol industry, religion, and more. ? The second,

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Understanding Alcoholism, deals with the micro scale. It sheds light on why people drink and how they become addicted. It discusses codependent family relationships and how to correct this dysfunctional dynamic. It also offers insight into some of the deeper psychospiritual issues that lead to addiction. Finally, it provides actionable information on how to break free.

BY THE AUTHOR OF NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER THE AUTHENTICITY PROJECT, THE BRAVE AND FUNNY MEMOIR THAT IS CHANGING LIVES. How one mother gave up drinking and started living. This is Bridget Jones Dries Out. Clare Pooley is a Cambridge graduate and was a Managing Partner at one of the world's biggest advertising agencies, and yet by eighteen months ago she'd become an overweight, depressed, middle-aged mother of three who was drinking more than a bottle of wine a day, and spending her evenings Googling 'Am I an alcoholic?' In a desperate bid to turn her life around, she quit drinking and started a blog. She called it Mummy Was a Secret Drinker. This book is the story of a year in Clare's life. A year that started with her quitting booze having been drinking more than a bottle of wine every day. It sees her starting a hugely successful blog, then getting and beating breast cancer. By the end of the year she is booze free and cancer free, two stone lighter and with a life that is so much richer, healthier and more rewarding than ever before. Sober Diaries is an upbeat, funny and positive look at how to live life to the full. Interwoven within Clare's own very personal and frank story is research and advice, and answers to questions like: How do I know if I'm drinking too much? How will I cope at parties? What do I say to friends and family? How do I cope with cravings? Will I lose weight? What if my partner still drinks? And many more.

The Sober Survival Guide - How to Free Yourself from Alcohol Forever - By Simon Chapple. Foreword by Annie Grace - Author of This Naked Mind - Control Alcohol Are you tired of thinking about drinking? Hands up if you believe any of the following about drinking alcohol to be true: I can't have fun without alcohol. Imagine going to a party without drinking! it makes me feel less anxious or depressed; it helps me sleep; I can't relax without it; it makes me entertaining to be around; it fits the lifestyle of my boozy friends; I like the taste of alcohol; it's cool and sophisticated; I'm not confident enough to talk to new people without it; it helps me deal with all the problems life throws my way; it stops me worrying about how much I'm drinking (ironic, I know). If you find yourself nodding at even one of these statements, then I know how you feel. I was a heavy daily drinker for over twenty years, I too used to believe that I couldn't live without alcohol, and that once I'd had a few drinks I was funny to be around (hilarious in fact). Are you too are tired and fed up with the routine of drinking, and want to make a change and improve your life? Or you may simply be curious about how an alcohol-free life might look for you. Could it be better? Happier? Calmer? More peaceful? Perhaps you're already on the path to changing your relationship with booze and might have read other 'sober books' or taken part in programmes to help you quit. I want you to know you can do the same as me and find complete freedom from alcohol, and that you don't have to wait for years like I did. Also, I want to reassure you that alcohol addiction is never a person's fault, and that there's no need to blame yourself for finding it hard to give up. It honestly isn't as difficult as you might think, and this book will provide the support, tactics and advice you need as you progress on your sober journey. The Sober Survival Guide is unique in that it is split into two parts. The first is

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designed to set you up for success and put you in a place where you can find freedom from alcohol if that's what you want. The first part of the book contains essential information for when you're in the early stages of controlling your drinking. The second part serves as a handbook as you move forward into an alcohol-free life and is where this book comes into its own. As you read it you'll see I've used my own experiences and those of the people I've worked with to help ensure you're ready for the challenges, fears, and questions that will come up in the years after quitting drinking. You'll learn how to handle the work Christmas party without a glass of bubbly in hand, the joys of sober holidays, what to do when you stop drinking but your partner won't, and a whole lot more. With this part you can dip in and out, picking the chapters that address the problems you're facing that day or week. This unique quit alcohol book also shares my own stories and personal accounts that helped me learn (sometimes the hard way), so as well as providing vital tools and tactics it will also leave you with a smile on your face and provide you with a fun and enjoyable read. Part memoir, part sober guide and 100% alcohol free - *The Sober Survival Guide* is perfect for anyone looking to free themselves from the grip of alcohol. Simon Chapple is the founder of Be Sober one of the largest online 'quit drinking' communities, he is also a speaker and works as a Certified Alcohol Coach working with This Naked Mind helping people change their relationship with alcohol. He has helped thousands of people quit drinking and has made it his life mission to spread the word about the benefits an alcohol-free life brings. Join Simon and the alcohol freedom revolution on Instagram @besoberandquit or visit www.besober.co.uk to discover more.

This Naked Mind has ignited a movement across the country, helping thousands of people forever change their relationship with alcohol. Many people question whether drinking has become too big a part of their lives, and worry that it may even be affecting their health. But, they resist change because they fear losing the pleasure and stress-relief associated with alcohol, and assume giving it up will involve deprivation and misery. This Naked Mind offers a new, positive solution. Here, Annie Grace clearly presents the psychological and neurological components of alcohol use based on the latest science, and reveals the cultural, social, and industry factors that support alcohol dependence in all of us. Packed with surprising insight into the reasons we drink, this book will open your eyes to the startling role of alcohol in our culture, and how the stigma of alcoholism and recovery keeps people from getting the help they need. With Annie's own extraordinary and candid personal story at its heart, this book is a must-read for anyone who drinks. This Naked Mind will give you freedom from alcohol. It removes the psychological dependence so that you will not crave alcohol, allowing you to easily drink less (or stop drinking). With clarity, humor, and a unique blend of science and storytelling, This Naked Mind will open the door to the life you have been waiting for. "You have given me my live back." —Katy F., Albuquerque, New Mexico "This is an inspiring and groundbreaking must-read. I am forever inspired and changed." —Kate S., Los Angeles, California "The most selfless and amazing book that I have ever read." —Bernie M., Dublin, Ireland

When I wrote the book 'Alcohol Lied To Me, ' I had no idea the impact it would make to problem drinkers around the world. I certainly had no idea it would end up helping hundreds of thousands of people out of the miserable loop of alcoholism. I only wanted to document how I had finally dealt with my problem without any of the usual pain and

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struggle. Alcohol Lied To Me is how I escaped the trap of functional alcoholism without any of those embarrassing group meetings, no dangerous medication, expensive rehab, or ineffective willpower. It has been a savior to so many successful, loving, caring, and amazing people whose only flaw is being in a loop with their drinking. It offers a compelling alternative solution to the twelve steps. 1.No need to label yourself an alcoholic 2.No religion or giving your problem to a higher power 3.A logical and intelligent approach to problem drinking 4.It's proven effective 5.The only Trustpilot 5-star rated quit drinking program This book features all the best advice of 'Alcohol Lied To Me,' and the secrets I share with attendees of Quit Drinking Bootcamp. Plus all the great sober living tips I have picked up over a decade of helping problem drinkers around the world. The truth is, this social pleasantries is a drug and a dangerous one at that. Alcohol kills millions of people every year, and yet we are repeatedly made to feel that if you refuse to join in with the consumption of attractively packaged poison, it's you who has a problem. In the western world, we live in a bubble of unreality around this drug. When you write down the nonsense, we believe about this drug; it looks quite insane. -We toast our 'good health' with a liquid proven to cause seven significant forms of cancer. -We drink when we feel down, even though alcohol is a depressant. -Alcohol is used to help us with insomnia, even though we know it disturbs sleep. -Drinkers are suspicious of the people who choose not to drink the poison, not the other way around. We have got ourselves into a bizarre situation where we are looking at black and insisting it is white. It's the unpicking of this universal distortion that explains why this approach has been so useful for so many problem drinkers around the world. Reading this book is a bit like going to see Penn and Teller, the famous illusionists. First they wow you with a spectacular illusion and you can see no other explanation than to call it magic. However, then they come back on the stage and show you how the trick was performed. From this point on, you will never be able to be fooled by that illusion again. It doesn't matter how long you live; you will never be able to label that routine as 'magic' again. Even if you reach the ripe old age of 100-years-old, that piece of theatre will fail to fool you again. In this book I show you how the alcohol trick is being performed. I show you why you believe that drinking helps you relax and cope with life. I reveal why you think that alcohol enables you to be more sociable and confident in public. I shine the spotlight of truth on all the nonsense and illusion of this drug. I proudly reveal myself to be the man who forever spoils alcohol for you, for good! While it is true that you can go through this book, complete my online course, or come to Bootcamp and still go back to drinking after. However, it will not be the same. You will never be able to drink using the old excuses and justification you previously employed to explain your actions. This is the book that changes your view of alcohol, forever! www.StopDrinkingExpert.com

Alcohol and Guilt-Free Strategies You'll Love for Happier Hours & a Joy-Filled Life Are you struggling with alcohol dependence or addiction? Would you love to cut back or quit but have no idea what to do or how to begin? Or do you yearn for a fresh start? First things first: start from your heart. Cassandra Gaisford, a health counselor, holistic therapist and the #1 bestselling author of Stress Less, Sexy Sobriety, Mid-Life Career Rescue and Find Your Passion and Purpose, (BCA, Dip Psych) provides the ultimate sobriety solution. This guided book leaves you free to create your own bespoke journal tailored to support your needs. Includes, Journal Writing Prompts, Empowering and

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Inspirational Quotes and Recovery Exercises that can be of use in your daily journal writing, working with your sponsor or use in a recovery group. The passion and purpose-inspired Sobriety Journal is the perfect place to begin your love affair. Think Brand You! Creating successful change and committing to sobriety is impossible without passion, enthusiasm, zest, inspiration and the deep satisfaction that comes from putting your energy into something healthier that still delivers you some kind of buzz. Very often, an important step is to swap a negative addiction with a new obsession and in this regard, nothing beats following your passion. Passion is a source of energy from the soul, and when you combine it with doing something that benefits yourself and others, that's where you'll find your magic. Love is the way forward. Meeting peoples' needs, hopes, dreams, and desires; or offering something which helps them solve problems for which they'd love a cure, is good for your soul and will speed your recovery. Cut back or quit drinking entirely without becoming a hermit, being ostracized, or cutting back on an enjoyable social life-all from the comfort of your home. The passion and purpose-inspired Sobriety Journal brims with a range of creative, practical and wonderfully refreshing and healthy strategies to help you stop drinking or reduce alcohol. Not everyone wants or needs to join a support group to adopt a more mindful approach to controlling their alcohol consumption or to deal with their drinking problems. Gaisford provides readers with a carefully curated, inspirational alcohol-free alternatives.

"Anyone who needs to be kept on track or inspired to commit to living sober will find genuine help in this refreshingly insightful and solution-focused book." The passion and purpose-inspired Sobriety Journal grew out of Cassandra Gaisford's decades-long work in self-esteem, well-being and success coaching. This book guides you through a variety of different booze-free alternatives that will make your soul sing and send your dopamine levels soaring. Over time, The Sobriety Journal enables you to more easily make positive choices again and again. The Sobriety Journal is a companion guide to *Sexy Sobriety* and *Your Beautiful Mind: Control Alcohol, Discover Freedom, Find Happiness and Change Your Life*-integrating neuroscience, cognitive therapy, proven tools, and teachings to help people suffering from alcohol dependence and addiction. The Sobriety Journal easy strategies for happier hours & a joy-filled life will help you achieve your goals-whether that's getting sober or just cutting back-and create positive, permanent transformational change in your life. Stop drinking now. Kick the drink easily. Swap a negative addiction for a positive, life-enhancing, passion and purpose-driven obsession one. Order your copy today! Bonus: Alcohol-Free Drink Recipes You'll Love! Living Sober is an extremely informative book which does not offer a plan for getting sober but does offer us sound advice about how to stay sober. Living Sober is an extremely informative book which does not offer a plan for getting sober but does offer us sound advice about how to stay sober. Basic, essential information from Alcoholics Anonymous. As the book states, "Anyone can get sober. . .the trick is to live sober." There is no such thing as an alcoholic and there is no such disease as alcoholism! (as society understands it). Whether you agree with this statement or not, one thing is for sure, you will never see alcohol in the same light ever again after reading this book. Jason Vale takes an honest and hard hitting look at people's conceptions of our most widely consumed drug. Jason's major argument is there is no such thing as an 'alcoholic' and that we are conditioned to accept alcohol as a 'normal' substance in today's society despite the fact that it is the major cause of many of today's social

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problems and a wide range of health issues. This book is much more than a simple eye opener, it will: change the way you see alcohol forever; show you how to stop drinking; help you enjoy the process and enjoy your life so much more than you do now without having to drink alcohol. So open your mind and take a journey with Jason to explore the myths about the most used and accepted drug addiction in the world!

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • The founder of the first female-focused recovery program offers a groundbreaking look at alcohol and a radical new path to sobriety.

"You don't know how much you need this book, or maybe you do. Either way, it will save your life."—Melissa Hartwig Urban, Whole30 co-founder and CEO We live in a world obsessed with drinking. We drink at baby showers and work events, brunch and book club, graduations and funerals. Yet no one ever questions alcohol's ubiquity—in fact, the only thing ever questioned is why someone doesn't drink. It is a qualifier for belonging and if you don't imbibe, you are considered an anomaly. As a society, we are obsessed with health and wellness, yet we uphold alcohol as some kind of magic elixir, though it is anything but. When Holly Whitaker decided to seek help after one too many benders, she embarked on a journey that led not only to her own sobriety, but revealed the insidious role alcohol plays in our society and in the lives of women in particular. What's more, she could not ignore the ways that alcohol companies were targeting women, just as the tobacco industry had successfully done generations before. Fueled by her own emerging feminism, she also realized that the predominant systems of recovery are archaic, patriarchal, and ineffective for the unique needs of women and other historically oppressed people—who don't need to lose their egos and surrender to a male concept of God, as the tenets of Alcoholics Anonymous state, but who need to cultivate a deeper understanding of their own identities and take control of their lives. When Holly found an alternate way out of her own addiction, she felt a calling to create a sober community with resources for anyone questioning their relationship with drinking, so that they might find their way as well. Her resultant feminine-centric recovery program focuses on getting at the root causes that lead people to overindulge and provides the tools necessary to break the cycle of addiction, showing us what is possible when we remove alcohol and destroy our belief system around it. Written in a relatable voice that is honest and witty, *Quit Like a Woman* is at once a groundbreaking look at drinking culture and a road map to cutting out alcohol in order to live our best lives without the crutch of intoxication. You will never look at drinking the same way again.

Alcohol is a killer--1 of every 13 deaths in the United States is alcohol-related. In addition, 5 percent of the population consumes 50 percent of the alcohol. The authors take a close look at the problem in a "classy little study," as *The Washington Post* called this book. *The Library Journal* states, ". . . [T]his is one book that addresses solutions. . . . And it's enjoyably readable. . . . This is an excellent review for anyone in the alcoholism prevention business, and good background reading for the interested layperson." *The Washington Post* agrees: the book ". . . likely will wind up on the bookshelves of counselors, politicians, judges, medical professionals, and law enforcement officials throughout the country."

Do you want to stop drinking alcohol? Are you sick of waking up with yet another hangover? Do you fear your children growing up and following in your footsteps? If you want to quit drinking for good, but don't know where to start, this book is for you! In this book you will discover: How to overcome your fears about quitting and build your confidence Why most people think you are 'abnormal' when you quit? What are your risks in quitting drinking? Can

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you die from quitting alcohol? Are you an alcoholic? What side-effects and symptoms should you expect? Is recovery for the rest of your life? How can you help your recovery? How to break any habit in your life The four mindsets of quitting drinking What separates Kevin from other teachers in the field of quitting alcohol is his ability to break down complex ideas into a no-nonsense, straight talking, and down to earth approach. His up front coaching style is developed around breaking down your alcohol perceptions, rethinking your relationship with alcohol, and its use within our society

Voted an Independent best self-care book for 2021 *Voted one of Heat's best self-help books to help you reach your full potential* Have you ever woken up feeling anxious after a night of drinking? Do you cringe with embarrassment when reminded of your wild antics at girls' night? Are blackouts increasingly becoming a problem? Whichever way you look at it, it's hard to avoid how alcohol really makes some of us feel: terrible. Whether you're simply sober-curious or determined to make a more permanent change, this book shows not only why you should but also how you can, in a way that will change your life forever. Offering tips and advice on how to stay sober in a world that revolves around drinking, this handbook will empower you to transform your relationship with alcohol so you can lead your most fulfilling life. It's time to join the Sober Girl Society: 'I LOVE this book already, just received today and I can't put it down!' 'I recommend this to anyone; whether they want to stop drinking permanently, or even would just like to cut down on their drinking.' 'I love how relatable and non-preachy this book is.'

'Approaches what can be a tricky and confusing subject for many with humour and wit.' 'Perfect for those reconsidering their relationship with alcohol. Brilliant book.'

In this honest discussion of mental health, the founder of Therapy for Women explores our reasons for drinking alcohol—and the benefits of taking a break. When “retired party girl” and popular therapist Amanda White admitted she was an alcoholic, it wasn't because she'd done something outrageous while under the influence, like land herself in jail or get married in Vegas. It was because she realized three things: 1. Alcohol was making her life worse. 2. Moderation wasn't helping. 3. She could not be a therapist if she continued to use alcohol to numb her life. Something needed to change—not just her relationship with alcohol, but her relationship with herself. Choosing not to drink can be daunting. It's everywhere in our culture, our socializing, and our destressing. And it can seem black or white: you drink, or you don't (and if you don't, people ask why). That's where Not Drinking Tonight comes in. Judgement-free and relatable, Amanda helps you unpack your relationship with alcohol by showing you how to: Find out why you drink. Whether it's a glass of wine after work or a weekly bar crawl, your drinking habits can be the result of everything from biology to trauma. Heal your relationship with alcohol. Understand how your relationships have been affecting your life, and learn how to set boundaries and create true self care. Build the sober life you love. Learn what comes next—how to maintain your social life, navigate sex and relationships, and love yourself. Not Drinking Tonight isn't a program to stop drinking. It's the first book to help you address the root issues that cause you to reach for a drink, and create a life you love—one that is not perfect, but is messy and real and one you are fully present for.

Wine is a normal part of life, isn't it? It is usual for thirty-somethings to collapse in the evening with a glass or two of something sophisticated to diffuse the stress of the day and calm their buzzing brains, whether they be professionals, mothers, wives or homemakers. Rachel was no different. She juggled her many roles and responsibilities well and rewarded herself with wine at the end of each day; after all, she deserved it. But, gradually her wine intake began to increase each night and soon it had gone from being a little treat to an absolute necessity. As wine invaded more and more areas of her life, it became harder to cope. In turn it meant she drank more wine, firmly believing it was the cure, never considering for a moment that it could be the problem. Eventually, when wine was dictating everything she did and did not do, Rachel realised her life was unmanageable and that something had to change. However, as soon as

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she attempted to restrict or moderate her drinking, she seemed to want it even more. Her best intentions fell quickly by the way side after the first bottle was opened and the first drink took control, compelling her to have more. Drinking would continue until there was none left or Rachel 'fell asleep'. The following day consisted of a hangover, depression, overeating, remorse, worry, despair and self-hatred, until the time came around when the next bottle could be opened and these awful feelings could be blotted out. This pattern of trying and failing to control her wine drinking brought Rachel to acknowledge that it was not possible to do so, and she decided that she had to remove alcohol from her life forever. Despite being sick and tired of the drinking-hangover-drinking cycle of failure, giving up was not easy and it was only after a few more failed attempts that Rachel managed to do so. This book details her life in that first year of going alcohol-free. It describes in detail how her everyday pursuits became challenging and changing. Her outlook on the whole point of life turned on its axis when alcohol was removed, leaving her with a whole different sense of self and being. The changes that occurred were astounding and beyond anything she believed could be possible. She thought that removing alcohol from her life was all about giving up; she had never considered what she might gain. I am Rachel. This is my story.

With an easy three-step plan, *Mindful Drinking: How To Break Up With Alcohol* is here to help the 64% of Brits who want to drink less, and cultivate a new, healthy and more mindful relationship with alcohol. You CAN drink less, without giving up! Journalist Rosamund Dean combines scientific expertise with practical advice in a game-changing three step guide: *The Problem, The Incentive, and The Plan*. By following this guide you will be able to experience the benefits of drinking less - drinking less will improve your mood, your skin, your sex-drive and your body as well as reduce stress and anxiety. Whether you are sober-curious, or just want to cut down - *Mindful Drinking: How To Break Up With Alcohol* shows not only why you should, but also how you can, in a way that will change your life forever. What readers have been saying about *Mindful Drinking: How to Break Up With Alcohol*: 'Brilliant book; realistic and creating real positive change' 'Would highly recommend for anyone who is concerned about the amount they drink, but doesn't want to completely stop.' 'A brilliantly straightforward and realistic approach to cutting down sensibly.' 'Really broke a cycle for me of just drinking every weekend.'

How I Quit Drinking (and how you can too) is a practical, helpful (and sometimes humorous) guide from an award winner blogger, who ploughed her own sober path and made it through!
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