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When boys played a  
man's game and  
football was hell  
The return of a  
classic book about  
games and play that

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illuminates the relationship between the well-played game and the well-lived life. In *The Well-Played Game*, games guru Bernard De Koven explores the interaction of play and games, offering players—as well as game designers,

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educators, and  
scholars—a guide to  
how games work. De  
Koven's classic  
treatise on how  
human beings play  
together, first  
published in 1978,  
investigates many  
issues newly  
resonant in the era of  
video and computer  
games, including

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social gameplay and player modification. The digital game industry, now moving beyond its emphasis on graphic techniques to focus on player interaction, has much to learn from The Well-Played Game. De Koven explains that when players

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congratulate each other on a “well-played” game, they are expressing a unique and profound synthesis that combines the concepts of play (with its associations of playfulness and fun) and game (with its associations of rule-following). This,

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he tells us, yields a larger concept: the experience and expression of excellence. De Koven—affectionately and appreciatively hailed by Eric Zimmerman as “our shaman of play”—explores the experience of a well-played game, how

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we share it, and how we can experience it again; issues of cheating, fairness, keeping score, changing old games (why not change the rules in pursuit of new ways to play?), and making up new games; playing for keeps; and winning. His book belongs on

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the bookshelves of  
players who want to  
find a game in which  
they can play well,  
who are looking for  
others with whom  
they can play well,  
and who have  
discovered the  
relationship between  
the well-played  
game and the well-  
lived life.



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For readers of The  
Girl on The Train by  
Paula Hawkins and  
After Anna by Alex  
Lake. Little Boy Blue,  
where did you go?  
Who led you away?  
Only I know . . . .

Two-year-old  
Tommy Basko goes  
missing from a  
popular inner-city  
playground. Six

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months later, his  
parents begin  
receiving cryptic  
messages in rhyme  
about Tommy. The  
police don't believe  
the messages are  
from the abductor,  
but Tommy's mother  
Phoebe is certain  
they're a game  
meant for her.  
Against the advice of

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the police, Phoebe decides to play the game. She begins a frantic search for the writer of the rhymes, at the cost of causing her marriage to shatter. When the shocking identity of the message-writer is discovered, Phoebe's desperate race for the truth has

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only just begun. Who  
took Tommy? And  
why?

Baseball players  
from the 1947-1964  
era share their  
firsthand oral  
histories,  
remembrances,  
opinions, and gripes,  
from pitching no-  
hitters to alcoholism,  
groupies, race

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problems, and fights  
on and off the field  
On Games,  
Intelligence, and  
Artificial Intelligence  
What Game Are You  
Playing?  
How You Played the  
Game  
Baseball, Latinos,  
and the Color Line  
Roblox Top Role-  
Playing Games

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Making School a  
Game Worth Playing  
History and  
Nostalgia in Video  
Games

From security  
training  
simulations to war  
games to role-  
playing games, to  
sports games to  
gambling, playing

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video games has become a social phenomena, and the increasing number of players that cross gender, culture, and age is on a dramatic upward trajectory. Playing Video Games: Motives, Responses, and

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Consequences  
integrates  
communication,  
psychology, and  
technology to  
examine the  
psychological and  
mediated aspects  
of playing video  
games. It is the  
first volume to  
delve deeply into



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these aspects of computer game play. It fits squarely into the media psychology arm of entertainment studies, the next big wave in media studies. The book targets one of the most popular and

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pervasive media in modern times, and it will serve to define the area of study and provide a theoretical spine for future research. This unique and timely volume will appeal to scholars, researchers, and graduate students

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in media studies  
and mass  
communication,  
psychology, and  
marketing.

Argues that each  
of the nine  
positions produces  
its own type of  
person

This little book has  
inspired thousands

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of people around  
the world to find a  
sense of purpose  
and belonging.  
Shinn's distinct  
philosophy and  
practical approach  
included  
enlightening  
affirmations,  
timeless  
anecdotes, and

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action-based  
advice that are still  
relevant for the  
fast-paced world of  
today. According  
to her philosophy,  
Our thoughts,  
deeds, and words  
return to us sooner  
or later with  
astounding  
accuracy. Florence

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Scovel Shinn was a prominent and provocative twentieth-century leader of the New Thought movement, was known for her sage guidance on prosperity, intuition, relationships, and

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fulfillment.

The Culture - a  
human/machine  
symbiotic society -  
has thrown up  
many great Game  
Players, and one  
of the greatest is  
Gurgeh. Jernau  
Morat Gurgeh. The  
Player of Games.  
Master of every

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board, computer  
and strategy.  
Bored with  
success, Gurgeh  
travels to the  
Empire of Azad,  
cruel and  
incredibly wealthy,  
to try their  
fabulous game...a  
game so complex,  
so like life itself,



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that the winner  
becomes emperor.  
Mocked,  
blackmailed,  
almost murdered,  
Gurgeh accepts  
the game, and with  
it the challenge of  
his life - and very  
possibly his death.  
Praise for Iain M.  
Banks: "Poetic,

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humorous,  
baffling, terrifying,  
sexy -- the books  
of Iain M. Banks  
are all these things  
and more" -- NME  
"An exquisitely  
riotous tour de  
force of the  
imagination which  
writes its own rules  
simply for the

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pleasure of  
breaking them." --

Time Out

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Solution for When

You Have Too

Much to Do (and

More Life to Live)

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The Game They  
Played  
Games People  
Played

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*Music in the  
Role-Playing  
Game: Heroes &  
Harmonies  
offers the  
first scholarly  
approach*

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*focusing on  
music in the  
broad class of  
video games  
known as role-  
playing games,  
or RPGs. Known  
for their  
narrative  
sophistication  
and long  
playtimes, RPGs  
have long been*

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*celebrated by  
players for the  
quality of  
their cinematic  
musical scores,  
which have  
taken on a life  
of their own,  
drawing large  
audiences to  
live orchestral  
performances.  
The chapters in*

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*this volume  
address the  
role of music  
in popular RPGs  
such as Final  
Fantasy and  
World of  
Warcraft,  
delving into  
how music  
interacts with  
the gaming  
environment to*

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*shape players' perceptions and engagement. The contributors apply a range of methodologies to the study of music in this genre, exploring topics such as genre*



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*conventions  
around music,  
differences  
between music  
in Japanese and  
Western role-  
playing games,  
cultural  
representation,  
nostalgia, and  
how music can  
shape deeply  
personal game*

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experiences.

*Music in the  
Role-Playing  
Game expands  
the growing  
field of  
studies of  
music in video  
games,  
detailing the  
considerable  
role that music  
plays in this*

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*modern*

*storytelling*

*medium, and*

*breaking new*

*ground in*

*considering the*

*role of genre.*

*Combining deep*

*analysis with*

*accessible*

*personal*

*accounts of*

*authors'*

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*experiences as  
players, it  
will be of  
interest to  
students and  
scholars of  
music, gaming,  
and media  
studies.*

*It's All a Game  
From the moment  
we are born,  
others'*

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*expectations  
shape our  
behaviors,  
choices, and  
definitions of  
success. We  
build our  
personal and  
professional  
lives around  
those  
expectations  
and at some*

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*point, many of  
us wonder if we  
are on the  
right path. We  
may want to  
make changes,  
but it's  
difficult and  
we don't know  
how to start.  
In What Game  
Are You  
Playing?,*

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*author Robin  
Moriarty, PhD  
shares her view  
on what being  
"successful"  
should look  
like, and those  
views will be a  
surprise to  
many. According  
to Moriarty,  
life is a game,  
and it is up to*

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*each individual  
to determine  
just what kind  
of game they  
want to play.*

*The author  
guides readers  
through a  
process that  
shows them how  
to assess their  
current state  
and outlines*



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*the steps they  
need to take in  
order to  
achieve their  
new game and  
own version of  
success. The  
book enables  
readers to— •  
Gain awareness  
of the way they  
want to live  
their lives •*

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*Reframe success  
on their own  
terms • Map out  
what they will  
need to do to  
get there  
Through a  
series of  
examples and  
exercises  
designed as a  
game, Moriarty  
helps readers*

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*recognize—and  
then step away  
from—the  
expectations of  
others so they  
can define and  
pursue their  
own version of  
success in work  
and in life.  
Through this  
process of  
finding and*

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*designing their  
own games,,  
readers will no  
longer be a  
pawn in someone  
else's.*

*Byron Nelson  
was one of  
golf's greatest  
legends. He was  
one of the  
finest golfers  
ever to pick up*

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*a putter, and  
the man who had  
the most  
magnificent  
year any golfer  
has ever  
had—1945, when  
he won an  
incredible  
eighteen PGA  
tournaments,  
including  
eleven in a*

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*row, and  
finished second  
in seven  
others. How I  
Played the Game  
is the  
beautifully  
told tale, in  
his own words,  
of a man  
determined to  
be the best  
ever: his*

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*hardscrabble  
rural Texas  
upbringing and  
his near-death  
experience with  
typhoid fever;  
his early years  
as a caddie at  
Fort Worth's  
Glen Garden  
Country Club  
(where as a  
15-year-old he*

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*beat another  
young caddie  
named Ben Hogan  
in the Caddie  
Championship);  
the lean years  
as an amateur  
and as a young  
pro during the  
Depression; and  
the golden  
years of the  
1940s, when he*



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*invented the  
modern golf  
swing and  
forged the  
legend of "Lord  
Byron." Even  
after his  
sudden  
retirement (the  
real reason for  
which is  
finally  
revealed here)*

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*his impact on  
the game never  
lessened.*

*Besides his  
many years as  
an insightful  
TV golf  
commentator, he  
was mentor to  
several future  
golf champions,  
Ken Venturi and  
Tom Watson*

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*among them. And he continued to play top-caliber golf with the greats of the game, like Hogan, Jack Nicklaus, and Arnold Palmer, and some who were less than great—President*

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*Eisenhower,  
Bing Crosby,  
Bob Hope, and a  
host of others.  
Laced  
throughout with  
scores of  
priceless  
stories,  
anecdotes,  
opinions, and  
even golf tips,  
and with an in-*

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*depth, event-by-  
event*

*recreation of  
his golden  
year, 1945, How  
I Played the  
Game is golf  
writing and  
remembrance of  
the highest ord  
er—irresistible  
reading for  
every golfer*

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and fan.

*There is a growing recognition in the learning sciences that video games can no longer be seen as impediments to education, but rather, they can be*

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*developed to  
enhance  
learning. In  
this book a  
diverse group  
of contributors  
provide  
perspectives on  
the most  
current  
thinking  
concerning the  
ramifications*

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*of leisure  
video game play  
for academic  
classroom  
learning.*

*Neighborly  
Affection Book  
1*

*Inside Athletic  
Recruiting in  
the Ivy League  
Finite and  
Infinite Games*



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*The Streetsmart  
Guide to  
Graduate School  
Playing*

*America's Game  
The Player of  
Games*

*I Never Played  
the Game*

*Playing The Game  
offers readers the  
first detailed, inside  
look at exactly how*

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*the athletic  
recruiting game is  
played by coaches,  
prospective  
students, parents,  
administrators,  
admission officers,  
and even college  
presidents in the Ivy  
League and its  
Division III  
counterpart, the  
NESCAC. Here is*

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*the inside story on  
why this specialized  
process has caused  
so much*

*controversy on  
campus and off.*

*The USA TODAY  
bestselling*

*beginning to the  
NEIGHBORLY*

*AFFECTION series.*

*She expects dinner  
with neighbors—but*

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*gets sex with a side  
of safewords.*

*Fantasies about her  
sexy neighbors  
spice up Alice's  
nights, even a year  
after she's moved  
in. She can't decide  
whether the men  
are roommates or  
partners, but either  
way, they spark a  
wanton desire in this*

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*mechanical  
engineer that has  
her imagination—and  
vibrator—working  
overtime. Henry,  
director of  
everything around  
him, studies human  
nature and applies  
philosophies to his  
paintings as well as  
his relationships.  
Quirky and polite to*

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*a fault, he follows his own code of honor even when it means denying himself. Charming and playful, Jay craves stability, guidance, and the chance to please others. His antics counterbalance Henry's formal ways and bring*

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*vulnerability and fun  
to the trio's  
adventures. BDSM  
play with the  
enigmatic artist and  
flirtatious joker  
across the hall  
allows Alice to quiet  
the too-logical mind  
that has kept her  
unsatisfied and  
distant with other  
lovers. She must*

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*reconsider her notions of love, submission, and independence if she's to find a permanent place in their bed and hearts.*

*Integrate game-based learning for 21st Century skills success! This straightforward,*



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*easy-to-follow guide  
from experts Schaaf  
and Mohan helps  
you leverage  
technology students  
love best – digital  
video games. With  
step-by-step  
strategies, you'll  
easily find, evaluate,  
and integrate  
gaming into your  
existing lesson*

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*plans or completely  
redesign your  
classroom.*

*Teachers learn to  
use well-designed  
game elements to:  
Promote meaningful  
student buy-in  
Create student-  
centered,  
collaborative  
learning spaces  
Teach and assess*

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21st Century

*Fluencies aligned to  
Common Core State  
Standards Address  
multiple  
intelligences using  
research-based  
strategies Includes  
a detailed  
implementation  
outline. Create  
engaged, adventure-  
filled learning with*

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*this resourceful  
guide!*

*How the early  
Dungeons &  
Dragons community  
grappled with the  
nature of role-  
playing games,  
theorizing a new  
game genre. When  
Dungeon & Dragons  
made its debut in  
the mid-1970s,*

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*followed shortly thereafter by other, similar tabletop games, it sparked a renaissance in game design and critical thinking about games. D&D is now popularly considered to be the first role-playing game. But in the original rules, the*

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*term "role-playing" is nowhere to be found; D&D was marketed as a war game. In The Elusive Shift, Jon Peterson describes how players and scholars in the D&D community began to apply the term to D&D and similar games--and by*

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*doing so,  
established a new  
genre of games.*

*We Played the  
Game*

*A Novel*

*Video Games,  
Value and Meaning*

*Fair Play*

*Playing Video  
Games*

*Ben Hogan*

*How Role-Playing*

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*Games Forged  
Their Identity*

From the New  
York Times  
bestselling  
author of Start  
With Why and  
Leaders Eat  
Last, a bold  
framework for  
leadership in  
today's ever-  
changing world.  
How do we win a



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game that has no end? Finite games, like football or chess, have known players, fixed rules and a clear endpoint. The winners and losers are easily identified.

Infinite games,

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games with no  
finish line,  
like business or  
politics, or  
life itself,  
have players who  
come and go. The  
rules of an  
infinite game  
are changeable  
while infinite  
games have no  
defined  
endpoint. There

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are no winners  
or losers—only  
ahead and  
behind. The  
question is, how  
do we play to  
succeed in the  
game we're in?  
In this  
revelatory new  
book, Simon  
Sinek offers a  
framework for  
leading with an

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infinite  
mindset. On one  
hand, none of us  
can resist the  
fleeting thrills  
of a promotion  
earned or a  
tournament won,  
yet these  
rewards fade  
quickly. In  
pursuit of a  
Just Cause, we  
will commit to a

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vision of a  
future world so  
appealing that  
we will build it  
week after week,  
month after  
month, year  
after year.

Although we do  
not know the  
exact form this  
world will take,  
working toward  
it gives our

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work and our  
life meaning.

Leaders who  
embrace an  
infinite mindset  
build stronger,  
more innovative,  
more inspiring  
organizations.

Ultimately, they  
are the ones who  
lead us into the  
future.

Don't hate the

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player, hate the  
game? Hunter  
Adams is a pro  
football player  
and my brother's  
best friend. He  
also happens to  
be the one  
person in the  
world I  
hate. Desperate  
to keep the  
reason why I was  
kicked out of

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the college I  
was attending a  
secret; I agree  
to be Hunter's  
fake girlfriend  
for his  
brother's  
wedding in the  
Bahamas. There's  
only one  
problem? it  
doesn't really  
feel like  
pretend after



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all. Not with  
the looks Hunter  
is giving me, or  
those searing  
kisses. I'm  
seeing a whole  
different side  
to Hunter, one  
that I might  
actually  
like. One that  
makes me wonder  
if we can be  
real, or if

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we're just  
playing the  
game?

This handbook  
collects, for  
the first time,  
the state of  
research on role-  
playing games  
(RPGs) across  
disciplines,  
cultures, and  
media in a  
single,

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accessible  
volume.

Collaboratively  
authored by more  
than 50 key  
scholars, it  
traces the  
history of RPGs,  
from wargaming  
precursors to  
tabletop RPGs  
like Dungeons &  
Dragons to the  
rise of live

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action role-play  
and contemporary  
computer RPG and  
massively  
multiplayer  
online RPG  
franchises, like  
Fallout and  
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Warcraft.  
Individual  
chapters survey  
the  
perspectives,

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concepts, and findings on RPGs from key disciplines, like performance studies, sociology, psychology, education, economics, game design, literary studies, and more. Other chapters

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integrate  
insights from  
RPG studies  
around broadly  
significant  
topics, like  
transmedia  
worldbuilding,  
immersion,  
transgressive  
play, or  
player-character  
relations. Each  
chapter includes

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definitions of  
key terms and  
recommended  
readings to help  
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talk guide for navigating the hot-button issues that so many families struggle with."--Reese Witherspoon  
Tired, stressed, and in need of more help from your partner? Imagine running your household



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(and life!) in a  
new way... It  
started with the  
Sh\*t I Do List.  
Tired of being  
the "shefault"  
parent  
responsible for  
all aspects of  
her busy  
household, Eve  
Rodsky counted  
up all the  
unpaid,

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invisible work she was doing for her family -- and then sent that list to her husband, asking for things to change. His response was... underwhelming. Rodsky realized that simply identifying the issue of unequal

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labor on the  
home front  
wasn't enough:  
She needed a  
solution to this  
universal  
problem. Her  
sanity,  
identity,  
career, and  
marriage  
depended on it.  
The result is  
Fair Play: a

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time- and anxiety-saving system that offers couples a completely new way to divvy up chores and responsibilities.

Rodsky interviewed more than five hundred men and women from all walks of life to

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figure out what  
the invisible  
work in a family  
actually entails  
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it all done  
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tasks, and a  
series of  
conversation  
starters for you

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and your partner, Fair Play helps you prioritize what's important to your family and who should take the lead on every chore from laundry to homework to dinner.

"Winning" this game means

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rebalancing your  
home life,  
reigniting your  
relationship  
with your  
significant  
other, and  
reclaiming your  
Unicorn Space --  
as in, the time  
to develop the  
skills and  
passions that  
keep you

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interested and  
interesting.

Stop drowning in  
to-dos and lose  
some of that  
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workload that's  
pulling you  
down. Are you  
ready to try

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Heroes &  
Harmonies

The Game of Life  
and How to Play  
It

“There are at least  
two kinds of games,”  
states James Carse  
as he begins this  
extraordinary book.

“One could be called  
finite; the other  
infinite.” Finite games  
are the familiar

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contests of everyday life; they are played in order to be won, which is when they end. But infinite games are more mysterious. Their object is not winning, but ensuring the continuation of play. The rules may change, the boundaries may change, even the

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participants may change—as long as the game is never allowed to come to an end. What are infinite games? How do they affect the ways we play our finite games? What are we doing when we play—finitely or infinitely? And how can infinite games affect the ways in which we live our

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lives? Carse explores these questions with stunning elegance, teasing out of his distinctions a universe of observation and insight, noting where and why and how we play, finitely and infinitely. He surveys our world—from the finite games of the playing field and playing board to the

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infinite games found  
in culture and  
religion—leaving all we  
think we know  
illuminated and  
transformed. Along  
the way, Carse finds  
new ways of  
understanding  
everything from how  
an actress portrays a  
role, to how we  
engage in sex, from  
the nature of evil, to

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the nature of science. Finite games, he shows, may offer wealth and status, power and glory. But infinite games offer something far more subtle and far grander. Carse has written a book rich in insight and aphorism. Already an international literary event, Finite and

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*masked a man ever  
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the miracle of his  
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rare and long lost  
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the year, Annette  
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*champion, the much  
older Marius*

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twenty years, Marius  
has groomed her into  
the international art  
star that she has  
become, not to mention  
saving her from a dark  
and gritty past. She is  
his pride and joy, and  
as her best advisor, it's  
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shook college  
basketball to its core It  
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Unranked heading into  
the 1949–50 season,  
the City College  
basketball team  
delighted their  
hometown of New  
York City and shocked  
the rest of America by*

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*winning both the  
NCAA and NIT  
tournaments. An  
unprecedented feat that  
would never be  
duplicated, City  
College's postseason  
grand slam was made  
all the more  
remarkable by the fact  
that, in an era when  
many premier teams  
were segregated, its*

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*starting lineup  
consisted of 3 Jewish  
and 2 African  
American athletes.  
With Hall of Fame  
coach Nat Holman and  
4 of the starting 5  
returning for the  
1950–51 campaign,  
the stage was set for a  
thrilling title defense.  
Alas, it was not to be.  
City College's season*

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*came to an abrupt end  
when 3 of its star  
players were arrested  
on charges of  
conspiring to fix  
games. The ensuing  
scandal, which would  
engulf 6 other schools  
and lead to the  
indictments of 20  
players and 14 fixers,  
cast New York City  
sports under a dark*



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*when an unheralded  
team of local boys  
united New York City  
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disgrace.*

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Transactional  
Analysis, he  
continued to  
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leading him to  
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of over 30 other  
books and articles,  
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Berne's other  
works include  
Principles of Group  
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personal to the  
cultural, and  
essays in this  
collection address  
video game  
nostalgia as both  
an individual and  
societal  
phenomenon,  
connecting the  
fond memories  
many of us have of  
classic gaming to  
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notions of  
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darker-skinned  
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by players and  
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