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The fourth edition of *Inviting Transformation* continues to offer an innovative approach to presentational speaking at a very reasonable price. The authors introduce readers to invitational rhetoric, teaching speakers to clarify ideas and to work to achieve understanding for all participants in an interaction. A primary goal of presentational speaking is to create an environment in which growth and change can occur for both the audience and the speaker. The text highlights four external conditions affecting transformational environments: safety, openness, freedom, and value (honoring the intrinsic worth of all individuals). To reflect respect for the diversity of the world, Sonja Foss and Karen Foss include options from many speaking traditions and practices to foster creativity. Discussions of all the processes of presenting—selecting a speaking goal, organizing ideas, elaborating on ideas, and delivering the presentation—emphasize inclusive speaking practices. Sample presentations provide clear and contemporary examples of the best invitational speaking practices. The authors recognize readers as competent communicators and encourage them to think about and systematize their approaches to presentational speaking. The exceptionally accessible writing style is an aid to readers in thinking through strategies for meeting their interactional goals.

Readers learn to design and deliver effective presentations for any speaking situation.

A set that provides invaluable information for finding organ pieces as well as an introduction to organs and organ music history.

The Broadway musical came of age in the 1950s, a period in which some of the greatest productions made their debuts. Shows produced on Broadway during this decade include such classics as *Damn Yankees*, *Fiorello!*, *Guys and Dolls*, *The King and I*, *Kismet*, *The Most Happy Fella*, *My Fair Lady*, *The Pajama Game*, *Peter Pan*, *The Sound of Music*, and *West Side Story*. Among the performers who made their marks were Julie Andrews, Bob Fosse, Carol Lawrence, and Gwen Verdon, while other talents who contributed to shows include Leonard Bernstein, Oscar Hammerstein II, Alan Jay Lerner, Frederick Loewe, Cole Porter, Jerome Robbins, Richard Rodgers, and Stephen Sondheim. In *The Complete Book of 1950s Broadway Musicals*, Dan Dietz examines in detail every musical and revue which opened on Broadway during the 1950s. In addition to providing details on every hit and flop that debuted during the decade, this book includes revivals, and one-man and one-woman shows. Each entry contains the following information: Opening and closing dates Plot summary Cast members Number of performances Names of all important personnel including writers, composers, directors, choreographers, producers, and musical directors Musical numbers and the names of performers who introduced the songs Production data, including information about tryouts Source material Critical commentary Tony awards and nominations Details about London and other foreign productions Besides separate entries for each production, the book offers numerous appendices, such as a discography, film and television versions, published scripts, Gilbert and Sullivan operettas, and lists of productions by the New York City Center Light Opera Company, and the New York City Opera Company. A treasure trove of information, *The Complete Book of 1950s Broadway Musicals* provides readers with a complete view of each show. This significant resource will be of use to scholars, historians, and casual fans of one of the greatest decades in musical theatre history.

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Gian Carlo Menotti on Screen

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HIST OF PALEONTOLOGY

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*Too Small to Ignore* will encourage you to turn your good, loving intentions into strategic actions and empower you to help change the world—and the future—forever, one child at a time. The time has come for a major paradigm shift: Children are too important and too intensely loved by God to be left behind or left to chance. Children belong to all of us and we are compelled to intervene on their behalf. We must invest in children all across the world. In *Too Small to Ignore*, Dr. Stafford issues an urgent call for change. His adventures as a boy raised in a West African village provide an often-humorous and always-captivating backdrop to his profound and inspiring challenges. Wess lived the reality of “it takes a village to raise a child” and calls us to “be that loving village for children everywhere.”

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First produced by the George Street Playhouse in New Brunswick, New Jersey, on October 9, 2009.

Sherman, author of many vital contemporary plays, delves into the past to America's Depression years.

The Scabbard and Blade

Too Small to Ignore

A Novel

The Complete Book of 2000s Broadway Musicals

It's All True

Vertebrate Paleozoology

Featuring the words and music of Noel Coward. Devised by Gerald Frow, Alan Strachan and Wendy Toye. Characters: 6 male, 6 female Revue style setting. An immense and imaginative and innovative presentation of Noel Coward's words, music, sketches, which also shows us something of the man himself. Coward's Custard contains not only songs and duets, but also previously unpublished material, snippets of plays and dialogues, material from his autobiographical

In the quiet village of Greenwillow a young man falls in love but is convinced that he is doomed to wander and can never marry.

Peter Irons, acclaimed historian and author of *A People's History of the Supreme Court*, explores one of the Supreme Court's most important decisions and its disappointing legacy. The U.S. Supreme Court sounded the death knell for school segregation with its decision in *Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka*. So goes the conventional wisdom. Weaving together the stories of lawyers and such judges as Thurgood Marshall and Earl Warren, sketches of numerous black children throughout history whose parents joined lawsuits against Jim Crow, courtroom drama scenes, Irons shows how the erosion of the *Brown* decision—especially by the Court's rulings over the past three decades—has led to the “resegregation” of America.

In this collection of interviews conducted by Mark Horowitz of the Library of Congress, musical theatre legend Stephen Sondheim discusses the art of musical composition, the collaborative process of musical theater, and how he thinks about his own work. A postlude features a more recent conversation with Sondheim.

Fade Out, Fade In

The Complete Book of 1970s Broadway Musicals

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Minor Details and Major Decisions

Tyrannosaur Canyon

What Looks Like Crazy On an Ordinary Day

This hugely successful Off Broadway show played for almost three years at New York's Orpheum Theatre, winning an Obie award as the Best of the Season. Billed as "a musical about an old operetta"—*Little Mary Sunshine* gently spoofs such old-time favorites like "Rose Marie" and "Naughty Marietta"—but has a personality all its own. The plot is a little bit of everything: Colorado Rangers led by stalwart Captain Jim; the lovely *Mary Sunshine*, her 'naughty' maid Nancy; a chorus of giggling schoolgirls and the ominous but benevolent Indian chief. Hearts are won and lost and won again, in this delightful, laugh-filled and charming show. -- Publisher's description.

This classic of 1970s feminism is a "consideration of life and love from the point of view of a woman taking her first steps along the rocky road of independence. Today is entertainer Heather Jones' 39th birthday, and to celebrate, she is preparing a new act for her nightclub opening that evening. Her new act is very personal, 'an explanation of where I'm coming from,' she tells her chagrined manager, Joe; she wants to describe what it feels like to be approaching 40 and learning to make her own way. ('Oh, you're not 39,' Joe insists. 'Look at these lines in my face,' she retorts. 'We'll fix it with the lights,' he replies.) Through the songs and sketches that comprise her act--and through the constant interruptions by Joe with his own hilariously revealing, chauvinistic comments and complaints--Heather tells of the trials of becoming her own independent woman, of doing her 'Strong Woman Number,' as she puts it. Poignantly wry, she tells of growing up in the pre-feminist 1950s ('The woman has to go 75% of the way because the man will go only 25%, if that much,' her mother instructed her); of her failed marriage, plagued by a lack of communication and emotional dishonesty; of trying to go it alone, discovering that she has become 'so self-sufficient I'm so easy to leave'--her lover thinks she's the most wonderful woman he has ever known, 'and yet, where is he? Right back there with his wife.' Here is a play that will strike the light of recognition in every reader, a clever, uplifting look at life in the 'age of liberation.'"--Adapted from dust jacket of Doubleday edition.

The recently released Tim Robbins film *Cradle Will Rock* reawakened worldwide audiences to composer Marc Blitzstein's runaway Broadway hit of 1937, and to the exciting times he lived in. Blitzstein went on to write *Regina* (based on Lillian Hellman's "The Little Foxes"), the definitive translation of Kurt Weill and Bertolt Brecht's *Threepenny Opera*, and an enormous amount of other music based squarely in American and Broadway traditions. *Mark the Music* is an engaging biography of this larger-than-life composer that reads like a novel. Practically every page features an illuminating and revealing pen portrait of the most important creative personalities in American culture—Orson Welles, John Houseman, Ernest Hemingway, Paul Robeson, Sean O'Casey, Agnes de Mille, Lotte Lenya, Melvyn Douglas, Shirley Both, Leonard Bernstein, Aaron Copland, Earl Robinson, Rudolf Bing, and many more. A vibrant journey through mid-20th century America comes to life through the eyes and

experience of Marc Blitzstein. The issues that marked Blitzstein's day—censorship, repression, war—are all with us today. This is a story of passion, defiance, glory and tragedy, and ultimately of faith in democratic American values expressed through the arts.

A stunning new archaeological thriller by the New York Times bestselling co-author of *Brimstone* and *Relic*. A moon rock missing for thirty years... Five buckets of blood-soaked sand found in a New Mexico canyon... A scientist with ambition enough to kill... A monk who will redeem the world... A dark agency with a deadly mission... The greatest scientific discovery of all time... What fire bolt from the galactic dark shattered the Earth eons ago, and now hides in that remote cleft in the southwest U.S. known as Tyrannosaur Canyon? *Tyrannosaur Canyon* is a stunning novel from acclaimed bestselling author Douglas Preston, hailed by *Publishers Weekly* as "better than Crichton." At the Publisher's request, this title is being sold without Digital Rights Management Software (DRM) applied.

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A Comprehensive Survey

The Stiles Family in America

Inviting Transformation

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Presentational Speaking for a Changing World, Fourth Edition

For Broadway audiences of the 1980s, the decade was perhaps most notable for the so-called "British invasion." While concept musicals such as *Nine* and Stephen Sondheim's *Sunday in the Park with George* continued to be produced, several London hits came to New York. In addition to shows like *Chess*, *Me and My Girl*, and *Les Miserables*, the decade's most successful composer Andrew Lloyd Webber was also well represented by *Cats*, *The Phantom of the Opera*, *Song & Dance*, and *Starlight Express*. There were also many revivals (such as *Show Boat* and *Gypsy*), surprise hits (*The Pirates of Penzance*), huge hits (*42nd Street*), and notorious flops (*Into the Light*, *Carrie*, and *Annie 2: Miss Hannigan's Revenge*). In *The Complete Book of 1980s Broadway Musicals*, Dan Dietz examines in detail every musical that opened on Broadway during the 1980s. In addition to including every hit and flop that debuted during the decade, this book highlights revivals and personal-appearance revues with such performers as Sid Caesar, Barry Manilow, Jackie Mason, and Shirley MacLaine. Each entry includes the following information: Opening and closing dates Plot summaries Cast members Number of performances Names of all important personnel including writers, composers, directors, choreographers, producers, and musical directors Musical numbers and the names of performers who introduced the songs Production data, including information about tryouts Source material Critical commentary Tony awards and nominations Details about London and other foreign productions Besides separate entries for each production, the book offers numerous appendixes, including a discography, filmography, and published scripts, as well as lists of Gilbert and Sullivan operettas, black-themed shows, and Jewish-themed productions. A treasure trove of information, *The Complete Book of 1980s Broadway Musicals* provides readers with a comprehensive view of each show. This significant resource will be of use to scholars, historians, and casual fans of one of the greatest decades in musical theatre history.

In Douglas Preston's *Blasphemy*, the world's biggest supercollider, locked in an Arizona mountain, was built to reveal the secrets of the very moment of creation: the Big Bang itself. The Torus is the most expensive machine ever created by humankind, run by the world's most powerful supercomputer. It is the brainchild of Nobel Laureate William North Hazelius. Will the Torus divulge the mysteries of the creation of the universe? Or will it, as some predict, suck the earth into a mini black hole? Or is the Torus a Satanic attempt, as a powerful televangelist decries, to challenge God Almighty on the very throne of Heaven? Twelve scientists under the leadership of Hazelius are sent to the remote mountain to turn it on, and what they discover must be hidden from the world at all costs. Wyman Ford, ex-monk and CIA operative, is tapped to wrest their secret, a secret that will either destroy the world...or save it. The countdown begins... At the Publisher's request, this title is being sold without Digital Rights Management Software (DRM) applied.

The 1970s was an exciting decade for musical theatre. Besides shows from legends Stephen Sondheim (*Company*, *Follies*, *A Little Night Music*, and *Sweeney Todd*) and Andrew Lloyd Webber (*Jesus Christ Superstar* and *Evita*), old-fashioned musicals (*Annie*) and major revivals (*No, No, Nanette*) became hits. In addition to underappreciated shows like *Over Here!* and cult musicals such as *The Grass Harp* and *Mack and Mabel*, Broadway audiences were entertained by black musicals on the order of *The Wiz* and *Raisin*. In *The Complete Book of 1970s Broadway Musicals*, Dan Dietz examines in detail every musical that opened on Broadway during the 1970s. In addition to including every hit and flop that debuted during the decade, this book highlights revivals and personal-appearance revues with such performers as Tony Bennett, Lena Horne, Bette Midler, and Gilda Radner. Each entry includes the following information: Opening and closing dates Plot summaries Cast members Number of performances Names of all important personnel including writers, composers, directors, choreographers, producers, and musical directors Musical numbers and the names of performers who introduced the songs Production data, including information about tryouts Source material Critical commentary Tony awards and nominations Details about London and other foreign productions Besides separate entries for each production, the book offers numerous appendixes, including a discography, filmography, and published scripts, as well as lists of Gilbert and Sullivan operettas, black-themed shows, and Jewish-themed productions. A treasure trove of information, *The Complete Book of 1970s Broadway Musicals* provides readers with a comprehensive view of each show. This significant resource will be of use to scholars, historians, and casual fans of one of the greatest decades in musical theatre history.

After a decade of elegant pleasures and luxe living with the Atlanta brothers and sisters with the best clothes and biggest dreams, Ava Johnson has temporarily returned home to Idlewild—her fabulous career and power plans smashed to bits by cold reality. But what she imagines to be the end is, instead, a beginning. Because, in the ten-plus years since Ava left, all the problems of the big city have come to roost in the sleepy North Michigan community whose ordinariness once drove her away; and she cannot turn her back on friends and family who sorely need her in the face of impending trouble and tragedy. Besides which, that one unthinkable, unmistakable thing is now happening to her: Ava Johnson is falling in love. Acclaimed playwright, essayist, New York Times bestselling author, and columnist Pearl Cleage has created a world rich in character, human drama, and deep, compassionate understanding, in a remarkable novel that sizzles with sensuality, hums with gritty truth, and sings and crackles with life-affirming energy.

The Complete Book of 1980s Broadway Musicals

Mark the Music

Opera, Dance, and Choral Works on Film, Television, and Video

The Complete Book of 1960s Broadway Musicals

Little Mary Sunshine

Organ Literature

**A riotous story about an Indiana author who packs up his family and moves 900 miles (by car in a heat wave with four children) to take up residence in Connecticut where he will commute to New York City to work with the team who will transform his book into a musical comedy.**

**From award-winner Jack Cady, a new novel that is part murder-mystery, part classical tragedy, part spiritual journey. Set among the Cherokee of North Carolina in the 1950s, Inagehi is the story of a young woman who inherits a mountain and the mystery of her father's death. With themes as ancient as the existence of God and as modern as post-traumatic stress disorder, Inagehi answers that voice inside us all that asks how "it" all fits together. A work of uncommon power from a master craftsman.**

**In The Complete Book of 1990s Broadway Musicals, Dan Dietz examines in detail every musical that opened on Broadway during the 1990s. In addition to including every hit and flop that debuted during the decade, this book highlights revivals and personal-appearance revues. The 1990s saw major changes in the Broadway musical, most notably: the so-called Disneyfication of shows, with the debuts of long-running hits like Beauty and the Beast and The Lion King.**

**Three Wishes for Jamie is the playful tale of a dreamy young Irishman who is given three wishes in the hills of rural West Ireland and comes to the United States to the state of Georgia to pursue them.**

**Geology of the Chicago Region**

**The Life and Work of Marc Blitzstein**

**The Broken Promise of the Brown Decision**

**Come Back, Come Back, Wherever You are**

**A Musical**

**Basic and Progressive Stages**

*Suitable for SS or SA and organ or piano.*

*A single-volume collection of the complete lyrics of the American songwriter whose achievements include Guys and Dolls and How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying is complemented by historical commentary and dozens of rare photos. 10,000 first printing.*

*What is life? This question gives a new interest to every department of science that relates to life in any form, and the history of life offers a most suggestive field for research. The paleontology took its origin in the mind of the first person who, finding something like a shell or a bone naturally imbedded in gravel or in rock, indulged in speculations upon the nature of this thing which he had dug out-this "fossil"-and upon the causes which had brought it into such a position. In this rudimentary form, a high antiquity may safely be ascribed to paleontology, inasmuch as we know that, five hundred years before the Christian era, the philosophic doctrines of Xenophanes were influenced by his observations upon the fossil remains exposed in the quarries of Syracuse. From this time forth, not only the philosophers, but the poets, the historians, the geographers of antiquity occasionally refer to fossils; and after the revival of learning lively controversies arose respecting their real nature.*

*Includes music.*

*The Complete Lyrics of Frank Loesser*

*Church Music Workshop*

*Jim Crow's Children*

*Genealogies of the Massachusetts Family, Descendants of Robert Stiles of Rowley, Mass. 1659-1891. And the Dover, N. H., Family, Descendants of William Stiles of Dover, N. H. 1702-1891*

*Why the Least of These Matters Most*

*The Complete Book of 1950s Broadway Musicals*

**Born in 1911 (and still working), Gian Carlo Menotti created the first television opera (Amahl and the Night Visitors), made opera successful on Broadway while winning two Pulitzer Prizes (The Consul and The Saint of Bleecker Street), and founded the Spoleto Festivals in Italy and the United States. Menotti has had a magnificent career: 21 of his operas and stage works have been filmed, taped or telecast. Each chapter of this reference work covers one opera or stage work and includes a history of the work, a description of its primary screen adaptation, and a chronological listing of screen and audio versions with cast and credits. Additional chapters are devoted to Menotti's screen biographies and screen collaborators, the Spoleto Festivals, and his unfilemed operas. An annotated bibliography completes the guide.**

**Robert Stiles married Elizabeth Frye, daughter of John Frye and Anna, 4 October 1660 in Rowley, Massachusetts. They had ten children. He died 30 July 1690. Descendants and relatives lived mainly in Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York and New Hampshire.**

**In this book, Dan Dietz examines in detail every musical that opened on Broadway during the 2000s, including Avenue Q, Billy Elliott, The Full Monty,**

**In the Heights, Jersey Boys, Mary Poppins, Next to Normal, The Producers, Rock of Ages, Spamalot, Spring Awakening, The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee, Urinetown, and Xanadu.**

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**Greenwillow**

**Passion According to St John (12.10)**

**Three Wishes for Jamie**

**The Illio**

**The Complete Book of 1990s Broadway Musicals**

**Practical Insight Meditation**