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popular culture is now readily transformed into heritage whose meanings and myths reshape social life and political and economic realities as well as remake tradition the papers in this volume consider what does popular heritage look like to whom does it speak is it active in dissolving class and cultural boundaries or just in reproducing new ones how do societies manage a heritage that is fluid immediate and that straddles extremes of serious conflict and hedonistic frivolity when under what circumstances is the creation and expression of new cultural forms popular culture capable of being transformed into heritage stop looking for the book of mormon in mesoamerica and start looking for mesoamerica in the book of mormon second witness a new six volume series from greg kofford books takes a detailed verse by verse look at the book of mormon it marshals the best of modern scholarship and new insights into a consistent picture of the book of mormon as a historical document taking a faithful but scholarly approach to the text and reading it through the insights of linguistics anthropology and ethnohistory the commentary approaches the text from a variety of perspectives how it was created how it relates to history and culture and what religious insights it provides the commentary accepts the best modern scholarship which focuses on a particular region of mesoamerica as the most plausible location for the book of mormon s setting for the first time that location its peoples cultures and historical trends are used as the backdrop for reading the text the historical background is not presented as proof but rather as an explanatory context the commentary does not forget mormon s purpose in writing it discusses the doctrinal and theological aspects of the text and highlights the way in which mormon created it to meet his goal of convincing the jew and gentile that jesus is the christ the eternal god a lifelong adventurer shares his fascinating story in this memoir of travel life in japan and special assignments from the white house davis hawkins lives a life of adventure and travel approaching each opportunity with the mantra to go see and do he chronicles his life through this lens starting with his southern california upbringing before moving to japan at an impressionable age he experienced a changing america and east asia landscape in the mid twentieth century living abroad these moments impacted his life through his military service and directed him to a successful financial and consulting careers overseas hawkins continued traveling embracing any opportunity to visit different cultures he visited more than eighty countries spanning all seven continents finding human shrunken heads in borneo trekking in the himalayas and the amazon jungle camping in the gobi desert dining at the us state department couriering for the president of the united states receiving a us congressional subpoena surviving a military coup and much more books have their origins in conversations and seek to extend and expand those conversations over time and with different audiences the conversations that have culminated in this book were initially stimulated through a research project at the hastings center on the role of religious voices in the professional fields of bioethical inquiry those professional conversations have continued throughout my academic career as a member of various institutional ethics committees organizational ethics task forces and in local state and national public policy settings the professional context of bioethics conversations can sometimes miss the richness of conversations that occur in the classroom and with various communities including family members friends and religious and civic communities these conversations provide an experiential depth a groundedness in the lives and stories of persons which augments and corrects the professionalized perspectives i have been particularly fortunate and appreciative of opportunities to bridge the academic and professional with the personalized and communal through conversations about the ethical commitments and moral culture cultivated by the church of jesus christ of latter day saints lds or mormon i was invited to develop an overview essay on bioethics in mormonism for the professional reference work encyclopedia of bioethics 3rd ed 2004 and some years later received my first invitation to make a presentation on lds ethics in an academic setting at the university of virginia this book is the outgrowth of these many conversations and seeks to advance my communal bridging my aim in this book is to begin bridging these various intersections between the lds religious community and its moral culture the professional fields of bioethics

and practical decision making this work seeks to be a catalyst for expanding discourse within the interdisciplinary field of mormon studies to include ethics and bioethics ethics has not been a well developed area in mormon studies in contrast to studies in lds history theology or literature to remedy this oversight i present a substantive interpretation of the sources theological background and moral principles of lds ethics the historical narratives and conceptual intertwining i offer of both bioethics and of lds moral culture is intended to complement and expand the realm of mormon studies a further objective is to create opportunities for reciprocal dialogues between the bioethics community and lds scholarship this conversation has yet to occur within academic disciplines professional communities or in public policy deliberations my exposition analysis and critiques will intertwine and contextualize lds moral values and health care practices within the ethical inquiry undertaken in the broader professional scholarship of bioethics my arguments will disclose some points of common ground as well as areas of divergence towards the end of establishing the lds faith tradition as a community of moral discourse for the bioethics field and the healing professions medicine nursing pharmacy etc it informs my claim is that given its emerging cultural prominence lds ethical scholarship should engage in bioethical literacy and bioethics should be lds literate i am also engaged in an effort to initiate more reflective dialogues regarding lds ethics and moral culture among lds scholars lds health care professionals and the interested general lds reader the focus of the book on the interrelationship of religion ethics medicine and health care should present for these various audiences new opportunities for mindful reflection and creative scholarship on the ethical implications of faith commitments the responsibilities of the healing professions and religious dimensions of public policy and public bioethics a religious community that is formed through narratives and practices of covenantal commitments of love of neighbor needs to have a robust discourse about its ethical character i have understood my scholarship in biomedical ethics and in religious ethics through a linking metaphor of my moral culture of medicine and the law of bearing witness the witness offers moral realities moral truths about the way things are vocalizes and embodies moral experience and prophetically critiques the hypocrisies of the powerful and their oppression of the vulnerable by offering a new story a re-storying of tradition and conventional practice from its founding in pioneer times to the present day the church of jesus christ of latter day saints has been both mysterious and misunderstood with some protestant faiths not even recognizing the mormons as christians this fascinating guide debunks the myths of mormonism and reveals its history faith and culture the second edition of tracing your northern irish ancestors is an expert introduction for the family historian to the wealth of material available to researchers in archives throughout northern ireland many records like the early twentieth century census returns and school registers will be familiar to researchers but others are often overlooked by all but the most experienced of genealogists an easy to use informative guide to the comprehensive collections available at the public record office of northern ireland is a key feature of ian maxwells handbook he also takes the reader through the records held in many libraries museums and heritage centres across the province and he provides detailed coverage of records that are available online unlike the rest of the british isles which has very extensive civil and census records irish ancestral research is hampered by the destruction of many of the major collections yet ian maxwell shows how family historians can make good use of church records school registers and land and valuation records to trace their roots to the beginning of the nineteenth century and beyond this book presents the stories of the first six generations of the richardson branch of the author s family in north america the story begins in 1774 when john richardson travels from yorkshire england to what became sackville new brunswick canada settling on land originally homesteaded by politically displaced acadians john and two subsequent generations of christopher s spend their lives farming in sackville in 1883 robert hay john s great grandson moves his family from their farm in sackville to a homestead 3 miles east of custer city south dakota in the heart of the black hills while failing in its goal of

saving robert s wife annie from tuberculosis it brought our family to the american west after his death in 1897 three of robert s sons fred bob and will joined forces to create the richardson brothers ranch in the big muddy valley in what is now sheridan county montana joined by their sister maggie the four homesteaded 1720 acres and formed a ranch over five miles in breath adjacent to the big muddy creek fourteen children were born to the richardson brothers on this ranch these children form part of the great generation and the stories of their lives growing up on the ranch through the great depression surviving world war two and raising families completes this book the last of this sixth generation died in 2011 so these stories cover 237 years of the author s richardson family in north america back cover these is some a them stories what is wrote to be read out loud and some of what is in here just don t make no sense except for if you got a sprig a alfalfa a hanging twixt your teeth a pair a worn down cowboy boots on your feet and the smell of leather or horses somewhere near by excerpts chapter 1 nose none of us ever asked him what he used to be called since it was a pretty sore subject for him to talk about chapter 4 dying for your beliefs the west wasn t nothing but brave men and stalwart women out there a taming the untamed why this wasn t no more based on fact than a buffalo can fly chapter 6 scratching out a living real cowboys were a might bashful and didn t speak up unless they was spoke to chapter 7 cowboys are thinkers the actual thing of it is that a cowboy is one of god s few creatures what spends most of his life just sitting and thinking chapter 10 promises of partners well a cowboy s promise like these partners had made each other to meet again was always meant sincere and for that it was trusted chapter 11 god s pay it s times like these when a cowboy kind of figures god hisself just needs some entertaining chapter 12 hop n and poke n cowboy n is a profession what ain t appreciated for its value unless you been one this is the first fully annotated academic edition of the book of mormon in its 200 year history modelled after the oxford line of annotated bibles it provides readers with the information they need to understand this classic text of american religious history this edition reformats the complete scriptural text in the manner of modern bible translations with paragraphs quotation marks poetic stanzas and section headings all of which clarify the book s complicated narrative structure as a result readers experience a more accessible and readable presentation than the standard version annotations explain the meaning and context of specific passages delineate extended arguments identify rhetorical patterns explore theological implications highlight ancient and modern parallels and point out intertextual connections particularly with the bible the book of mormon is subdivided into internal books in this edition each book is preceded by an introduction that discusses its key themes and literary features at the same time offering a quick overview of major figures events and sermons the three primary narrators nephi mormon and moroni receive special attention in addition to the annotations which focus on the text itself there are twelve general essays that introduce readers to various ongoing conversations about the text there are also several maps and charts as well as a comprehensive list of biblical quotations and allusions the editorial material is informed by contemporary biblical and historical scholarship while it deals forthrightly with both the strengths and weaknesses of the narrative it nevertheless treats the book of mormon as a sacred text worthy of careful study and respect this innovative collection explores the concept of space as it relates to feminist studies utilizing a range of theoretical perspectives a distinguished group of international scholars crosses over the thresholds of difference methodology and representation that challenge feminist geography the encyclopedia of religion and nature originally published in 2005 is a landmark work in the burgeoning field of religion and nature it covers a vast and interdisciplinary range of material from thinkers to religious traditions and beyond with clarity and style widely praised by reviewers and the recipient of two reference work awards since its publication see religionandnature com ern this new more affordable version is a must have book for anyone interested in the manifold and fascinating links between religion and nature in all their many senses the mormon military experience is unique in american history the church of jesus christ of latter day saints lds is the only denomination to

field military units for its own support and purpose rather than national interests an effort which began in missouri in 1838 and lasted through the spanish american war of 1898 from world war i onward however the military exceptionalism of the lds church faded and mormon soldiers came to serve national interests as loyal citizens alongside their fellow americans the mormon military experience 1838 to the cold war is the first book to present a historical overview of the mormon military experience sherman fleek and robert freeman tell this unique story of how the church of jesus christ of latter day saints has experienced war and military service and of their teachings concerning participation in armed conflict the lds church s distinct relationship between religious life and military service is rooted in its adherence to the book of mormon and its unique doctrine based in ancient and then modern revelations from church leaders religious and military exceptionalism went hand in hand during the nineteenth century when lds church leaders dictated when and how members would serve in armed conflict mormon militiamen were often more loyal to church interests and the guidance of lds leaders than they were to government policy from mustering of the mormon battalion during the mexican war to orchestrating the armed effort during the utah war of 1857 1858 to serving as civil war volunteers in the west similarly they followed church leaders teachings not to serve in the civil war s bloody campaigns in the east while lds leaders adapted church practices and policies to support national objectives at times there were also occasions when mormon militia units defied state and federal military forces sometimes to the point of open combat no other american denomination has done this this is a story about changing loyalties as the lds church transformed from a personalist religious movement on the edge of society to a mainstay of american religious and political life mormons have moved from battling the us military to serving with distinction within it this book is a look at the book of mormon from a view of is it true or can it be true the author spent more than 20 years working on this and was constantly revising it in a gracious spirit of seeking the truth this booklet challenges mormons and members of the jehovah s witnesses to study the bible privately this is the new edited version the leaves are falling the halloween carnival is in full swing and someone is robbing the residents of branson falls utah there is no rhyme or reason to the crimes but after an elderly widow is targeted the town is up in arms literally and everyone is pointing fingers straight at the owners of the new tattoo shop inked af branson tribune editor kate saxee isn t sure who is to blame but she s not willing to let an angry mob run the tattoo shop out of town without investigating and she s not the only one with questions that need answers drake and hawke both serious relationship material are very interested in why kate has been avoiding them for weeks kate s love life and the robberies aren t the only things on kate s plate she s also being stalked by a costume wearing gang helping ella with her new online auction hobby failing to avoid the ladies and trying to manage her mom s most recent antics involving an angry goat named humperdinck between all the chaos kate discovers there is more to the robberies than meets the eye and if she doesn t figure it all out fast someone might end up dead af learn how lesbian couples deal with political social and legal issues related to their relationships and their professions lesbian academic couples is a collection of writings by scholars who examine in theory and in narrative issues faced by partners working in the academic field including the politics of spousal hiring discrimination in hiring practices collaboration between partners long distance relationships team teaching and job sharing this unique book presents firsthand accounts from senior faculty with lengthy credentials in lgbt scholarship who have been able to land academic positions not compromised by outing from established academics who have been outed to negative effect from junior scholars with a queer specialty and from faculty whose work is constantly shifting and unpredictable the format of lesbian academic couples is unique authors well known to the lesbian communities in the united states canada and australia present essays that converse with one another offering opposing positions that represent a diversity of approaches on vital issues the book offers candid accounts of the experiences of lesbian couples fortunate enough to work in supportive academic environments and from

those discouraged from being out on campus or from doing academic work in the area of lgbt studies this groundbreaking book is especially timely given current lawsuits and legislation involving civil unions and domestic partner benefits enforcement of domestic violence statutes and the rights of unmarried older couples lesbian academic couples includes the stories of couples who achieved scholarly success and a reaffirmed relationship were separated when they couldn't find viable academic positions in the same geographical area abandoned the security of tenured positions for the sake of their relationship were professionally marginalized because of their same sex mixed race relationship wrote under the pen name michael field in the nineteenth century in addition lesbian academic couples examines the critical issues of state sanctioning through marriage spousal hiring package plans sexual orientation nondiscrimination policies lesbian academic couples have existed as long as there have been female academics this powerful book gives voice to their successes and struggles maxine noe is a precocious child with a vivid imagination and a decided flair for the dramatic they are traits that serve the young vagabond well moving about as she does with her single mother during the 1920s when her mother lands a job in 1930 as a cook in a miners hotel in a small company owned mining camp ten year old maxine finds both the security she craves and the perfect backdrop for more adventure tucked away in utah's castle country so named because of the area's castle like rock formations the little town of kenilworth was given its name by an early immigrant miner who saw in its rugged towering outcrops the old and crumbling castle kenilworth in his native england the town's colorful history magical setting and diverse residents provide a rich environment for a young girl coming of age and color as well the challenges sorrows and triumphs that shape the little town's life this is a true story of hardship tragedy and love the events of maxine's young life portray both the fragility and tenacity of family and the castle hills that shelter her nourish her dreams and steel her character for the challenges she will surely meet beyond their rugged walls you can survive the kitchen wars and live in peace with your family my sisters in law couldn't stand me i was really hurt when my kids weren't mentioned in their grandmother's obituary because they weren't full blooded family my mom is always giving advice always telling me to do such and such when she doesn't do it herself if my husband and i have a fight she takes his side my sister did call me a week later to apologize but proceeded to tell me everything that was wrong with me my husband and my children sound familiar there's nothing new or unusual about conflict between mothers sisters and other female family members but that doesn't make it any less painful or destructive adding to the hurt of relational abuse within the family is the permanent nature of the relationship you can sever relations with an abusive friend but you can't stop being the sister daughter niece of an abusive relative does that mean that there's no way out in forced to be family you'll discover how to determine whether a female family member is being abusive recognize the sources of that abuse and break the vicious cycle that keeps the abuse alive you don't have to choose between accepting abuse and making a scene this insightful reassuring guide gives you the strategies and understanding you need to reestablish warm and loving relationships with the women who will always be closest to you church is supposed to come a safe place isn't it that is what she used to think until she woke up one day and remembered everything these were things she did not want to know her body knew and that is why her ears hurt her ears did not want to hear what her brain was saying this story is based on true events it exposes the dark side of religion and the evil people who do ritual abuse it could happen to you

A Guide to Mormon Family History Sources 2011-01-01

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People Who Came Before Us 2020-12-09

a writer with deep mormon roots explores his family s ancestry going back hundreds of years their story moves from frontier america and the polygamist colonies of 19th century mexico to the witch trials and mayflower landing of colonial new england to the royal courts and castles of medieval europe the author donn walker is a former journalist and reporter for the los angeles times the south florida sun sentinel and the deseret news of salt lake city he earned a master s degree in journalism from columbia university in new york his ancestors were among the first to join the church of jesus christ of latter day saints after it was founded in upstate new york in 1830

The Pioneer Heritage of the Miller/Lewis Family 2012-07-28

this book explores the roots of the miller lewis family from colonial america the formation of the church of jesus christ of latter day saints the expultions and forced migrations of the early mormon saints to the settlement and development of the state of utah we learn who we are by seeing who we were we also learn what great potential we have for we have been blessed with a heritage rich in sacrifice hard work and vision

Complete Genealogy and Chronology of The Book of Mormon 2020-06-02

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The Mormon Presence in Canada 1990

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The Mormon Handcart Migration 2019-04-25

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The Hibbert Family Heritage 1979

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A Family Heritage 1997

in this unique study ethan r yorgason examines the mormon culture region of the american west which in the late nineteenth century was characterized by sexual immorality communalism and anti americanism but is now marked by social conservatism foregrounding the concept of region yorgason traces the conformist conservative trajectory that arose from intense moral and ideological clashes between mormons and non mormons from 1880 to 1920 looking through the lenses of regional geography history and cultural studies yorgason investigates shifting moral orders relating to gender authority economic responsibility and national loyalty community and home life transformation of the mormon culture region charts how mormons and non mormons resolved their cultural contradictions over

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Transformation of the Mormon Culture Region

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The Fritts (Fritz) Family Heritage 1979

offering a glimpse into the lives of upwardly mobile mormon professionals this series of personal essays by author dr robert s jordan describes his odyssey as a third generation mormon of polygamous descent whose family ascended from rural pioneer poverty to upper middle class social and economic success a diasporan mormons life chronicles the life of jordan a child of the mormon diasporans who left the social and cultural isolation of utah for a more secular modern america this memoir describes his struggle to find his personal identity from the tensions created between his religious heritage and his secular upbringing jordans life is remarkably varied he studied at east coast and california high schools state universities such as ucla and the university of utah and institutions such as princeton and oxford he witnessed world war ii the korean war the cold war vietnam and survived hurricane katrina he lived in large urban centers and locations on the global periphery he engaged in academic research and teaching university administration and government service a searching informative and entertaining memoir enhanced with numerous photos this memoir distills and clarifies the experiences of his generation and contributes to the history and sociology of twentieth century mormonism

H.R. 4103, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to transfer certain public lands in Natrona County, Wyoming, to the Corporation of the Presiding Bishop, and for other purposes 2002

john thew married elsie snedecker daughter of teunis snedecker and neeltje polhemus in about 1725 in new york they had five children descendants and relatives lived mainly in new york and ohio

Freedom for the Latter-day Saint Soul 2020-08-18

this volume is based on the recognition that heritage is popular and popular culture is now readily transformed into heritage whose meanings and myths reshape social life and political and economic realities as well as re make tradition the papers in this volume consider what does popular heritage look like to whom does it speak is it active in dissolving class and cultural boundaries or just in reproducing new ones how do societies manage a heritage that is fluid immediate and that straddles extremes of serious conflict and hedonistic frivolity when under what circumstances is the creation and expression of new cultural forms popular culture capable of being transformed into heritage

A Diasporan Mormon's Life 2009-02-05

stop looking for the book of mormon in mesoamerica and start looking for mesoamerica in the book of mormon second witness a new six volume series from greg kofford books takes a detailed verse by verse look at the book of mormon it marshals the best of modern scholarship and new insights into a consistent picture of the book of mormon as a historical document taking a faithful but scholarly approach to the text and reading it through the insights of linguistics anthropology and ethnohistory the commentary approaches the text from a variety of perspectives how it was created how it relates to history and culture and what religious insights it provides the commentary accepts the best modern scholarship which focuses on a particular region of mesoamerica as the most plausible location for the book of mormon s setting for the first time that location its peoples cultures and historical trends are used as the backdrop for reading the text the historical background is not presented as proof but rather as an explanatory context the commentary does not forget mormon s purpose in writing it discusses the doctrinal and theological aspects of the text and highlights the way in which mormon created it to meet his goal of convincing the jew and gentile that jesus is the christ the eternal god

Our Thew Family Heritage 2005

a lifelong adventurer shares his fascinating story in this memoir of travel life in japan and special assignments from the white house davis hawkins lives a life of adventure and travel approaching each opportunity with the mantra to go see and do he chronicles his life through this lens starting with his southern california upbringing before moving to japan at an impressionable age he experienced a changing america and east asia landscape in the mid twentieth century living abroad these moments impacted his life through his military service and directed him to a successful financial and consulting careers overseas hawkins continued traveling embracing any opportunity to visit different cultures he visited more than eighty countries spanning all seven continents finding human shrunken heads in borneo trekking in the himalayas and the amazon jungle camping in the gobi desert dining at the us state department couriering for the president of the united states receiving a us congressional subpoena surviving a military coup and much more

Encounters with Popular Pasts 2015-03-19

books have their origins in conversations and seek to extend and expand those conversations over time and with different audiences the conversations that have culminated in this book were initially stimulated through a research project at the hastings center on the role of religious voices in the professional fields of bioethical inquiry those professional conversations have continued throughout my academic career as a member of various institutional ethics committees organizational ethics task forces and in local state and national public policy settings the professional context of bioethics conversations can sometimes miss the richness of conversations that occur in the classroom and with various communities including family members friends and religious and civic communities these conversations provide an experiential depth a groundedness in the lives and stories of persons which augments and corrects the professionalized perspectives i have been particularly fortunate and appreciative of opportunities to bridge the academic and professional with the personalized and communal through conversations about the ethical commitments and moral culture cultivated by the church of jesus christ of latter day saints lds or mormon i was invited to develop an overview essay on bioethics in mormonism for the professional reference work encyclopedia of bioethics 3rd ed 2004 and some years later received my first invitation to make a presentation on lds ethics in an academic setting at the university of virginia this book is the outgrowth of these many conversations and seeks to advance my communal bridging my aim in this book is to begin bridging these various intersections between the lds religious community and its moral culture

the professional fields of bioethics and practical decision making this work seeks to be a catalyst for expanding discourse within the interdisciplinary field of mormon studies to include ethics and bioethics ethics has not been a well developed area in mormon studies in contrast to studies in lds history theology or literature to remedy this oversight i present a substantive interpretation of the sources theological background and moral principles of lds ethics the historical narratives and conceptual intertwining i offer of both bioethics and of lds moral culture is intended to complement and expand the realm of mormon studies a further objective is to create opportunities for reciprocal dialogues between the bioethics community and lds scholarship this conversation has yet to occur within academic disciplines professional communities or in public policy deliberations my exposition analysis and critiques will intertwine and contextualize lds moral values and health care practices within the ethical inquiry undertaken in the broader professional scholarship of bioethics my arguments will disclose some points of common ground as well as areas of divergence towards the end of establishing the lds faith tradition as a community of moral discourse for the bioethics field and the healing professions medicine nursing pharmacy etc it informs my claim is that given its emerging cultural prominence lds ethical scholarship should engage in bioethical literacy and bioethics should be lds literate i am also engaged in an effort to initiate more reflective dialogues regarding lds ethics and moral culture among lds scholars lds health care professionals and the interested general lds reader the focus of the book on the interrelationship of religion ethics medicine and health care should present for these various audiences new opportunities for mindful reflection and creative scholarship on the ethical implications of faith commitments the responsibilities of the healing professions and religious dimensions of public policy and public bioethics a religious community that is formed through narratives and practices of covenantal commitments of love of neighbor needs to have a robust discourse about its ethical character i have understood my scholarship in biomedical ethics and in religious ethics through a linking metaphor of my moral culture of medicine and the law of bearing witness the witness offers moral realities moral truths about the way things are vocalizes and embodies moral experience and prophetically critiques the hypocrisies of the powerful and their oppression of the vulnerable by offering a new story a re-storying of tradition and conventional practice

Second Witness: Analytical and Contextual Commentary on the Book of Mormon 2007-09-01

from its founding in pioneer times to the present day the church of jesus christ of latter day saints has been both mysterious and misunderstood with some protestant faiths not even recognizing the mormons as christians this fascinating guide debunks the myths of mormonism and reveals its history faith and culture

Go, See, and Do 2019-11-06

the second edition of tracing your northern irish ancestors is an expert introduction for the family historian to the wealth of material available to researchers in archives throughout northern ireland many records like the early twentieth century census returns and school registers will be familiar to researchers but others are often overlooked by all but the most experienced of genealogists an easy to use informative guide to the comprehensive collections available at the public record office of northern ireland is a key feature of ian maxwells handbook he also takes the reader through the records held in many libraries museums and heritage centres across the province and he provides detailed coverage of records that are available online unlike the rest of the british isles which has very extensive civil and census records irish ancestral research is hampered by the destruction of many of the major collections yet ian maxwell shows how family historians can make good use of church records

school registers and land and valuation records to trace their roots to the beginning of the nineteenth century and beyond

Mormonism, Medicine, and Bioethics 2021

this book presents the stories of the first six generations of the richardson branch of the author s family in north america the story begins in 1774 when john richardson travels from yorkshire england to what became sackville new brunswick canada settling on land originally homesteaded by politically displaced acadians john and two subsequent generations of christopher s spend their lives farming in sackville in 1883 robert hay john s great grandson moves his family from their farm in sackville to a homestead 3 miles east of custer city south dakota in the heart of the black hills while failing in its goal of saving robert s wife annie from tuberculosis it brought our family to the american west after his death in 1897 three of robert s sons fred bob and will joined forces to create the richardson brothers ranch in the big muddy valley in what is now sheridan county montana joined by their sister maggie the four homesteaded 1720 acres and formed a ranch over five miles in breath adjacent to the big muddy creek fourteen children were born to the richardson brothers on this ranch these children form part of the great generation and the stories of their lives growing up on the ranch through the great depression surviving world war two and raising families completes this book the last of this sixth generation died in 2011 so these stories cover 237 years of the author s richardson family in north america back cover

Your Guide to Understanding, Searching, and Recording Your Family's Heritage 1991

these is some a them stories what is wrote to be read out loud and some of what is in here just don t make no sense except for if you got a sprig a alfalfa a hanging twixt your teeth a pair a worn down cowboy boots on your feet and the smell of leather or horses somewhere near by excerpts chapter 1 nose none of us ever asked him what he used to be called since it was a pretty sore subject for him to talk about chapter 4 dying for your beliefs the west wasn t nothing but brave men and stalwart women out there a taming the untamed why this wasn t no more based on fact than a buffalo can fly chapter 6 scratching out a living real cowboys were a might bashful and didn t speak up unless they was spoke to chapter 7 cowboys are thinkers the actual thing of it is that a cowboy is one of god s few creatures what spends most of his life just sitting and thinking chapter 10 promises of partners well a cowboy s promise like these partners had made each other to meet again was always meant sincere and for that it was trusted chapter 11 god s pay it s times like these when a cowboy kind of figures god hisself just needs some entertaining chapter 12 hop n and poke n cowboy n is a profession what ain t appreciated for its value unless you been one

The Complete Idiot's Guide to Understanding Mormonism 2003-06-03

this is the first fully annotated academic edition of the book of mormon in its 200 year history modelled after the oxford line of annotated bibles it provides readers with the information they need to understand this classic text of american religious history this edition reformats the complete scriptural text in the manner of modern bible translations with paragraphs quotation marks poetic stanzas and section headings all of which clarify the book s complicated narrative structure as a result readers experience a more accessible and readable presentation than the standard version annotations explain the meaning and context of specific passages delineate extended arguments identify rhetorical patterns explore theological implications highlight ancient and modern parallels and point out intertextual connections particularly with the bible the book of mormon is subdivided into internal books in this edition each

book is preceded by an introduction that discusses its key themes and literary features at the same time offering a quick overview of major figures events and sermons the three primary narrators nephi mormon and moroni receive special attention in addition to the annotations which focus on the text itself there are twelve general essays that introduce readers to various ongoing conversations about the text there are also several maps and charts as well as a comprehensive list of biblical quotations and allusions the editorial material is informed by contemporary biblical and historical scholarship while it deals forthrightly with both the strengths and weaknesses of the narrative it nevertheless treats the book of mormon as a sacred text worthy of careful study and respect

Tracing Your Northern Irish Ancestors 2016-02-29

this innovative collection explores the concept of space as it relates to feminist studies utilizing a range of theoretical perspectives a distinguished group of international scholars crosses over the thresholds of difference methodology and representation that challenge feminist geography

Six Generations of Richardsons: To and From the Big Muddy Valley 2017

the encyclopedia of religion and nature originally published in 2005 is a landmark work in the burgeoning field of religion and nature it covers a vast and interdisciplinary range of material from thinkers to religious traditions and beyond with clarity and style widely praised by reviewers and the recipient of two reference work awards since its publication see religionandnature.com this new more affordable version is a must have book for anyone interested in the manifold and fascinating links between religion and nature in all their many senses

Mormon Cowboy 2004-02-25

the mormon military experience is unique in american history the church of jesus christ of latter day saints lds is the only denomination to field military units for its own support and purpose rather than national interests an effort which began in missouri in 1838 and lasted through the spanish american war of 1898 from world war i onward however the military exceptionalism of the lds church faded and mormon soldiers came to serve national interests as loyal citizens alongside their fellow americans the mormon military experience 1838 to the cold war is the first book to present a historical overview of the mormon military experience sherman fleek and robert freeman tell this unique story of how the church of jesus christ of latter day saints has experienced war and military service and of their teachings concerning participation in armed conflict the lds church's distinct relationship between religious life and military service is rooted in its adherence to the book of mormon and its unique doctrine based in ancient and then modern revelations from church leaders religious and military exceptionalism went hand in hand during the nineteenth century when lds church leaders dictated when and how members would serve in armed conflict mormon militiamen were often more loyal to church interests and the guidance of lds leaders than they were to government policy from mustering of the mormon battalion during the mexican war to orchestrating the armed effort during the utah war of 1857 1858 to serving as civil war volunteers in the west similarly they followed church leaders teachings not to serve in the civil war's bloody campaigns in the east while lds leaders adapted church practices and policies to support national objectives at times there were also occasions when mormon militia units defied state and federal military forces sometimes to the point of open combat no other american denomination has done this this is a story about changing loyalties as the lds church transformed from a personalist religious movement on the edge of society to a mainstay of american religious

and political life mormons have moved from battling the us military to serving with distinction within it

The Annotated Book of Mormon 2023-08-01

this book is a look at the book of mormon from a view of is it true or can it be true the author spent more than 20 years working on this and was constantly revising it

The Charismatic History of the Restoration 1997

in a gracious spirit of seeking the truth this booklet challenges mormons and members of the jehovah s witnesses to study the bible privately this is the new edited version

Thresholds in Feminist Geography 2008-06-10

the leaves are falling the halloween carnival is in full swing and someone is robbing the residents of branson falls utah there is no rhyme or reason to the crimes but after an elderly widow is targeted the town is up in arms literally and everyone is pointing fingers straight at the owners of the new tattoo shop inked af branson tribune editor kate saxee isn t sure who is to blame but she s not willing to let an angry mob run the tattoo shop out of town without investigating and she s not the only one with questions that need answers drake and hawke both serious relationship material are very interested in why kate has been avoiding them for weeks kate s love life and the robberies aren t the only things on kate s plate she s also being stalked by a costume wearing gang helping ella with her new online auction hobby failing to avoid the ladies and trying to manage her mom s most recent antics involving an angry goat named humperdinck between all the chaos kate discovers there is more to the robberies than meets the eye and if she doesn t figure it all out fast someone might end up dead af

Encyclopedia of Religion and Nature 2023-04-12

learn how lesbian couples deal with political social and legal issues related to their relationships and their professions lesbian academic couples is a collection of writings by scholars who examine in theory and in narrative issues faced by partners working in the academic field including the politics of spousal hiring discrimination in hiring practices collaboration between partners long distance relationships team teaching and job sharing this unique book presents firsthand accounts from senior faculty with lengthy credentials in lgbt scholarship who have been able to land academic positions not compromised by outing from established academics who have been outed to negative effect from junior scholars with a queer specialty and from faculty whose work is constantly shifting and unpredictable the format of lesbian academic couples is unique authors well known to the lesbian communities in the united states canada and australia present essays that converse with one another offering opposing positions that represent a diversity of approaches on vital issues the book offers candid accounts of the experiences of lesbian couples fortunate enough to work in supportive academic environments and from those discouraged from being out on campus or from doing academic work in the area of lgbt studies this groundbreaking book is especially timely given current lawsuits and legislation involving civil unions and domestic partner benefits enforcement of domestic violence statutes and the rights of unmarried older couples lesbian academic couples includes the stories of couples who achieved scholarly success and a reaffirmed relationship were separated when they couldn t find viable academic positions in the same geographical area abandoned the security of tenured positions for the sake of their relationship were professionally marginalized because of their same sex mixed race relationship wrote under the pen name michael field in the nineteenth century in addition lesbian academic couples examines the critical issues of state

sanctioning through marriage spousal hiring package plans sexual orientation nondiscrimination policies lesbian academic couples have existed as long as there have been female academics this powerful book gives voice to their successes and struggles

The Mormon Military Experience 2002

maxine noe is a precocious child with a vivid imagination and a decided flair for the dramatic they are traits that serve the young vagabond well moving about as she does with her single mother during the 1920s when her mother lands a job in 1930 as a cook in a miners hotel in a small company owned mining camp ten year old maxine finds both the security she craves and the perfect backdrop for more adventure tucked away in utah s castle country so named because of the area s castle like rock formations the little town of kenilworth was given its name by an early immigrant miner who saw in its rugged towering outcrops the old and crumbling castle kenilworth in his native england the town s colorful history magical setting and diverse residents provide a rich environment for a young girl coming of age and color as well the challenges sorrows and triumphs that shape the little town s life this is a true story of hardship tragedy and love the events of maxine s young life portray both the fragility and tenacity of family and the castle hills that shelter her nourish her dreams and steel her character for the challenges she will surely meet beyond their rugged walls

Mormon cricket infestation in the Great Basin of the United States 2014-08-18

you can survive the kitchen wars and live in peace with your family my sisters in law couldn t stand me i was really hurt when my kids weren t mentioned in their grandmother s obituary because they weren t full blooded family my mom is always giving advice always telling me to do such and such when she doesn t do it herself if my husband and i have a fight she takes his side my sister did call me a week later to apologize but proceeded to tell me everything that was wrong with me my husband and my children sound familiar there s nothing new or unusual about conflict between mothers sisters and other female family members but that doesn t make it any less painful or destructive adding to the hurt of relational abuse within the family is the permanent nature of the relationship you can sever relations with an abusive friend but you can t stop being the sister daughter niece of an abusive relative does that mean that there s no way out in forced to be family you ll discover how to determine whether a female family member is being abusive recognize the sources of that abuse and break the vicious cycle that keeps the abuse alive you don t have to choose between accepting abuse and making a scene this insightful reassuring guide gives you the strategies and understanding you need to reestablish warm and loving relationships with the women who will always be closest to you

The Book of Mormon and Basic Christian Doctrine 2018-10-16

church is supposed to come a safe place isn t it that is what she used to think until she woke up one day and remembered everything these were things she did not want to know her body knew and that is why her ears hurt her ears did not want to hear what her brain was saying this story is based on true events it exposes the dark side of religion and the evil people who do ritual abuse it could happen to you

To Any Jehovah's Witness or Mormon Upon Troubled Waters 2012-12-06

The Devil Has Tattoos 2004-11

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