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### *Anthropology*

Cultural Renaissance – The Africa We Want and Agenda 2063 : Music, Craft, Language, Literature and Folklore / (Eds) Oluwabumi Amao (et al.)

Lagos: Centre for Black and African Arts and Civilizations (CBAAC), 2022

9789785934380

\$ 50.00 / PB

422gm.

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The Yoruba People : Profile of the Foremost Black Nation / S. Adebajji Akintoye

Ibadan: Bookcraft, 2022

xvi, 824p.

Includes Index

9789785776324

\$ 80.00 / PB

1120gm.

Beyond the confines of the African continent, Yoruba civilisation has played a very significant role in the expansion and establishment of Black Africa's presence. This book draws our attention to the palpable influence of Yoruba religion, philosophy, politics, economics, dress and fashion, food, music, literature, visual, verbal and performing arts in Africa and the African diaspora.

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Ngu Aro Oka – The Oka Lunar Calendar, 2010-2021 : Ndiiche Altar Obu Udo-Anaago Umubeele Village, Oka / Nevbeechi Emma Anizob

Nigeria: Nevbeechi Emma Anizob (Self-Published), 2010

68p.

9782501266314

\$ 15.00 / PB

96gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852380>

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The Peoples of Nigeria : Philosophy, Culture and the Nation / (Ed) Gbenga Ajileye

Owerri: Taurus Publication, 2016 (Reprint 2021)

9780752145

\$ 35.00 / PB

188gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852383>

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## *Art*

Art Arising : Art Festival / (Compiled) Juliet Ezenwa Pearce

Lagos: The New Gong, 2021

101p.

9789789936274

\$ 65.00 / PB

484gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852392>

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The Mbari Artists and Writers Club in Ibadan / (Ed) CBCIU

Lagos: Iwalewa Books, 2021

114p.

English & German Languages

9783947902033

\$ 60.00 / PB

276gm.

This book aims to reactivate the archival material by Ulli Beier, co-founder of the Black Orpheus Magazine and the Mbari Clubs in Nigeria in the early 1960s. To better understand the formation of modernities from a transcultural perspective, the book gives an overview on the exciting times of the Mbari Artists and Writers Club in Ibadan through the archival documents. This book is published in the context of the exhibition "museum global. Microhistories of an Ex-centric Modernism" by Kunstsammlung NRW, Düsseldorf and is the first collaboration between the Centre of Black Culture and International Understanding in Osogbo (Nigeria) and Iwalewahaush, University of Bayreuth.

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## *Biography/Memoirs*

Peter Obi : Many Voices, One Perspectives / (Ed) Chinyere Stella Okunna (et al.)

Enugu: New Generation Educare Ltd., 2023

xlv, 970p.

9782900923 ; 9782900923009

\$ 100.00 / PB

1896gm.

This book, Peter Obi : Many Voices, One Perspectives, is a salute to all OBI-Dients wherever they may be, at home and in Diaspora. In many ways, the book is a shout-out and an exhortation to all OBI-Dients, all well-intentioned Nigerians and supporters of our dear nation, to remain steadfast until that Nigeria of our dreams beomes a reality.

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Prof. Elo Amucheazi (Prince Amass) : An Autobiography / Elo Amucheazi

Enugu: Snaap Press Ltd., 2020

vi, 170p.

9789789105830

\$ 55.00 / PB

396gm.

Elo Amucheazi is a distinguished retired professor of Political Science at the University of Nigeria, Nsukka and former Director-General of National Orientation in Nigeria. He is currently adjunct

Professor of Political Science at the Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka and Pro-Chancellor and Chairman of Council of the Anambra State University. He has published widely on Nigerian Politics, including the classic study of pressure group politics in Nigeria entitled Church and Politics in Eastern Nigeria (1986).

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My Journey to the Top : From Shop Boy to Banex Billionaire / Victor O Mbanisi

Lagos: Victor O Mbanisi (Self-Published), 2019

xx, 200p.

9789789749775

\$ 40.00 / PB

358gm.

My journey to the top is a book that once you start reading it, you will not want to stop. The book exposes the fact that Africa is a country full with a lot of untapped potential, and wealth. And Nigeria is the biggest African country with the largest market one can ever imagine. Whatever you do, you will certainly have a market in Nigeria. It is in this country that baby Victor O. Mbanisi was born and brought up. You will later learn, in this autobiography, the simple ways he followed to become a billionaire, his success story and his journey to the top. It is also true that the society today is full of people who truly want to get rich but do not know how to go about it. This book gives the historical accounts of Bishop (Dr) Victor O. Mbanisi: how he started to climb the ladder of wealth, where he is today and the sources of this wealth. The book is highly inspirational, in fact, it is a simple guide on how to become great with nothing. It uses simple language to explain simpler ways on how to get rich quick. It is also a true-life account of the latest billionaire who got himself into wealth through great foresights. The autobiography is touching, historical, developmental and inspiring. It is a book that no one will truly refuse to read.

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Tide Taken at the Flood : Autobiography of an Entrepreneur / Gbolagade Adebisi

Lagos: Gbolagade Adebisi (Self-Published), 2021

xvi, 336p.

9789789938988

\$ 50.00 / PB

468gm.

This is not a tale of "rags to riches" but the intriguing grass to grace story of a man who overcame the difficult circumstances of his early life to attain success through hard-work, providence and a honed instinct for opportunities. He serially took the "Tide at the Flood" to triumph at various projects he embarked upon, a shining example and role model for many aspiring entrepreneurs. The book is sometimes brutally frank about issues and accurately captures the fine texture of the society in which the author lives and thrives.

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Tale of A Lifetime @ 70 : An Autobiography / A. O. A. Nwosu

Enugu: Rhyce Kerex Publishers, 2019

xiii, 286p.

Include Index

9789785640601

\$ 60.00 / PB

552gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852405>

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Serial Survivor : The Autobiography of a Man with Nine Lives / Gershon Ogbulujah

Port Harcourt: The Ruby Centre Limited, 2020  
xviii, 486p.  
9789789796977  
\$ 60.00 / PB  
684gm.

This stunning story of survival is about the life of Gershon Ogbulujah, a man whose thunderous last name belies his gentle, unassuming frame. It is a captivating account of the autobiographer's childhood and coming of age in an era where society was far more close-knit and virtues such as industry, honesty and good neighbourliness were celebrated.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852408>

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An Autobiography of a Nigerian Secondary School Administrator, Chief Oyebisi Samuel Okewuyi (JP) – The Afedegbasaga Yoruba / Samuel Oyebisi Okewuyi  
Nigeria: Samuel Oyebisi Okewuyi (Self-Published)  
136p.  
Includes Index  
9789789313327  
\$ 30.00 / PB  
174gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852410>

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The Unending Quest for Reform : An Intellectual Memoir / Tunji Olaopa  
Ibadan: Pan-African University Press, 2023  
xiv, 264p.  
Includes Index  
9781943533596  
\$ 40.00 / PB  
378gm.

In The Unending Quest for Reform, Tunji Olaopa fills a critical gap in public administration history in Nigeria with the insertion of a personal narrative in the formal historical trajectory of public administration and public service. Personal narratives-biographies, autobiographies and memoirs serve a significant purpose in enlivening and humanizing the role that public administration and administrators play in the transformation of the discourse and practice of making Nigeria a better country. In this memoir, Olaopa ties his personal and professional maturation together into a seamless story of a young Abwa boy making it to the Presidency in Abuja, and building a governance and institutional reform portfolio and philosophy that speak to the yearning of a professional and patriotic intent on transforming the policy architecture and institutional structuration of the Nigerian state. This memoir, therefore, has an intergenerational objective it is the past speaking to the future about why Nigeria must be great.

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Every Square Inch : A Nigeria Missionary Memoir, 1966-1996 / Jan H. Boer & Frances A. Boer  
Ibadan: Bookcraft, 2022  
xxxviii, 474p.  
Includes Index  
9789785856507  
\$ 75.00 / PB  
834gm.

Reverend Dr Jan Boer and his wife Frances Boer-Prins dedicated three decades of their lives to the mission field in central Nigeria. Raised in the Reformed Calvinist tradition of Abraham Kuyper and Herman Dooyeweerd, the Boers brought to their mission work an approach anchored on the total gospel... The Boers have left an impermeable legacy in Nigeria. There is a glory that lightens the path of those who have laboured that others may find life. I commend this book to those who affirm the ethical approach to life and to living a life of service to others. –Dr Obadiah Mailafia, Former Deputy Governor of the Central Bank of Nigeria & Former Presidential Candidate of the African Democratic Congress, ADC

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Having arrived in Nigeria just before the civil war broke out barely one year later, Rev Dr and Mrs Boer can be considered prime witnesses with a front seat in Nigeria's chequered history. I encountered him in my younger days during his work at the Institute for Church and Society, Jos. The Institute was a most strategic and prophetic outpost which, had we foreseen the prophetic urgency of its message then, its work would have helped the nation avert the decay of corruption and inequalities that have consumed our country. A record of Dr Boer's experience should serve as a token of appreciation for the labours of people like him and provide a sense of urgency in the struggle to use the Gospel to renew the face of the earth. –Bishop Matthew Hassan Kukah Catholic Bishop of Sokoto, Nigeria

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852416>

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Wolus Wolus : A Stitched Up Bits and Pieces of This and That / Wole Awe  
Sagamu, Ogun State: Indigenous Books & Arts, 2022  
xiv, 230p.  
9789787952337  
\$ 40.00 / PB  
470gm.

Wolus, Wolus is not your every type of book. Just as the subtitle says, it is collection, a potpourri of my various writings, spanning almost twenty years. This is a product of many promptings by friends asking me to codify and publish these "bits and pieces" – products of my experiences growing up in Lagos.

So, here I am with my stitched-up writings many of which were influenced majorly by my childhood experiences as well as my adolescent years.

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Drawing His Strength : The Emiola Fakolade Story – As Told /Oladapo Okuyemi  
Nigeria: Showballer Visuals. 2022  
xxxvi, 180p.  
9789787913598  
\$ 50.00 / PB  
298gm.

What happens when you face a crisis in your life? What do you do when you are suddenly widowed at age forty, and left alone with six children; three of which are under the age of ten? How do you navigate life from there? It is not what happens to us that really is the life changer, rather it is the resulting effect of what happens inside of us, because of what happened to us. What happens to us transforms us into who we truly become. Three months and three weeks after turning forty, Emiola became a widow and her life changed forever. Proverbs 23, in verse 18 (NIV) says, 'There is surely a future hope for you, and your hope will not be cut off'. This Book is about my mother, and how as a child and through to becoming an adult, I have been able to see the world in a totally different lens through her life - her outlook, her attitude, her resolve to live life to the fullest, despite setbacks that occurred early on in her life.

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Owu Akinale In Contemporary Abeokuta : Reflections of a Journalist, PR Icon, Law Scholar and Traditional Ruler / Oba Olufemi Ogunleye

Lagos: Prima (Narrative Landscape Press), 2022

346p.

9789785930542

\$ 50.00 / PB

400gm.

History and biography have been blended in this book to chaperon the reader on an adventure into hitherto unknown territory. At the wheel is Oba Olufemi Adewunmi Ogunleye, a journalist, public relations guru, law scholar, conflict resolution enthusiast and Yoruba natural leader.

This book is a treasure trove of material helpful to scholars, researchers, historians, policy planners and the general public. Among other revelations, the reader is let into the secret of how Nigeria Airways, the national carrier, was run and eventually grounded.

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Dreams Dance : My Journey Through Life / Mark Nwagwu

Ibadan: Feathers and Ink, 2022

xxxii, 512p.

9789785522655

\$ 40.00 / PB

832gm.

Dreams Dance is a glaring testimony to the life of Mark Nwagwu, a man born with a broad-based talent which copiously equipped him for whatever drew his fancy. A memoir of twenty-seven chapters is divided into five parts: Dreams Bud: Early Years (1937-1956), Dreams Dare (1957-1961), Dreams Frolic (1961-1965), Dreams Drive (1965-1989) and Dreams Drum (1989 - 2020). Nwagwu truthfully called them the 'dreams' to which he 'danced' all his life. His 'dreams' were not myths, but 'dances' to the graces and mercies of God. This thrilling chronicle unveils in Nwagwu's father's house, and the interesting circumstances that saw the author - the boy with many names - studying in different primary schools. Then came his dancing dreams in St. Patricks College, Ikot Ansa, and later in the University College Ibadan. Dreams Dances is also a story about Helen Nwagwu, who conquered the author's soul with dreams brimming with breathless joy. Their shared existence for 60 years is the utmost dream that Mark Nwagwu danced. All of the author's dreams - the luminous academic career as a professor of cell and molecular biology, a renowned scientist, sportsman, intervention in youth leadership, his prodigious talent as a creative writer, a father, and grandfather - are defined and enveloped in Helen. Dreams Dance is therefore, how the author's dreams soared through majestic dances in and with Helen Onyemazuwa Nwagwu (1943-2018), who's eyes continue to chant surreal poems to Mark Nwagwu.

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I Am Still With You : A Reckoning With Silence, Inheritance, and History / Emmanuel Iduma

Lagos: Masobe, 2023

9789785945140

\$ 45.00 / PB

246gm.

**Emmanuel Iduma** never met his uncle, his father's favourite brother and the man for whom he is named. The elder Emmanuel left home in 1967 to fight in the Biafran War and was not seen again. The war lasted for three years, with young Igbo men volunteering to fight for a breakaway republic in the chaotic wake of British decolonization. Around one hundred thousand others who fought in the war shared similar fates to Emmanuel's uncle, though there are no official records of these

losses. The tensions that gave rise to the conflict remain, threatening sometimes to bubble over. In this landscape, there are no monuments or graves. Instead, a collective remembering remains, for the most part, silent.

**I Am Still With You** sees a young Nigerian return to his country of birth. Travelling the route of the war, Iduma explores both a national history and the mysteries of his own family, finding both somewhat scarred and haunted, the memories warped by time and the darkest parts left for decades unspoken.

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Michere Githae Mugo : Making Life Sing in Pursuit of Utu / (Ed) Ndirangu Wachanga

Ibadan: Bookcraft, 2022

xl, 528p.

Includes Index

9789785900729

\$ 45.00 / PB

890gm.

Micere is particularly unique because of the powerful roles she has played as a woman at a time when African and Pan-African radicalism was mostly male dominated. The history of feminist global African women's struggle is incomplete without sufficient and sustained reference to Micere's intellectual presence and her politico-cultural participation. To celebrate the immense contributions of this pioneer of the culture of letters in East Africa, Africa and the world, this volume focuses on Micere's life, artistic and intellectual contributions from the vantage point of those who have known her either personally or through her work as a scholar and teacher, poet and performer, cultural and political activist, feminist, and as an indefatigably fearless community organiser.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852444>

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Born into Journalism : Memoir of a Newspaper Reporter / Kayode Soyinka

Nigeria: Kayode Soyinka (Self-Published), 2020

424p.

Includes Index

9781952263897

\$ 45.00 / HB

688gm.

Through this book, Kayode shared his amazing and thrilling experiences of being a journalist. Starting off as a Nigerian Journalist at the age of 18 at a national daily, he then moved to London to pursue a scholarship and soon became a London Correspondent for Nigerian Dailies. Being passionate towards his career, he covered his international events and important stories extensively to make them appear as much authentic as possible. Despite barely surviving a parcel bomb attack, Kayode worked relentlessly and earned the reputation as a versatile investigative journalist. He has embedded his complete story in the book for readers to read and seek inspiration for pursuing in their respective careers.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852446>

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Stepping on Toes : My Odyssey at the Nigerian Ports Authority / Hadiza Bala Usman

Lagos: Cable Books, 2023

200p.

Includes Index

9789787952283

\$ 50.00 / HB

384gm.

*Stepping on toes* is the story of some of the most important events that defined the five-year leadership of Hadiza Bala Usman at the Nigerian Ports Authority (NPA). Told in breezy, captivating everyday language, this book exposes the elite capture of the Nigerian states and their struggle to retain the stranglehold, no matter what it takes.

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Biography of Funke Felix-Adejumo: A Name on Marble / Segun Oduyebo  
Nigeria: Segun Oduyebo (Self-Published), 2022  
240p.  
9789785905403  
\$ 50.00 / PB  
346gm.

A Champion of Women Emancipation and Voice for The Voiceless.

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Funke has a great voice and influence. She keeps impacting the lives of young men and women. I believe and pray that she will continue to stand firm and trust in God as she grows through her journey, regardless of any form of criticism. – Bishop T.D. Jakes

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852451>

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My Life, My Legacy : Service With Integrity and Excellence / Chief Reuben Famuyide Fazoranti  
Ibadan: John Archers (Publishers) Ltd., 2020  
260p.

Includes Index  
9789785815207  
\$ 45.00 / PB  
366gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852453>

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The Man Lives : A Conversation With Wole Soyinka on Life, Literature and Politics / Okey Ndibe  
Ibadan: Bookcraft, 2019  
176p.

Includes Index  
9789785659320  
\$ 35.00 / PB  
238gm.

In his new book, *The Man Lives: A Conversation with Wole Soyinka on Life, Literature, and Politics*, Okey Ndibe has deployed his formidable writing and analytic skills to produce a scintillating appreciation of the enigmatic Nobel laureate, Wole Soyinka.

The book, which features Mr Ndibe's meditative essay on the laureate as a major aesthete, ethical figure and human rights crusader, also contains the transcript of Ndibe's lengthy, detailed, if far from exhaustive, interview with Mr Soyinka. Mr Ndibe's introductory essay is finely tuned. It illuminates various aspects of Mr Soyinka's expansive creative output and moral advocacy, with a focus on the laureate's stature as a national, continental and global champion of human rights. The interview section contains in-depth questions on Soyinka's personal life, literary subjects and controversies, and his many imprints on Nigerian, African and world politics.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=825459>

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Manuwa Street / Sophie Bouillon  
Lagos: Farafina Kamsi (Kachifo Limited), 2022  
vi, 110p.  
9789785740219



\$ 10.00 / PB  
140gm.

French journalist Sophie Bouillon documents living in Lagos in 2020 during the COVID-19 lockdown. In this thoughtful narrative non-fiction, Bouillon explores everyday life in Lagos through experiences from her career and personal life.

In one unforgettable year, the city was rocked by explosions, evictions and protests. A city that never sleeps put to bed by the pandemic. But Manuwa Street isn't just a disinterested documentation of a foreigner's impression of Lagos; it is about love, uncertainty, hope and survival.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852474>

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Twists and Turns – A Story of Survival : A Memoir / Amos Odhiambo Onyango  
Abuja: Caltop Publications (Nigeria) Limited, 2019  
viii, 148p.  
9789785667677  
\$ 20.00 / PB  
140gm.

“When my parents took their last breath, I was still young and had no idea what the world had in store for me...It came as a savage shock to me; like a stranger approaching me on the street and punching me in the face. I found myself banjaxed with grief..and then the world showed me its true colours....”

The lessons in this book are revealed gently, carefully, and with honest encouragement. The story takes you on a ride full of fun and inspiration. You discover the tools and principles which will automatically make your studies or career to fly, your happiness to soar, and your absolute potential to be realised.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852476>

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Becoming Intentional : Life is a Journey... / Truth Osumareton Egbe (Ed) Olatunde Obafemi  
Nigeria: Truth Osumareton Egbe (Self-Published), 2022  
51p.  
9789787917763  
\$ 15.00 / PB  
82gm.

Becoming International is a collective narrative of real-life experiences and practicable principles that highlight necessary steps for personal development, integration into society, attainment of goals, preservation of life, and finding and fulfilling purpose, among others.

This book serves as a cordial conversation you can have with yourself and is a recommended companion for those who aim to become intentional about answering the question and reason for existence. The book can be considered an inner voice of guidance and comfort in life.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852478>

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Towards A Greater Future : Consciously Chisel Your Life / Mimi Olsen-Ikurior  
Nigeria: Mimi Olsen-Ikurior (Self-Published), 2022  
68p.  
9789787900932  
\$ 15.00 / PB  
80gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852480>

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Love Notes : Blueprints for Wholesomeness / Kofoworola Toriola

Nigeria: Kofoworola Toriola (Self-Published), 2022  
84p.  
9789789709380  
\$ 25.00 / PB  
106gm.

Love Notes is a collection of the author's reflections on life and how certain experiences have been instrumental to her growth. It an expression of the author's love in form of sharing– sharing her experiences with hopes that it serves as a guide to others. Through Love Notes, the author has shared her journey with the readers in the most vulnerable manner while providing insights into some of her deepest conversations with God.

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#### *Cinema Studies*

30 : Three Decades of the New Nigeria Cinema ...A Bystander's Verdict / Steve Ayorinde / Steve Ayorinde  
Lagos: Liberal Publishing, Patrons Media Ltd & The Culture Newspaper, 2023  
182p.  
9789789822232  
\$ 65.00 / PB  
510gm.

A visually-pleasing and capacious account of Africa's most dominant storytelling medium, 30: Three Decades of the New Nigerian Cinema curates a historical and vibrant archive that explores the past, present, and future of Nollywood. There is a succinct yet solid sense of history here and it is refreshing in a country that loves to forget. – **James Yeku**, Assistant Professor of African Digital Humanities, University of Kansas, Lawrence, USA

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Ayorinde's experience and dynamic relationship with the Nigerian film industry has yielded a unique book written with candid dedication and unequalled insight. In 30: Three decades of the New Nigerian Cinema..., he melds historical accounts of the industry's forerunners and events with contemporary ones to produce at once a fascinating tribute to film people and an implicit charge for more documentation. The book corrects, eulogizes, honours and complicates film history from an insider's perspective leaving its reader enlightened and yearning for more. – **Dr. Añulika Agina**, SOAS University of London

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852487>

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#### *Education*

Compilation of Inaugural and Public Lectures, 2016-2021 / AEFUNAI  
Nigeria: Senate Committee on Inaugural and Public Lecture, 2021  
340p.  
9789785861730  
\$ 40.00 / PB  
838gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852490>

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Sustainable Development in Nigeria: Early Childhood Education as the Corner Stone : An Inaugural Lecture, 2021/2022 / Professor Esther A. Oduolowu  
Ibadan: Ibadan University Press, 2022

92p.  
9789788550662  
\$ 10.00 / PB  
118gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852493>

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Windows Without Doors: Making Schools Effective Through Assessment : An Inaugural Lecture, 2021/2022 / Professor Gbenga Adewale  
Ibadan: Ibadan University Press, 2022  
102p.

9789788550686  
\$ 10.00 / PB  
126gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852497>

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Awka and Western Education / Ifeanyi Anagbogu  
Awka: Christon International Co. Ltd., 2020  
vi, 82p.

9789788454781  
Akamba-Ndigbo Series  
\$ 30.00 / PB  
120gm.

As a matter of History, Western Education is one of the greatest agents of change in modern Awka. And together with Christianity and urbanization our town was transformed. This study focuses attention on Western Education in Colonial Awka, that is, from 1904 to 1960.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852500>

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## Economics

Who Can/Will Save Nigeria : Enter A Brigade of Technocrats / Yetunde Makinde Acis  
Nigeria: LTM Publishing, 2020  
xiv, 258p.

Includes Bibliography  
9789789866892  
\$ 45.00 / PB  
416gm.

Who Can/Will Save Nigeria: Enter A Brigade of Technocrats. Is a timely and easy to read book. Written in discursive essay style, and using statistical evidence it proffers constructive, realistic solutions to the most critical problems that inundates Nigeria as a country; infrastructural deficit, high unemployment rate, double digit inflation, weak currency, and overall weak macroeconomics. The underlying message of this book is clear, Nigerians must act to save Nigeria! The continued brickbat, caustic debates, and diatribes are not a solution to the myriad of challenges that confront us as a nation.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852503>

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## History

A Political History of Modern Nigeria, Volume II : Words and Thoughts of Mbazulike Amechi / Mbazulike Amechi (Ed) Gabriel Nwanze

Nigeria: Mbazulike Amechi (Self-Published), 2019  
x, 307p.

Includes Index  
9789789736508  
\$ 65.00 / HB  
914gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852505>

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History of Igboland and a Re-Appraisal of the Origin of Onicha Ado N'Idu / Ikechukwu Ayo Aduba  
Nigeria: Arise And Shine Publishers, 2021

xii, 197p.  
9789789960088  
\$ 45.00 / PB  
496gm.

The history of Igbo land has drawn the attention of several scholars, both professional and nonprofessional historians. One noticed characteristic of the works of these scholars is that they are yet to agree on a generally accepted origin of the Igbo people, unlike the Hausa and the Yoruba, where most scholars agree that their founders migrated from outside Africa. While scholars continue on their search for a generally accepted Igbo origin, most of the works on Onitsha, a prominent community in Igbo land hold a very popular view that its founders migrated from Benin, in modern Edo State of Nigeria. It is against this backdrop that Ikechukwu Aduba's book: History of Igboland and a Re-appraisal of the Origin of Onicha Ado N'Idu is an uncommon piece of work made up of seven chapters. The author through diverse data collected made insightful exposition of the history, migration, socio-economic and political development of the Igbo and Onitsha from the earliest times to 2014.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852527>

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Aspects of Onitsha History and Culture Up To 2000 / Ikechukwu Aduba & Charles O. Aduba  
Nigeria: Ikechukwu Aduba & Charles O. Aduba (Self-Published), 2014

xii, 84p.  
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The Ignorance of Arrogance / Okee Onwuka  
Nigeria: Okee Onwuka (Self-Published), 2017

472p.  
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If football is "o Jogo bonito", the Beautiful game, how can something so beautiful sentence a practitioner to 50 years jail term for playing the sport?

**What If** the world press did not view the 1950 World cup from the eyes of Brazil, and tag the match the Maracana Tragedy but instead call it "The Miracle of Maracana", "A Victory for Football" or "A Tragedy of Expectations?" If other underdog victories are tagged "Miracles", why has this been different?

"I am not guilty. There were 11 of us." "In Brazil, the maximum sentence is thirty years, but I have served fifty." **Moacyr Barbosa** Goalkeeper for Brazil, 1950 World Cup final match between Brazil & Uruguay.

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You may see this book as a collection of individual stories each of which illustrate one or more aspects of life where the awareness of arrogance, conscious or unconscious can be put to great personal benefits. Each section can be read and enjoyed alone.

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The Burden of History : An Inaugural Lecture, 2020/2021 / Babatunde Sofela

Ibadan: Ibadan University Press, 2021

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Coloniality of Knowledge in Africa : Essays in Honour of Professor Damian Opata / (Eds) Chukwu Romanus Nwoma, Dina Yerima-Avazi & Onyeka Odoh

Enugu: ABIC Books & Equip. Ltd., 2021

xiv, 230p.

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352gm.

The African people have been in contact with the West from as early as the 15th century for trade, war, and various purposes. However, there is rarely an African-human contact that could be as momentous as the 19th century European colonization of the continent. This is because of its combined economic, political, and social interest that would change, for a long time, the African peoples' quest for recognition. Suffice it to say that our use of "Africa" here refers to Sub-Saharan Africa, (in other terms, "black Africa" as adopted by Wole Soyinka in his Poems of Black Africa) whose social and political history remarkably differs from the kingdoms of North Africa. In *The West and the Rest of us*, Chinweizu provides a good trajectory to begin this investigation. He divides the aggression of Western Europe on the rest of the world into two waves. The first wave which began from the Renaissance and Europe's "learning of the ancient Mediterranean," was dominated by the Portuguese who occupied the trans-Sahara trade route for West African gold, guided by their military might and the Pope's authority (Chinweizu 3). Having lost all effort to break the Portuguese monopoly of this trade route in West Africa, their Spanish rival went West sailing around the world in search of the spice island of the East (India) to circumvent the area of the Pope's jurisdiction (Chinweizu 4). This misadventure led to the Spanish exploration of the Americas and the subsequent Columbian exchange that Africa would not be in a hurry to forget. This is not just because it initiated the infamous trans-Atlantic trade of Africans as slaves to farm the vast impounded lands from the Americas but because it also instituted racism as a systematic justification of this slavery- a scourge that the descendants of the slaves and indeed the entire world are suffering till date....

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They Speak : African Arts As Historical Evidence : An Inaugural Lecture, 2020/2021 / Ohioma Ifounu Pogoso

Ibadan: Ibadan University Press, 2021

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Operation Legacy : Looting and Losing Africa's Kingdoms / Olasupo Shasore

Lagos: Quramo Publishing, 2023  
xxii, 306p.  
Includes Index  
9789787921166  
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368gm.

Operation Legacy Looting and Losing Africa's Kingdoms is a treatment of how colonial powers looted precious artefacts across Africa; still hold them in personal and public collections, some known and others unknown; and the violence of the looting and its consequences. The story reaches back into the basic assumptions around colonial rule and debunks them in spectacular contemporary fashion. All these are seen through the lens of the most recent looting exercise, captured in the revealing of the top-secret colonial scheme known as 'Operation Legacy', revealing the agitators that led to the discovery. Seeing the connected dots, the book exposes the looted artifact. and looted archives and the belief that the hasty return 200 years late will make good the original sin. All these and more make this book a compelling read.

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The Perturbed History of The Great Igbo Nation / Ikechukwu Ayo Aduba  
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Re-Examining the Niger Delta Militancy / Dr Edozie Ezeife  
Nigeria: Scribblecity Publications, 2022  
Viii, 166p.  
9781913455354  
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Interrogating the Niger Delta Militancy, dissects the militant agitation in Nigeria's Niger Delta region. It traces the history of the Niger Delta militancy along with what drives the militancy. It then offers an array of prescription, a pathway to contain and prevent a resurgence of insecurity in the Region.

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The book explores the near total absence of human rights protection in Nigeria and canvasses for a “human rights revolution” as the starting point to reforming the country. It is written in an informal style and makes a conscious effort to jettison formality in favour of a light-hearted and conversational style of writing. It mixes humour, street language, legal experiences, and news reports, in covering a breadth of subjects. In the main, it covers the observance of a variety of recognised human rights, borrowing from the author’s experiences as a lawyer in one of the country’s leading law firms and the son of one of the country’s leading activists. The book discusses ingrained practices and topics such as mob violence, police brutality, servitude, religious intolerance, poverty, and corruption amongst others, explaining how a national human rights acculturation could curtail and ultimately eradicate these challenges.

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Nigeria : Enefiok Udo-Obong (Self-Published), 2023  
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When a runner is cruelly and unjustly imprisoned with hardened criminals after winning an international marathon, a series of rippling events follow exposing a conspiracy of corruption, ethnicity, incompetence, greed, politics and power play.

A true story of an absorbing drama which takes place during the brutal era of Military rule in Nigeria.

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The Middle Daughter / Chika Unigwe

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When seventeen-year-old Nani loses her older sister and then her father in quick succession, her world spins off its axis. Isolated and misunderstood by her grieving mother and sister, she's drawn to an itinerant preacher, a handsome self-proclaimed man of God who offers her a new place to belong. All too soon, Nani finds herself estranged from her family, tethered to her abusive husband by children she loves but cannot fully comprehend. She must find the courage to break free and wrestle her life back—without losing what she loves most.

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Daughter In Exile / Bisi Adjapon

Lagos: Ouida Books, 2023

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502gm.

Lola is twenty-one, and her life in Senegal couldn't be better. An aspiring writer and university graduate, she has a great job, a nice apartment, a vibrant social life, and a future filled with possibility. But fate disrupts her world when she falls for Armand, an American Marine stationed at the U.S. Embassy. Her mother, a high court judge in Ghana, disapproves of her choice, but nothing will stop Lola from boarding a plane for Armand and America.

That fateful flight is only the beginning of an extraordinary journey; she has traded her carefree existence in Senegal for the perilous position of an undocumented immigrant in 1990s America. Lola encounters adversity that would crush a less-determined woman. Her fate hangs on whether or not she'll grow in courage to forge a different life from one she'd imagined, whether she'll succeed in putting herself and family together again.

*Daughter in Exile* is a hope-filled story about mother love, resilience, and unyielding strength.

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The Girl in the Labyrinth / Wafikah Adaviruku

Abuja: Amab Books & Publishing, 2022

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220gm.

A Girl in the Labyrinth is the story of seventeen-year-old orphan Oyiza who walks into a rabbit hole, beginning on the night she decides to flee from the orphanage where she was dropped off as a kid of seven years old. She has decided to flee the orphanage because she has been sexually assaulted by the patron severally. On the night she flees, walking a lonely express, she comes across a young man who has been beaten to a pulp and left for dead. She decides to help him. The young man she helps, unbeknownst to her, is someone she knows from a rather long story she has no knowledge of because she lost all of her memories before the Orphanage. But seeing him

triggers memories from her past. Since she is pregnant as a result and with nowhere to go, the family of the young man takes her in.

But all that glitters isn't gold in this twisting tale by Wafikah Adaviruku, as Oyiza finds herself and her unborn baby in the middle of a sinister plot made of lies, drugs, and murder.

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Oma's Seed : The Promise of Life From Her Body / Loretta Olubunmi-Amosu

Lagos: Zayzee Limited, 2022

226p.

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When Oma and Ikhide planned to wait two years after getting married before starting a family, nothing prepared them for a journey through years of infertility.

As one attempt after another to find a solution to their infertility failed, Oma would remember a prophecy that was given before they married, warning her of the struggles ahead. Did she make the right decision to disregard that prophecy?

As the years passed, Oma struggled with depression as her body failed to perform one of the most important tasks it was created for. Inspired by true events, Oma's Seed highlights the trials and temptations couples dealing with infertility struggle with, some of which are motivated by desperation.

The writer also relates the difficult choices these couples face, especially because of societal beliefs: To adopt or not? Use IVF or not? Use a surrogate or gestational carrier or not? Use donor eggs and sperm or not?

In Oma's Seed, the reader is made to understand that God can use any process He desires to fulfil His promises.

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Against The Odds / Adetanwa Ibronke Odebiyi

Nigeria: ABBI Books, 2022

vi, 234p.

9789787945599

\$ 25.00 / PB

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Against the Odds is a novel for these times – a timely passionate intervention in climes where Nigerian women, black women, all women, continue to fight for change, for voice, and the right to actualize their unique identities and gifts. It would make for a powerful fictional complement to Women's studies and culture courses and perhaps someday even become a movie script.

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Falter : What More Could She Want? / Muti'ah Badruddeen

Nigeria: Muti'ah Badruddeen Publishers, 2021

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Yewande Ayoade is the girl who has it all.

A carefree and pampered young woman from a prominent wealthy family in Lagos, Nigeria. She has an amazing circle of friends and a dreamy boyfriend to boot. After graduating at the top of her class, she suddenly finds herself questioning her way of life. But how does a girl who has it all find

her life's purpose? With the help of a few family members and some new-ish friends, she begins to explore a deeper connection to her faith – invariably facing hurdles and making mistakes along the way.

When the euphoria of change wears off, will she be steadfast in the path she has chosen? Or will the considerable opposition from those who refuse to accept her metamorphosis as Habeebah prove too much, especially coupled with her own desires and the lure of familiarity? Set at the turn of the 21st century, Falter provides insight into how young people navigate newly-awakened faith practice journeys and the influences that shape them along the way.

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The War Between Man and His Gods : A Novel / Akubuilo Florence Chinenye

Enugu: Snaap Press (Nig.) Ltd., 2022

276p.

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296gm.

The novel centres around the tradition of the Idien kingdom. In it, a healthy male offspring is dear and necessary for a peaceful and complete transition from life here on earth to eternity. So every Idien male strived to achieve this in his lifetime. Nze Nzelem, became king in this period. Due to circumstances surrounding his birth, he was more than eager to live as the customs of the kingdom required of him. He dutifully obeyed all the customs of the kingdom until it was time for him to get married.

The gods of Idi intervenes in his quest to get married and orders him to marry the priestess, Amalueze; of which he decided to do so only when the priestess birth a son for him. Nzelem chickened out last minute by deciding not to ejaculate. But having been forewarned that Nzelem's may do that Amalueze was prepared, as she seduced him back into her bed to get what she wanted. Conflicted by the action of Amalueze, Nzelem decided that he would not be a part of the child selection which takes place in the forest of babies. His absence in the forest made it very hostile for Amalueze to successfully pick a son as she was given a limited time. Thus she ended up picking a baby in a hurry only to realize it was a girl.

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Just Give Me 30 Days : A Novel / Egobure O.

Lagos: Origami (Parresia Publishers Ltd), 2022

viii, 194p.

9789785921359

\$ 25.00 / PB

254gm.

**Just give me 30 days** is the story of Princess, a promising young woman who lost her life in her prime. The storyline runs across various locations in the Southern, Eastern, Western and Northern parts of Nigeria in a series of twists and turns to bring about a mix of the traditional and the modern-day lifestyle. Its twists and turns involve the unhappy childhood of Nonso, whose life was brightened by a stepmother who took him in as her own. Then came the agony of having the only bright light in his life extinguished and the horror of not knowing if it was murder? If it was murder, what could be the motive?

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The Illuminator : State of Emergency / Olayinka Allan Aroyeun

Nigeria: Scribblecity Publications, 2022

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242gm.

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Staring Into Reality / Sandra Dike

Nigeria: Emmatongplus, 2021

vi, 132p.

9789785061611

\$ 15.00 / PB

156gm.

The lessons we learn in the course of life are the very instincts we habit with. Staring into reality is an expository anthology which takes one on a journey into seeing the visuals behind the curtain of life. The book reveals the struggle of ordinary people from an uncommon perspective. It tells about the choices people make and its consequences, the circumstances life brings and the overwhelming realities which can not be controlled. The themes in this anthology includes deceit, depression, suicide, betrayal, stereotype, friendship, fear of the unknown, friendship, and violence. Not only will this book keep you interested and feed your passion on life's experiences, it will also give you answers to your many questions on the realities of life.

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Bound to Fate / Kiru Taye

Nigeria: Kiru Taye (Self-Published), 2011

296p.

9781523674350

Bound Series, Book I

\$ 15.00 / PB

342gm.

Lara Johnson is coping with the emotional scars of losing both parents in a tragic incident and facing the challenges of starting a new school. Getting involved in a relationship isn't on her priority list. Certainly not this illicit desire for a man, who demands the best from her, yet leaves her breathless in his presence.

All Ike Thomas wants to do is to keep out of trouble and get through the one year internship required for his degree program. But trouble finds him, in the form of an intelligent and brave girl who turns his world upside down. Falling in love is forbidden. So why does it feel so right?

A love like theirs cannot be denied. But catastrophe lies in wait and one night changes their lives forever.

Bound to Fate is a story about surviving tragedy, forgiveness, and the overwhelming love that pulls through against the odds.

Content warning: This book contains scenes that might be triggering for some readers.

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Honey and Maggots / Sisi Caro

Ibadan: Ibadan University Press, 2023

vi, 170p.

9789789401505

\$ 25.00 / PB

196gm.

Honey and Maggots tells the story of the annulment of the June 12 presidential election, the Abacha reign of terror, the COVID-19 pandemic and the EndSARS protests. It is a story of the

frigid relationship between the leader and the led, between Nigerian citizens and the Establishment intimidated by the new breed of a speaking generation.

The book examines the recurrence of misgovernance in the polity and raises concern about the unsettled mysteries that surround some of the social and political upheavals that have ravaged Nigeria. The disquieting question of who ordered the shooting at Lekki Toll Gate during the EndSARS protests remains unanswered in spite of the havoc and mayhem that were unleashed. Spiced with the love story between Dimeye, Patrick and their lovebirds, you will find this story on politics, power and nature very engaging and interesting.

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Lopsided Love / Loveth E. Ighoruemuse

Ibadan: Purplebloom Publishers, 2023

xviii, 98p.

9789785986686

\$ 25.00 / PB

140gm.

Lopsided Love captures in a fictional context, a microcosm of the struggles of the girl-child, especially in her youth and young adulthood foray. This historical romance, as it were, chronicles the emotional travail of an unsuspecting character whose experience most certainly provides a guide for young folks as part of critical lessons for the avoidance of needless troubles to the heart. Love remains a beautiful experience, but the beauty of it comes with so much intentionality and properly contemplated commitments.

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The Plane Crash / Nnamdi Anumihe

Port Harcourt: Zelon Integrated Services Ltd., 2014

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The Fearless Freedom Fighter / Dr. Ezinwa Vincent Chi

Enugu: C. Candid Printers, 2020

xviii, 282p.

9782061699

\$ 25.00 / PB

270gm.

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Exodus of Gods / Kayode Akin Fanilola

Nigeria : Taproot Afrika Publishing House, 2022

168p.

9789785691108

\$ 35.00 / PB

199gm.

John Clapper led the fake white Christian missionaries hiding under evangelism to steal multitude of cultural and religious artifacts from many Yoruba land. Nancy Chamberlain, the fiance of John Clapper pot pregnant for Fadahunsi Ogunleye, a gardener in the service of the colonial government. The death of John Clapper and the genetic alteration of the child of destiny in white

skin as predicted by Ifa oracle saved Governor General Ray Chamberlain and her daughter, Nancy from shame and scandal.

Exodus of Gods is a literary recreation of the resilience and the survival of the spirituality of the Africans during the Trans-Atlantic slave trade.

It is a historical tale of deceptions, dominance, betrayal, love and perseverance during the slave trade and Christianity invasions.

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Anukili Ugaama : An Igbo Epic / Rems Umeasiegbu & F. Dibor  
Revised Edition

Enugu: CNC Publications, 2020  
112p.

Includes Bibliography  
9780223215 ; 9780223215009

\$ 10.00 / PB

86gm.

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Nest of Tales : An Anthology of Short Stories / ANA Lagos

Lagos: Tryspect Solutions, 2022

448p.

9789789987337

\$ 35.00 / PB

578gm.

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Son of the Soil and Other Stories / Uwem Umana

Nigeria : Uwem Mbot Umana, 2021

88p.

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\$ 15.00 / PB

86gm.

This collection is a continuation of Uwem's compilation of his life as a teacher and an ex-pat living in the city of Abu Dhabi. Uwem has brought into his writing, his detailed observation skills which have made him turn ordinary daily occurrences into extraordinary tales.

This volume features The Pearl by his daughter, Pearl Umana. The story The Pearl was first publicly read to a group of year 5 students at the British School, Al Khubairat, Abu Dhabi. It was warmly received and celebrated. This volume documents his experiences as a teacher and ex-pat – in the bare and untamed state.

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Selected Poems, 1965-2022 : A Retrospective / Wole Soyinka

Ibadan: Bookcraft, 2023

xviii, 190p.

9789785932577

\$ 30.00 / HB

478gm.

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African Poetry : Thesis to Antithesis to Synthesis / Dr. Godfrey Ngozi Ogbonna  
Erudite Series



Owerri: Tamtam Publishers/Graphics, 2022

vi, 166p.

9789780458423

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Leave of the Sun and Fields / Mature Tanko Okoduwa

Lagos: Mahogany Books, 2022

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9789789499717

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Insignificant Me, Eligible Me : A Collection of Poems / Damilola Owolabi

Lagos: Kawe Books, 2022

Viii, 92p.

9789789913664

\$ 25.00 / PB

122gm.

Thoughts drawn from scriptures and the author's personal experiences, an evolving odyssey in which nothing is completely strange... this poetry book of gems she picked up on her way takes us on a vibrant and transcendent journey through growth and healing, success and the illusions of it, perfection and using the "crystal clear" Word of God as a mirror.

Divided into six sections, Damilola Owolabi's debut collection, *Insignificant Me, Eligible Me*, is a journey of knowing, letting go and finding oneself again. A celebration of hope in all its forms.

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Being a Woman Being / AJ. Dagga Tolar

Lagos: Aj. House of poetry & Virgilis Communication, 2022

112p.

9783213474 ; 978321347404

\$ 25.00 / PB

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Of Shadows and Rainbows : Musings in Times of Covid : An Anthology of Poems, Plays, Short Stories and Essays / (Ed) Olu Obafemi & Folu Agoi

Ibadan: University Press PLC, 2022

xxii, 214p.

9789789409464

\$ 35.00 / PB

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Search For The Self / AJ. Dagga Tolar

Lagos: Aj. House of poetry & Virgilis Communication, 2022

xvi, 376p.

9783213407; 9783213407002

\$ 35.00 / PB

496gm.

In this new offering from Aj. Dagga Tolar, the poet locates the journey of matter to mind as the beginning of the poem, insisting that the poet on the road of life cannot become without a Search for the Self. Is life not a road unto itself for the gathering of the meaning of life even unto death? Can we bring ourselves to begin to know death when life remains largely yet not half explored and so many things unknown, so say the Chinese poet Confucius. It is why poetry is an art of life and for life. The poem is not an art engaged to lock self in a safe haven, free from the reach of the crazy world of crazy lords and the tyranny of mirrors and images of the dead past of "Self", outlawing others and their "Selves" from being. Rather it is a journey in search of the essence and elements of life, and the purpose of the self of life in one's hand through the chronicles of the dead poets' society to behold other journeys of the self into the full embrace of life and experiences as the sole purpose for the gathering of the meaning of words. The themes explored in this collection will make it out to be a collector's item for all poets and all who seek to penetrate life's meaning and essence.

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Wild Imperfections: An Anthology of Womanist Poems / Natialia Molebatsi

Abuja: Cassava Republic Press, 2021

224p.

9781913175252

\$ 29.95 / HB

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The Ashes Have Their Own Stories / Ayomide Fasedu

Nigeria: Ayomide Fasedu (Self-Published), 2022

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9789787907825

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166gm.

The Ashes Have Their Own Stories is a book about love, intimacy, heartbreak, femininity, loss, trauma, healing and the many ways this country has tried us. It faithfully explores these themes with a personal and social supply of experiential gravity that fishes out heavy stories from dark lonely corners. It is the New and Old Testament of Ayomide Fasedu making the transition from heavy to light, as she attempts to make a stable sense of a harsh lived experience for herself and others.

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Roses and Thorns: Shallow Words With Depths / Enare Abang

Nigeria: Enare Abang (Self-Published), 2022

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Echoes of My Heartbeat: A Collection of Poems and a Short Story / Akpoebi Nora Ojeke

Nigeria: TEBEBA Global Publishing Ltd., 2022

viii, 92p.

9789787947470

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Ebitari: + Twenty Five of Love's Unending Chapters / Ebizimo Arabina  
Nigeria: Ebizimo Arabina, 2022

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Chants of a Messenger Poet: A Collection of Poems / Chidiebere Enyia  
Owerri: Nation-Wyde Printers Ltd., 2019

xiv, 64p.

9780740174

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Incantations / Emeka Nwabueze  
Enugu: CNC Publications, 2022

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Home-Coming: A Play / Cheta Igbokwe  
Ibadan: Noirledge Publishing, 2022

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Merchants of Trouble / Olatunbosun Taofeek  
Lagos: Grecian Publisher, 2018

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The Red Price of Freedom / Tanko Okoduwa  
Lagos: Mahogany Books, 2023

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The Bubble Burst: Fiction / Femi Ibirogba  
Kraftgriots (Fiction) Series  
Ibadan: Kraft Books Limited, 2020  
128p.

9789789186426  
\$ 20.00 / PB  
156gm.

Janet Kuti and Sandra Omar are best friends. They are also students of the Open Air University. Both of them have to make firm decisions, in the course of bagging a law degree. These decisions will end up affecting them, for good or bad. What will happen to Janet and Sandra, in a world away from home? The author uses a very simple language, with rich expressions, profound imagery and well-developed character to describe and explore the realities of many of our higher institutions of learning: the hurdles, deceptions, crazes, pitfalls and many more. It is an eye-opening reading for young people and adults alike.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852701>

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Scores To Settle / Olukanni Olayinka  
Lagos: Origami (Parresia Publishers Ltd), 2022  
110p.  
9789785959772  
\$ 25.00 / PB  
158gm.

Being an orphan is not by choice but a life occurrence that is dreaded even by the strong, how much more seemingly helpless teenagers! SCORES TO SETTLE is a fictional story of strength in the face of damning situations, making the right choice even when one seems left with no option and holding unto one's positive ideals when everyone else differs. From a life of affluence to a life of abject poverty and homelessness, two orphan boys must sail through the turbulent life of adulthood even before coming of age. The novel speaks of dreams that go beyond sleep and the shining diamond that could come out of the rough. It is also about not being swayed in the face of consistent persuasiveness of evil because, at the end of it all, the brunt will be borne by no other but the individual.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852702>

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Promise Boys / Nick Brooks  
Lagos: Masobe, 2023  
304p.  
9781035003150  
\$ 25.00 / PB  
222gm.

**Nick Brook's** YA novel offers a contemporary take on the campus murder mystery, perfect for fans of Ace of Spades.

Set in a prestigious prep school, students J.B., Ramón and Trey must find out who killed the school's Principal in order to clear their own names. An exquisitely taut thriller that shines a glaring light on how the system too often condemns Black and Latinx teen boys to failure before they've even had a chance at success.

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The Class of Patrick: Golden Reunion in Notre Dame / Yeni Adebisi  
Lagos: Movida International Limited, 2021  
100p.  
9789785691177  
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Silver Lining: The Saga of an Orphan / Alieu Bundu  
Nigeria: Alieu Bundu (Self-Published), 2023  
256p.  
9798402186620  
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274gm.

Silver Lining tells the heart-wrenching traumatic story of an orphaned child named Alimu as he grows up in a country torn apart by a rebel war. When Alimu passes the National Primary School Examination, his father takes him to the city to live with an aunt, his father's only sister, to pursue his studies. His aunt, instead, subjects him to terrible mistreatment. After he falls apart with her, Alimu faces all the challenges life throws at him head-on until he achieves his dreams. Silver Lining is a story about family, love, loss, separation, war, friendship, faith, hope, courage and forgiveness.

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### Performing Arts

Fighting From The Trenches / Gowon Ama Doki, Emeka Nwosu & Olympus G. Ejue  
Awka: Society of Nigeria Theatre Artists (SONTA), 2019  
xviii, 570p. ; 25cm.  
Includes Index ; Bibliographical References  
9789789767007  
\$ 45.00 / PB  
950gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852706>

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In Our Own Words: The Colossal Strides of Emeka Nwabueze / (Eds) Uche-Chinemere Nwaozuzu, Canice Nwosu & Emeka Aniago  
Enugu: CNC Publications, 2021  
x, 418p.  
9780223525  
\$ 65.00 / HB  
872gm.

This book contains 42 chapters, variously exploring the literary polemics of Emeka Nwabueze. It provides practical, conceptual and theoretical insights for clearer understanding of dramatic compositions and trajectories of Nwabueze which will be useful in exploring similar creative literature by other playwrights.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852707>

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One Muse, Many Masks: Reflections on Ahmed Yerima's Recent Drama / (Ed) Gbemisola Adeoti  
Ibadan: Kraft Books Limited, 2021  
xxxviii, 398p.  
Includes Index  
9789789186891  
\$ 40.00 / PB  
548gm.

'One Muse, many masks: Reflections on Ahmed Yerima's recent drama,' edited by Professor Gbemisola Adeoti and published by Kraft Books, is a compendium of 17 critical essays by 17 scholars on various aspects of the literary works of Professor Ahmed Yerima – as well as an extensive interview with the dramatist by Professor Adeoti.

The publication covers over 30 plays, from Idemili, Akuabata, Little Drops, Odenigbo, Druggs, Queen Amina, Iyase, Abobaku to Muadin's Call and No Pennies for Mama. As noted by the author, Yerima, dramatist and former director of the National Troupe, is a major in Nigerian theatre and 'his concrete contributions to Nigerian dramatic literature have become subjects of doctoral and post-doctoral studies.' His books, Adeoti further noted, are being avidly discussed in conference papers, journal articles, book-length studies and others.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852708>

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A Study of Igbo Folk Songs / Richard C. Okafor  
Enugu: Esut Press, 2019  
xxxii, 348p.

Includes Index; Bibliography

9789789710614

\$ 65.00 / PB

636gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852709>

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Remembering Ola Rotimi – A Complete Man of the Theatre: Essays and Tributes / (Ed) Bisi Adigun  
Iwo, Osun State: Bowen University Press, 2022

xx, 110p.

Includes Index

9789787942581

\$ 35.00 / PB

250gm.

This book, without any shadow of doubt, is one of the most important significant outcomes of the webinar that was organised by the Theatre Arts Programme of Bowen University, Iwo on 18th August 2020 to commemorate the 20th anniversary of the death of Prof Olawale Gladstone Rotimi.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852710>

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### Politics/Current Affairs

Nigerian Political Life / Eze Prof. Ekwonwa M.O. & Onuoha Paschal

Nigeria: Lampawa Researchers, 2022

334p.

9782579449

\$ 35.00 / PB

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On Wings of Light: Reflections on Cybernetics, Africa and the Wider World / Michael Vickers

Ibadan: Pan-African University Press, 2015

viii, 194p.

Includes Index ; Select Bibliography

9781943533015

\$ 45.00 / PB

350gm.

As our world battles on from a Darkened past and an equally Dark present, a steady beam of Light persists. It is eternal and within the core Spirit of humankind. It has long sought full release; opening wide the flood-gates of Actuation, Inclusion and Life Engagement.

On Wings of Light declares this time has already arrived. Sharply accelerating transfigurative effects, it contends, are due to the advent of Cybernetics; the combined operation of Electronics and Communications in our modern world. Cybernetics not only brings Great Light to illuminate age-old Corridors of Darkness; it points mankind in the direction of a bright and promising Horizon Future. In the unfolding of this future, it maintains that Africa, with its vast lands, folk, resources, root Ethic of Light and increasing prominence, will play the determining role. Exploring relevant concepts, thoughts and perceptions; this work reflects on their meaning, significance and stimulus to practical research and activity.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852712>

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Democratic Rascality / Alabo T. O. Graham-Douglas

Lagos: Paperworth Books, 2020

212p.

9789789799886

\$ 55.00 / HB

608gm.

From 1999 to date our unique type of democracy has continuously evolved, albeit surreptitiously with the emerging generation of politicians unexperienced in the philosophies and technicalities of political discipline and practice. These politicians often have no formal political education and do not adhere to any code of conduct, with insufficient exposé to the rituals and kernels of our national constitution and ideal. Consequently, they have adopted approaches to political participation that have introduced aggressive rivalries, with an avid desperation to win elections at all cost. Thuggery, snatching ballot boxes and result sheets, and other such phenomena have become a common characteristic of elections all across the country. This book explores Nigerian's current political position, its evolution and its resultant eco-system through the prism of the Rivers State experience. It scrutinises political cultism and militancy in the state and beyond, the reaction by stakeholders in view of the political survival of the Nigerian democracy and the economic imperatives of restructuring our federation. Alabo T.O. Graham-Douglas has written a timely and important book about modern Nigerian politics and its effects on the larger society extrapolating on the prospects of the future of the nation. \*\*\* *Democratic Rascality is an exciting, exhilarating, informative, and educative book, worthy to be read by Nigerians, especially the youths of the Niger Delta Region, in order to appreciate the historical background of our people and the seeming future we are laying out for the next generation through our actions and inactions.* - **Chief Edwin Kiagbodo Clark OFR, CON**

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Institutions and Popular Will in Africa's Search for Democracy, Development and Peace : Essays in Honour of Professor Oyeleye Oyediran / (Eds) Babafemi Badejo, Adigun Agbaje & Cyril Obi

Ibadan: BookBuilders Editions Africa, 2023

xliv, 328p. ; 229x152mm.

Includes Index

9789789212378

\$ 45.00 / PB

624gm.

This Festschrift celebrates the life of the late Nigerian political scientist, Oyeleye Oyediran, a highly-respected scholar, who skillfully combined theory with praxis in the quest for Nigerian democracy. The essays in this volume are written by his former students, colleagues and associates, including foremost thinkers and analysts, reflecting on his contributions to scholarship,

the theory, histories, dynamics, institutions, processes and trends in politics, democracy, development and peace in Nigeria and Africa. These contributions address diverse themes, case studies and trends, ranging from the struggles for democracy and freedom, to the travails of federalism, the quest for accountability and inclusive governance and development, and analyses of regional and African frameworks and mechanisms for peace and security in a rapidly changing continental and global context. The essays in this volume eloquently bear testimony to the enduring nature of the issues that Oyediran's scholarship engaged with, but also go beyond these to succinctly capture the emerging challenges and prospects for democracy and peace in Africa.  
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852714>

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Nigeria's Aborted 3<sup>rd</sup> Republic and the June 12 Debacle: Reporters' Account / (Ed) Deba Uwadiae (et al.)

USA: Xlibris US, 2022

xxi, 224p.

9781669816638

\$ 35.00 / PB

386gm.

Let's be clear. "Nigeria's Aborted 3rd Republic and The June 12 Debacle: Reporters' Account" is by no means a definitive account of the controversial transition to civil rule programme of General Babangida or for that matter, that of the annulled June 12 presidential election. But it is a fascinating collection that reminds us about the forces that shaped the past and may be responsible for Nigeria's present dilemma.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852715>

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Transforming: The African Public Service / Tunji Olaopa

Ibadan: Pan-African University Press, 2017

xii, 236p.

9781943533251

\$ 30.00 / PB

406gm.

This volume is an attempt to consistently think through the reform of the public administration and public service dynamics that could serve as an institutional framework for reorienting Africa's postcolonial predicament. Africa has often been regarded, among other uncomplimentary epithets, as the most difficult administrative contexts in the world.

The failure of the public service in Africa is essentially the failure of the democratic experiment in Africa. The ten lectures gathered in this significant volume derive from the author's practical and intellectual involvement with public administration thinking on the continent including the articulation of the African Public Service Charter under the auspices of the African Union Commission. The essays are all united by a firm conviction that once the public/civil service in Africa fails, then all else has failed in terms of an infrastructural transformation of Africa that will make democratic governance a meaningful experiment for Africans. The volume therefore delivers a serious trajectory of how the African public service and administrative dynamics can leverage on global best practices and existing reform ideas to undermine the African predicament and install good governance for Africans. "...there is no one better positioned to take up the urgent task of fashioning the philosophical and intellectual enterprise crucial to the re-alignment of public service in Africa, which he superbly demonstrates throughout the pages of this book.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852716>

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Boko Haram: Pathways to a Solution / Dr Edozie Ezeife

Nigeria: Scribblecity Publications, 2022

viii, 323p.



Includes Bibliography  
9781913455347  
\$ 35.00 / PB  
488gm.

Boko Haram: Road Map to a Solution, takes a deep dive into the Boko Haram sect. It looks at the environment that allowed the sect to germinate and what drives the insurgency. It lays out the devastating impact of their activities in Nigeria and the neighboring countries. It finally proffer a solution, supplying a blueprint for containing and eventually eliminating the Boko Haram question.  
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Nigeria: A Country at the Precipice (The Ruling Class or Working Class to the Rescue?) / AJ. Dagga Tolar  
Lagos: Movement for a Socialist Alternative (MSA), 2022.  
xvi, 276p.  
9789787963821  
\$ 40.00 / PB  
400gm.  
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852718>

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A Pandemic Within A Pandemic: Gender-Based Violence and COVID 19 in Nigeria / Josephine Effah-Chukwukam & Glory Eteng Bassey  
Lagos: Project Alert on Violence Against Women, 2020  
Vi, 22p.  
9789785848038  
\$ 15.00 / PB  
50gm.  
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852719>

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Nigerian Local Government and Administration / Nwachukwu, S. & Ejiogu, C.  
Owerri, Imo State: Divine Favour Digital Concepts, 2021  
x, 210p.  
Includes Index ; Bibliography  
9789785579188  
\$ 45.00 / PB  
256gm.  
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852720>

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Soro Soke Generation: A Manifesto For An Ideological Revolution / Okeoghene Franklin Odibo  
Lagos: Bookola Imprints Ltd, 2023  
268p.  
9789787971352  
\$ 45.00 / PB  
280gm.

Here is a book containing striking ideas and notions powerful enough to re engineer the Nigerian dwarf and receding status and prescribe a guiding route to a failure state.  
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852721>

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The Master Key For Nigeria's Trouble / Barr. Chiakwa T.O.  
Enugu: Mercele Press, 2020  
xx, 308p.  
9789785603620

\$ 35.00 / PB  
406gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852722>

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### **Sociology/Culture Studies**

Niger Wives of Nigeria / (Ed) Pat Oyelola  
Ibadan: Safari Books Ltd, 2023  
xxvi, 398p. ; 229x152mm.

Includes Index  
9789785997910

\$ 55.00 / PB  
622gm.

Nigerwives of Nigeria documents the history, activities, experiences and lives of a group of foreign women who are married to Nigerian men and came together under the umbrella of their association, Nigerwives. Nigerwives was formed as an association to facilitate the smooth integration of foreign wives of Nigerians into Nigerian society, to provide friendship and support for one another, and to establish or assist in social projects that would benefit the Nigerian community.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852723>

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The Plight of Women (African Perspective) / Ronke Adepetu  
Ibadan: Straight-Gate Publishers Limited, 2022  
viii, 92p.

9789785922318

\$ 15.00 / PB  
136gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852724>

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Community Policing in Nigeria: Rationale, Principles and Practice / Emmanuel C. Onyeozili (et al.)  
Enugu: Fouth Dimension Publishing Company Ltd, 2021  
228p.

Includes Index  
9789782904461

\$ 40.00 / PB  
290gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852725>

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Nigerian Cultural Patterns and Historical Origin / Ezegbe, M.O., Ebebe, I.E. & Keke K.I.  
Nigeria: Ezegbe, M.O., Ebebe, I.E. & Keke K.I. (Self-Published), 2018  
x, 214p.

9789780457624

\$ 40.00 / PB  
240gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852726>

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### **Religion-Christianity**

Kingdom Dynamics: The Day of My Death / Femi Aribisala  
Lagos: Healing Wings, 2023

375p.  
978377559979  
\$ 38.00 / PB  
418gm.

What would you do if you discovered that the killer after your life is none other than your Saviour Jesus Christ?

"On 26 December 1993, armed robbers waylaid me on Lagos Airport road, and forcibly took my life. One of them fired his gun at me at point-blank range. The bullet pierced the body of my car, ripped into my body, and killed me. I bled to death right there by the roadside. Imagine my surprise when I later discovered that the killer after my life was no other than Jesus Christ, my Saviour.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852727>

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Some Solemnities Famous Feasts and Memorable Memorials with Proverbial Pastoral Pointers and Homiletic Highlights / Rev. Fr. Kris J. N. Owan  
Enugu: Kris J. N. Owan (Self-Published), 2020  
x, 206p.  
African Proverbial Wisdom Series, Volume 7  
\$ 35.00/ PB  
264gm.

As this volume stands, especially directed at Priests, Pastors and Preachers of all strata, indices that may just trigger off flashes of inspiration, apart from the Homiletic Highlights, might just be the African Proverb, the Concluding Concept, or the Notes, Quotes and Anecdotes, as the case may be. The amazing galaxy of saints here includes all walks of life and vocations, like martyrs, virgins, popes and other clergy, mystics, kings and queens and even ordinary men and women, both "ancient and modern" among them. It has just been impossible to include some of the very latest of our saints in this volume, for obvious reasons. The few saints presented here and those to follow in subsequent volumes, emphasize their generous surrender to God's love as they followed the path of their Master and Exemplar, Jesus' total self-gift and self-emptiness (kenosis). The Church recognizes these Saints, par excellence, as heroes and heroines worthy to be eternally held up for inspiration and direction of us all, even in the different contexts and cultures of our Twenty First Century.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852728>

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### Books in Igbo

Omenala Igbo Ga-adi / Nwizu P.C.; Chibundu, V.C.; Onwujaliri, O.I.  
Owerri-Imo State : Hysab Printers & Publishers, 2021  
248p.  
9789785783471  
In Igbo  
\$ 30.00 / PB  
300gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852729>

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Mbawanye Mmuta Asusu Igbo / Nwizu, P.C. ; Obiakor E.E.; Egonu, N.G.  
Owerri-Imo State : Hysab Printers & Publishers, 2021  
Xv, 240p.  
9789785180368  
In Igbo

\$ 30.00 / PB  
300gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852730>

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Obianuju / Pauline Chinasa Nwizu  
Owerri-Imo State : Hysab Printers & Publishers, 2018  
Iv, 102p.  
9789785575293

In Igbo

\$ 20.00 / PB

100gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852731>

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Mgbaajara (Akwukwo Abu) / Nke si n'aka Chukwuneke Law. Okoro et. al.  
Imo State : Trumpeters Concept, 2021  
119p.

9789785592344

In Igbo

\$ 12.00 / PB

150gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852732>

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Ije Ego Uwa : Akuko A Roro Aro / Nke Si N'aka Chukwuneke Law. Okoro  
Imo State : Trumpeters Concept, 2021  
80p.

9789785592337

In Igbo

\$ 12.00 / PB

120gm.

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Ngwere Tugbuo Anu N'Ogu... / Nke si n'aka Maazi Ben Igbokwe  
Nigeria: Ascon Publishers, 2020  
56p.

9789785724621

In Igbo

\$ 10.00 / PB

100gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=852734>

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