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Not By Genes Alone University of Chicago Press

The understanding of deviant behavior is rapidly evolving in the 21st century. For this reason, a global perspective we on emerging forms of deviant behavior is essential. Authored by two well-known educators on the subject, *Deviant Behavior, Second Edition* provides the foundation necessary to understand the impact of globalization on traditional and emerging forms of deviance. The text discusses what deviant behavior is around the world, including the circumstances, patterns, and sociocultural characteristics of persons involved in deviant acts. It also examines why and how deviant acts occur—the precipitants of deviant behavior and the social processes that result in defining certain acts as deviant. -This innovative text explores topics such as positive deviance, cyber deviance, terrorism, white-collar crime, mental illness, and extreme forms of everyday behavior: working, exercise, and computer use. -Theoretical explanations of deviant behavior and substantive information are integrated in a clear, concise, and readily understandable way. -Chapter discussions aim toward the creation of an interactive community to explore deviant behaviors across sociocultural settings within the United States and around the world. -Learning objectives, chapter summaries, critical thinking questions, web links, and a glossary of key concepts are provided in every chapter. -Each chapter begins with a portrait of deviance that focuses the student's attention on the substantive issues addressed. -At A Glance sections summarize key facts about the form of deviance being considered. -Includes boxes that highlight

key empirical findings, case narratives that illustrate particular aspects of deviant behavior, or summaries of important theoretical perspectives. - Instructor's resources include an instructor's manual, TestBank, and Microsoft® PowerPoint® slides.

Gone Missing Independently Published

A Plain and Simple Heart, an exciting new Amish-meets-Wild West adventure from bestselling authors Lori Copeland and Virginia Smith, weaves an entertaining and romantic tale for devoted fans and new readers. 1884—Several years earlier, young Rebecca Switzer lost her heart to Jesse Montgomery, a rugged but dissolute cowboy on a dusty cattle trail near the Amish settlement of Apple Grove. Now she is grown up, and when she hears one day that he has been spotted nearby, her desire is plain and simple: She must see him. Sheriff Colin Maddox is counting the days until he can leave law enforcement and follow his dream of starting a church. When a lovely woman, new to town and looking travel weary and a bit lost, gets caught up in the middle of a temperance riot, she is arrested along with the leaders. He can hardly believe she is what she claims—a Plain and simple woman. Nor can he believe how quickly he loses his heart to her. Can Colin convince her to forget Jesse and give him a chance?

Millie's Amish Choice Clean Wholesome Books

In *The Founding Fortunes*, historian Tom Shachtman reveals the ways in which a dozen notable Revolutionaries deeply affected the finances and birth of the new country while making and losing their fortunes. While history teaches that successful revolutions depend on participation by the common man, the establishment of a stable and independent United States first required wealthy colonials uniting to disrupt the very system that had enriched them, and then funding a very long war. While some fortunes were made during the war at the expense of the poor, many of the wealthy

embraced the goal of obtaining for their poorer countrymen an unprecedented equality of opportunity, along with independence. In addition to nuanced views of the well-known wealthy such as Robert Morris and John Hancock, and of the less wealthy but influential Alexander Hamilton, *The Founding Fortunes* offers insight into the contributions of those often overlooked by popular history: Henry Laurens, the plantation owner who replaced Hancock as President of Congress; pioneering businessmen William Bingham, Jeremiah Wadsworth, and Stephen Girard; privateer magnate Elias Hasket Derby; and Hamilton's successors at Treasury, Oliver Wolcott, Jr. and Albert Gallatin. The Founders dealt with tariffs, taxes on the wealthy, the national debt, regional disparities, the census as it affected finances, and how much of what America needs should be manufactured at home in ways that remain startlingly relevant. Revelatory and insightful, *The Founding Fortunes* provides a riveting history of economic patriotism that still resonates today.

Growing Up Amish Tyndale House Publishers, Inc.

Winner of a 2013 American Educational Studies Association Critics' Choice Award Drawing on conversations with hundreds of professors, co-curricular educators, administrators, and students from institutions spanning the entire spectrum of American colleges and universities, the Jacobsens illustrate how religion is constructively intertwined with the work of higher education in the twenty-first century. No Longer Invisible documents how, after decades when religion was marginalized, colleges and universities are re-engaging matters of faith—an educational development that is both positive and necessary. Religion in contemporary American life is now incredibly complex, with religious pluralism on the rise and the categories of "religious" and "secular" often blending together in a dizzying array of lifestyles and beliefs. Using the categories of historic religion, public religion, and personal religion, *No Longer Invisible* offers a new framework for understanding this emerging religious terrain, a framework that can help colleges and universities—and the students who attend them—interact with religion more effectively. The stakes are high: Faced with escalating pressures to focus solely on job training, American higher education may find that paying more careful and nuanced attention to religion is a prerequisite for preserving American higher education's longstanding commitment to personal, social, and civic learning.

[From Rumspringa to Marriage](#) Tattie Maggard

Authoritative, informative, and illustrated, this guide provides a vivid introduction to a way of life many find fascinating but few truly understand.

[Amish Christmas Memories](#) Keira Andrews

Americans today have a love/hate relationship with France, but in *How the French Saved America* Tom Shachtman shows that without France, there might not be a United States of America. To the rebelling colonies, French assistance made the difference between looming defeat and eventual triumph. Even before the Declaration of Independence was issued, King Louis XVI and French foreign minister Vergennes were aiding the rebels. After the Declaration, that assistance broadened to include wages for our troops; guns, cannon, and ammunition; engineering expertise that enabled victories and prevented defeats; diplomatic recognition; safe havens for privateers; battlefield leadership by veteran officers; and the army and fleet that made possible the Franco-American victory at Yorktown. Nearly ten percent of those who fought and died for the American cause were French. Those who fought and survived, in addition to the well-known Lafayette and Rochambeau, include François de Fleury, who won a Congressional Medal for valor, Louis Duportail, who founded the Army Corps of Engineers, and Admiral de Grasse, whose sea victory sealed the fate of Yorktown. This illuminating narrative history vividly captures the outsize characters of our European brothers, their battlefield and diplomatic bonds and clashes with Americans, and the monumental role they played in America's fight for independence and democracy.

[A World Away](#) Oxford University Press

From your Favorite Best Selling Clean Amish Romance Author Ruth Bawell...Opal Miller has traveled to live with her aunt and uncle during her Rumspringa, but she is not terribly happy about it. She is not looking forward to her Rumspringa, and is sure she belongs with her Amish community. But when she meets Samuel King, Opal decides maybe things in Pinewood Valley won't be so bad. Determined to embrace her Rumspringa experience, Opal tries to play along, even wearing Englischer clothes and going out with friends. She's not sure the outsider life will suit her, but she is willing to take a chance. But when her chance-taking leads her to an unfortunate chance encounter, Opal is devastated. Has she lost the one opportunity she had to find true love, and live the life she truly desires?

The Amish Way Rumspringa

Three delightful cozy mysteries in this USA Today Bestseller. Middle age was never so much fun - if you don't count the murders. When her husband of thirty years runs off with a college student named Cherri, Jane Delight returns to Pennsylvania to work in her Amish sister's cupcake store. Having lost everything in the divorce, Jane now finds herself sharing an apartment with two feisty octogenarians and their quirky cat. Mr. Crumbles. But there is no time to despair. A man is murdered in the cupcake store, and now Jane is the prime suspect. Enter brooding detective Damon McCloud, a Scot with a tragic past and a desire for justice. Can Jane solve the murder, wrangle her new roommates, and stop herself from falling for the detective? Or will she never get her new life on track? In this bestselling cozy mystery Box Set: 1. True Confections 2. Previous Confections 3. Confection is Good for the Soul

True Confections: An Amish Cupcake Cozy Mystery Minotaur Books

Can the world change a person? The woman of the house since her mueter died at age eleven, Elizabeth Shetler dreams of being independent—or at least safely away from her abusive vater. When she overhears a group of youth planning to move to Asheville, Missouri for Rumspringa, Elizabeth begs to tag along as housekeeper. She, too, is curious about the world beyond Swan Creek Settlement, but will she and the others learn even more about themselves?

An Amish Rumspringa JHU Press

Rumspringa literally translates into Running around which is a tradition in the Amish community that resides in Modern America. A conservative community, that stays in the new world without electricity or cars. Rumspringa is a period when young Amish coming off age are allowed to explore the non Amish world. An Indian guy from the City of dreams, lands up in New York for a visit to his sister. Little does he know what New York has in store for him? He befriends an attractive girl on the trip and ends up in her private space 86 floors up in the sky at the Empire State building. Love at first sight, New York cruise, fun at Times square, bar trips, three meetings and after a sensual date later; she disappears leaving him with nothing but

a letter. Guided by three crazy friends he leaves on a quest to hear the three most important words for him 'I love you'. The journey takes him from New York City to Lancaster County in search of this girl who he knows nothing about except her first name. He experiences his own period of Running around in search of this mysterious girl. The journey is about a tug of war between Jesus and Krishna, dreams and practicality, chances and coincidences, friends and family and above all finding love. Do they live happily ever after???

A Forbidden Rumspringa Macmillan

A Washington Post Notable Book of the Year A New York Times Book Review Editors' Choice An award-winning constitutional law scholar at the University of Chicago (who clerked for Judge Merrick B. Garland, Justice Stephen Breyer, and Justice Sandra Day O'Connor) gives us an engaging and alarming book that aims to vindicate the rights of public school students, which have so often been undermined by the Supreme Court in recent decades. Judicial decisions assessing the constitutional rights of students in the nation's public schools have consistently generated bitter controversy. From racial segregation to unauthorized immigration, from antiwar protests to compulsory flag salutes, from economic inequality to teacher-led prayer—these are but a few of the cultural anxieties dividing American society that the Supreme Court has addressed in elementary and secondary schools. *The Schoolhouse Gate* gives a fresh, lucid, and provocative account of the historic legal battles waged over education and illuminates contemporary disputes that continue to fracture the nation. Justin Driver maintains that since the 1970s the Supreme Court has regularly abdicated its responsibility for protecting students' constitutional rights and risked transforming public schools into Constitution-free zones. Students deriving lessons about citizenship from the Court's decisions in recent decades would conclude that the following actions taken by educators pass constitutional muster: inflicting severe corporal punishment on students without any procedural protections, searching students and their possessions without probable cause in bids to uncover violations of school rules, random drug testing of students who are not suspected of wrongdoing, and suppressing student speech for the viewpoint it espouses. Taking their cue from such decisions, lower courts have upheld a wide array of dubious school actions, including degrading strip searches, repressive dress codes, draconian "zero tolerance" disciplinary policies, and severe restrictions on off-campus speech. Driver surveys this legal landscape with eloquence, highlights the gripping personal narratives behind landmark clashes, and warns that the repeated failure to honor students' rights threatens our basic constitutional order. This magisterial book will make it impossible to view American schools—or America itself—in the same way again.

[The Amish](#) Ka Books

For an Amish girl on rumspringa, living in the big city seems like the most exciting adventure. Joanne is young, and she wants to pursue her dreams of working with clothing and fashion. Although she would never dare step outside her Amish faith, she is using rumspringa as a chance to experience the world. She gets a job in the theater as a wardrobe assistant. There she meets Jonah, a young Amish man who builds historic looking furniture for the theater. Joanne did not come all this way just to meet someone Amish, but she finds herself falling for Jonah. Christmas is her deadline; the end of rumspringa when she must make a choice to return to the Amish community or live in the English world. Jonah never valued rumspringa. He saw himself as better than that. But he harbors another secret reason. When a close friend falls ill, the pair are thrown together, and Jonah realizes Joanne is more than she appears to be. The attraction is mutual. Difficult choices face both Joanne and Jonah. Will their growing relationship withstand the temptations of the English world?

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God Bless America lifts the veil on strange and unusual religious beliefs and practices in the modern-day United States. Do Satanists really sacrifice babies? Do exorcisms involve swearing and spinning heads? Are the Amish allowed to drive cars and use computers? Taking a close look at snake handling, new age spirituality, Santeria spells, and satanic rituals, this book offers more than mere armchair research, taking you to an exorcism and a polygamist compound—and allowing you to sit among the beards and bonnets in a Mennonite church and to hear L. Ron Hubbard's stories told as sermons during a Scientology service. From the Amish to Voodoo, the beliefs and practices explored in this book may be unorthodox—and often dangerous—but they are always fascinating. While some of them are dying out, and others are gaining popularity with a modern audience, all offer insight into the future of religion in the United States—and remind that fact is often stranger than fiction.

[Rumspringa](#) St. Martin's Press

Linda Castillo's bestselling series has been called "gripping" [People] and "impossible to put down" [Bookpage] and the "teeth chattering suspense" [USA Today] continues with *GONE MISSING*—a deeply chilling novel about a rite of passage gone horribly wrong. Rumspringa is the time when Amish teens are allowed to experience life without the rules. It's an exciting time of personal discovery and growth before committing to the church. But when a young teen disappears without a trace, the carefree fun comes to an abrupt and sinister end, and fear spreads through the community like a contagion. A missing child is a nightmare to all parents, and never more so than in the Amish community, where family ties run deep. When the search for the presumed runaway turns up a dead body, the case quickly becomes a murder investigation. And chief of Police Kate Burkholder knows that in order to solve this case she will have to call upon everything she has to give not only as a cop, but as a woman whose own Amish roots run deep. Kate and state agent, John Tomasetti, delve into the lives of the missing teen and discover links to cold cases that may go back years. But will Kate piece together all the parts of this sinister puzzle in time to save the missing teen and the Amish community from a devastating fate? Or will she find herself locked in a fight to the death with a merciless killer?

[God Bless America](#) Baker Books

Katrina Yoder loves to sing, but her Amish parents view singing as vainglory and a sin. Katrina's best friend, Bekka, is convinced Katrina should try out for American Star, a televised singing competition that Bekka has been secretly watching. Katrina resists the temptation until her father's health worsens. He desperately needs a surgery the family cannot afford. Katrina decides she must go against her parents' wishes to win the money needed to help her father. But how will she handle herself as an Amish teenager out in the world? Teen girls will be swept into the excitement as Katrina ventures out of her quiet Amish world to become a reality television star. Will she be successful? And will she be accepted back into her community when it's over?

[The Schoolhouse Gate](#) JHU Press

Sometimes love doesn't play by the rules. Rebecca Lapp is a devout follower of her Amish faith and a firm believer in the Ordnung, the set of rules that govern her life in the tiny Pennsylvania town she calls home. When she meets Dylan Mahoney, however, the rules go out the window. During Rebecca's rumspringa—the four-year period during which Amish teenagers decide whether to join the church or leave it for the outside world—Dylan, a film buff and aspiring movie critic, shows Rebecca a world she never dreamed of. The pair make plans to spend the rest of their lives together until a rift forms between their families and forces them to part ways. After much soul-searching, Rebecca decides familial loyalty is more important than her own happiness. But when her feelings for Dylan threaten to overwhelm her, Rebecca's loyalty is put to the test. Love or tradition? Which path will she choose?

Snowbirds St. Martin's Press

When two young Amish men find love, will they risk losing everything? In a world where every detail of life—down to the width of a hat brim—is dictated by God and the all-powerful rules of the community, two men dare to imagine a different way. At 18, Isaac Byler knows little outside the strict Amish settlement of Zebulon, Minnesota, where there is no rumspringa for exploration beyond the boundaries of their insular world. Isaac knows he'll have to officially join the church and find a wife before too long, but he yearns for something else—something he can't name. Dark tragedy has left carpenter David Lantz alone to support his mother and sisters, and he can't put off joining the church any longer. But when he takes on Isaac as an apprentice, their attraction grows amid the sweat and sawdust. David shares his sinful secrets, and he and Isaac struggle to reconcile their shocking desires with their commitment to faith, family and community. Now that they've found each other, are they willing to lose it all? Note: Contains explicit sexual situations and graphic language. This is not an inspirational/Christian romance.

The Hallowed Ones Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

An anthology of Amish stories of young people growing up during and after their Rumspringa. MILLIE'S AMISH CHOICE A teenage girl sat in the crowded theatre watching a play unfold about the story of Ruth and Boaz. She gasped in wonder as an angel soared just beneath the ceiling, as actors in exotic Biblical costumes poured out their emotion in song and fell to their knees. She did not dare to look away for an instant although she knew the storyline by heart. She cried when the story grew mournful and clapped when it ended well. Her name was Millie, she was seventeen and she was not supposed to be here. The bishop in her Amish community would have never allowed it. Neither would her parents. When she stepped out into the

sunlight, she felt like she had changed within an hour. She wanted to work in this theatre someday. She was absolutely certain. THE SHY AMISH MAN Rebecca is a shy Amish spinster that everyone tries to play matchmaker for. Her other two sisters are already married and she begins to feel the pressure to find someone by everyone close to her. She is set up with some perfectly eligible men in the community but Rebecca turns them down. Why? Because she secretly has a crush on a handsome young man who visits her bakery every morning. The problem is that he seems even more shy than she is. Can she break out of her shell and break the ice with him? SUSAN'S RUMSPRINGA Amish girl Susan runs into all kinds of trouble as she begins his Rumspringa. Her antics make her into a social media sensation and she catches the eye of a handsome Englishman named Robert. But word gets back to her mother about her exploits during Rumspringa and she is immediately called back home. Will Susan stay and enjoy her newfound freedom or will she return home to the community that raised her? MY AMISH ROOTS When Hayley Jones decides to leave everything behind and research her past, she finds herself in the midst of an Amish community. It is the last place she would ever have expected to find herself, but when she meets Duncan Beiler, she finds it easy to remain in her new surroundings. When Duncan lays eyes on Hayley Jones, he, for the first time realizes just why some of his best friends decided a Rumspringa was a good idea. After years of vowing to keep himself pure for the right woman, he realizes that Hayley Jones just may be that person. But will the great divide between their two cultures be too much to overcome? AMISH CREEK Jacob is an Amish man who feels envious after both of his brother's have gotten married. His attitude changes after he has a chance encounter with Grace, his lost love from his teen years. Grace is trying to rejoin the community after years of living in the big city. Can he convince the Bishop to let her back and win her heart as well? REBECCA'S RUMSPRINGA Rebecca is an oddity in that she isn't looking forward to her Rumspringa at all. She knows what she wants out of life. She wants to stay in the Amish community, get married and raise a family. She already knows the man she wants to marry but her parents want to stay true to their Amish tradition and allow her to experience Rumspringa. But what Rebecca didn't anticipate was her fiancée going on his own Rumspringa...and living it up...When she hears of his exploits will she still want to marry him?

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