

REVIEWS



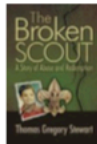
**Survivor**  
Duane Miller/Discovery House  
p \$12.99 ISBN: 9781627075961

In a narrative that never diverts from the main story, Miller, a second-time author, tells of an unbelievable and preventable tragedy: his guilt for causing the Christian camp boating accident that killed three friends. His self-loathing and ultimately his reliance on his faith turn this tragedy into a spiritual triumph.

Miller's journey is so human readers can relate on the most primal level. Having guilt and admitting it—"owning it"—are two different things. His unflinching telling of this story, which often casts him in the worst light, is gut-wrenching. It has to be.

Without that empathy, the lessons learned and taught have little value. It makes the reader appreciate the spiritual faith we need to admit our sins then ask God for forgiveness.

—Vince Lovato



**The Broken Scout** (Redemption Press, p, \$16.99, ISBN: 9781683140115) is Tom Stewart's story of surviving abuse, pursuing justice, and relying on God.



New from Discovery House, **Dangerous Territory** (p, \$13.99, ISBN: 9781627075978) tells Amy Peterson's personal journey from adventurer to questioning believer to simply being a child of God.



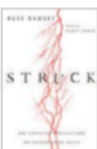
**Go West** by Jeremy Sparks (Elevate, p, \$16.99, ISBN: 9780996465595) highlights the 10 biblical principles that he learned, experienced, and lived by as a professional bullfighter, an officer in the armed forces, and a follower of Jesus Christ.



**An Outlaw and a Lady** by Jessie Colter (Nelson Books, c, \$26.99, ISBN: 9780718082970) shares a behind-the-scenes look at the life of Colter and musician Waylon Jennings. Amid the ups and downs, she prayed for her husband until he found Jesus, just months before he died.



**Reclaiming Hope** by Michael Wear (Nelson Books, c, \$25.99, ISBN: 9780718082321) is a memoir of the Obama administration and a call for faith in the public square, particularly for Christians to see politics as a means of loving one's neighbor.



In **Struck** (IVP Books, p, \$16, ISBN: 9780830844944), Russ Ramsey faced a serious medical condition and came to see the world through the eyes of affliction. This memoir recounts the serious questions he wrestled with and the grace that gave him hope.



**Unscripted** by Ernie Johnson Jr. (Baker Books, c, \$24.99, ISBN: 9780801074103) tells behind-the-scenes stories from TNT's *Inside the NBA* and Johnson's raising a special-needs child from Romania.



**Unshackled** (Emerge Publishing, c, \$19.99, ISBN: 9781943127436) shares the story of Gene McGuire who spent most of his adulthood incarcerated for a crime he didn't commit. Foreword by evangelist Greg Laurie.



**Taking Back My Life**  
Rebekah Gregory/Revell  
c \$19.99 ISBN: 9780800728212

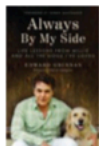
On April 15, 2013, Gregory was in Boston to cheer on a friend running in the Boston Marathon. When the bomb went off, she and her son, Noah, were in the direct path. Fortunately, Noah wasn't badly injured, but Gregory's legs were shredded, and she had shrapnel punctures all over her body.

Once the hunt for the Boston bombers ended, most of the world went back to their daily lives. But for Gregory, life would never again be the same. With great determination and faith in God, she resolved to take her life back. She has overcome one surgery after another, moved on after the loss of her marriage and found new opportunities to encourage others who have experienced similar trauma.

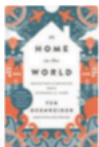
After extensive training with her prosthesis, Gregory ran the last 3.2 miles of the Boston Marathon just two years after the horrific bombing. She is a champion who won't let terrorists have the last word.

—Carol Chapman Stertzler

NEW RELEASES



Howard Books releases **Always by My Side** by *Guideposts* editor-in-chief Edward Grinnan (c, \$24.99, ISBN: 9781501156380), an account of how his dog taught him to be a better person, deepened his faith, and inspired him in his recovery from addiction.



**At Home in the World** by TSH Oxenreider (Nelson Books, c, \$22.99, ISBN: 9781400205592) chronicles her family's travels around the world and how she found peace in the places she called home.