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How to Be a Porn Star Kelli Roberts 2015-09-17 Use the author's 20 years of experience in the adult industry to find out everything you ever needed to know about how to actually become a porn star (both males and females). This book covers how to pick a name, how to get an agent and even important information on how to build your brand once you get into the industry.

The Velvet Rose Susan Holmes McKagan 2022-10-21 In the early nineties, Scarlet, a painter and high fashion model, finds herself working in some of the world's most famous fashion capitals. As her adventure continues, she meets Johnny of The Westies, an up-and-coming band on the cusp of superstardom. What ensues is an unhinged ride of a novel following the audacious lead female protagonist as she navigates her life through fame, addiction, infidelity, and all the ups and downs of dating a legendary musician from one of the biggest rock bands in history. A riveting and heartfelt journey of figuring out one's own path and championing that aspect to finding their dreams. Rich in spirit and relatable for all those who have ever had the courage to chase their dreams and pursue an unconventional path in this glorious world. A page-turner, frequently injected with laugh-out-loud humor, front row seat of fun debut that is being heralded as the earnest generation of authenticity of a nineties voyage, Susan Holmes McKagan shines in *The Velvet Rose*.

The Last of the Live Nude Girls Sheila McClear 2011-07-25 A "eye-opening, gritty, and compelling" memoir by one of New York City's last Times Square peep show girls (*The Paris Review Online*). In 2006, Gotham City Video was among the last of its kind where, breathing in a cocktail of Pine-Sol and Windex, a man paid \$40 to watch a girl strip naked behind glass. These fantasy lands, left over from the days when 42nd Street was the center of vice, eventually disappeared from the rapidly gentrifying city, their stories lost forever. Not those of tenderloin grinder, Sheila McClear. Pulling back the curtain on the little-documented world of the peeps, her "ribald . . . memorable and highly relevant" (*The Daily Beast*) reflection is "both a eulogy and a paean to the freaks and misfits who have long given their souls to the city" (*Matthew Gallaway*, author of *The Metropolis Case*). A late bloomer from small-town Michigan, Sheila arrived in New York as a struggling actress and soon found herself adrift. Borderline homeless, and crashing with friends, she finally got steady work that paid the rent—as a stripper along the triple-x stretch of Eighth Avenue. When Times Square seeped into her blood, she ended up staying much longer than she imagined. The story she tells is not just of her own coming-of-age, it's a "sharp, sweetly personal . . . fascinating and honest" narrative of modern life on the fringes of society in New York City (*Mark Jacobson*, author of *Pale Horse Rider*).

Eat Hell Joseph Mattson 2008-10-01 *EAT HELL* collects three wrenching and funny stories by LA-based author Joseph Mattson.

What Purpose Did I Serve in Your Life Marie Calloway 2013 By the author of "Adrien Brody," the controversial Internet piece, Marie Calloway effaces the boundary between life and narrative.

Getting Off Erica Garza 2018-01-09 "Erica Garza has written a riveting, can't-look-away memoir of a life lived hardcore...In an era when predatory male sexual behavior has finally become a topic of urgent national discourse...Getting Off makes for a wild, timely read" (*Elle*). A fixation on porn and orgasm, strings of failed relationships and serial hook-ups with strangers, inevitable blackouts to blunt the shame—these are not things we often hear women share publicly, and not with the candor, eloquence, and introspection Erica Garza brings to *Getting Off*. What sets this courageous and riveting account apart from your typical misery memoir is the absence of any

precipitating trauma beyond the garden variety of hurt we've all had to endure in simply becoming a person—reckoning with family, learning to be social, integrating what it means to be sexual. Whatever tenor of violence or abuse Erica's life took on through her behavior was of her own making, fueled by fear, guilt, self-loathing, self-pity, loneliness, and the hopelessness those feelings brought on as she runs from one side of the world to the other in an effort to break her habits—from East Los Angeles to Hawaii and Southeast Asia, through the brothels of Bangkok and the yoga studios of Bali to disappointing stabs at therapy and twelve-steps back home. In these remarkable pages, Garza draws an evocative, studied portrait of the anxiety that fuels her obsessions, as well as the exhilaration and hope she begins to feel when she suspects she might be free of them. *Getting Off* offers a brave and necessary voice to our evolving conversations about addiction and the impact that internet culture has had on us all—"a profoundly genuine, gripping story that any reader can appreciate" (*Vice*). "In reading Garza's insight into her own experiences, we better understand ourselves" (*The New York Times Book Review*).

Addicted to Lust Samuel L. Perry 2019-04-02 Few cultural issues alarm conservative Protestant families and communities like the seemingly ubiquitous threat of pornography. Thanks to widespread access to the internet, conservative Protestants now face a reality in which every Christian man, woman, and child with a smartphone can access limitless pornography in their bathroom, at work, or at a friend's sleepover. Once confident of their victory over pornography in society at large, conservative Protestants now fear that "porn addiction" is consuming even the most faithful. How are they adjusting to this new reality? And what are its consequences in their lives? Drawing on over 130 interviews as well as numerous national surveys, *Addicted to Lust* shows that, compared to other Americans, pornography shapes the lives of conservative Protestants in ways that are uniquely damaging to their mental health, spiritual lives, and intimate relationships. Samuel L. Perry demonstrates how certain pervasive beliefs within the conservative Protestant subculture unwittingly create a context in which those who use pornography are often overwhelmed with shame and discouragement, sometimes to the point of depression or withdrawal from faith altogether. Conservative Protestant women who use pornography feel a "double shame" both for sinning sexually and for sinning "like a man," while conflicts over pornography in marriages are escalated by patterns of lying, hiding, blowing up, or threats of divorce. *Addicted to Lust* shines new light on one of the most talked-about problems facing conservative Christians.

Happy Endings Bella Green 2021-06-29 Bella Green is a Sunday-afternoon sex worker. Divorced dads, IT nerds, international students - she's here for the idiosyncrasies of human behaviour, for soothing the lonely. But really for the cash. From an entrepreneurial kid to a young woman trying to find herself (and desperate to stay out of call centres), Bella started sex work for the glamour and the taboo. Instead, she found her place in this surprisingly mundane and often entertaining industry, where the hierarchy is strict, the names are fake, and spare towels always come in handy. Taking us on a funny, candid, can't-look-away journey through brothels, strip clubs, peep shows and dominatrix dungeons, *Happy Endings* is a hilarious and compelling memoir from a bright and bold new Australian voice. Praise for Bella Green 'Authentic, hilarious, and uplifting.' *WeekendNotes* 'No holds barred ... Smart as a whip ... Green's the real deal who wants everyone to get their happy ending.' *The Advertiser* (Adelaide) 'A brilliant stand-up comedian.' *Wil Anderson* 'The voice modern comedy needs.' *DeAnne Smith*

Rated X Maitland Ward 2022-09-06 An empowering, sex-positive, behind-the-scenes look at both Hollywood and the porn industry in this celebrity memoir unlike any other. Perfect for fans of *Pleasure Activism* and *How to Make Love Like a Porn Star*. Maitland Ward got her start in acting as a teenager when she was cast in *The Bold and the Beautiful*, but it wasn't until she joined the later seasons of the sitcom *Boy Meets World* that she got her first taste of fame. As the loveable, sexy (but not too sexy) co-ed Rachel McGuire, Ward soon found herself being typecast as the good girl next door and was repeatedly denied darker, more intriguing roles. So she made a career change—one that required her to turn away from the Disney universe—and eventually established herself as one of the most-respected actresses in the porn industry today. Now, Ward reveals the ups and downs of her fascinating career, including personal stories from her time on one of the most beloved shows of the 1990s, in this anything but a run-of-the-mill memoir. By showing Hollywood and triple-X stardom in a whole new light, she offers a fresh and stirring perspective on the sex industry. Ultimately a story of hope and triumph, *Rated X* is a sharp and provocative look at a former Disney princess who found her fairy tale in porn.

Traci Lords: Underneath It All Traci Lords 2013-04-30 The moving, gripping, and tell-all autobiography of Traci Elizabeth Lords, a former child porn queen, electronica maven, and cult movie and TV star. At 14, Nora Kuzma ran away from home and ended up on the dirty streets of Hollywood. She fell in with a fast crowd, and her dreams of modelling soon landed her a spectacular centrefold in *Penthouse Magazine*, where at 15 she became internationally known as TRACI LORDS. From there she appeared in numerous adult films and magazines, denying her past and battling a deep addiction to cocaine and men. Three years later she got out. This is her memoir—a tale of loss, redemption, and ultimate survival as Traci Elizabeth Lords takes you into her secretive past, faces her demons, and shares her extraordinary journey of personal growth.

The Diary of a Porn Star by Priscilla Wriston-Ranger David Mamet 2019-12-03 What if a vapid porn star held the key to impeaching the President of the United States? This is her story. "My frank and loving reminiscence of a life in the hermetic world of Adult Film." A lifetime of success in the world of Adult Entertainment brought Miss Wriston-Ranger (Leafy) into close contact with the great and near-great of the world, spanning across six continents. She now takes us behind the scenes to mingle with politicians, artists, financiers, and even dictators, at their most unguarded. "Like the prospectors of the Yukon, we have learned that artistic gold may be discovered in the least likely of places. I love this book."—Cynthia Franton, Dawson Morning Radio, "Let's Talk About Books" "Like those fantasy flavors so beloved of the Food Trade—the mixture of two common and identifiable ingredients occasioning new culinary experience untraceable to its roots—the combined, though widely disparate, experiences and intuitions of Miss Wriston-Ranger's life create an indefinable delight in the reader."—Joyce Rogers, SPOONREST "Like Huysmans's *À rebours*, and Colette's *Le Pur et l'Impur*, and not unlike the poems of Verlaine and Rimbaud, Miss Wriston-Ranger reveals to us the inner cohesiveness of previously unsuspected aspects of our common world."—"Metro," *La Semaine Littéraire* "A knockout."—Chris Pullington, Morning Radio, "Spokane Likes to Read"

Confessions of the Hundred Hottest Porn Stars Lainie Speiser 2011-06-01 The Biggest Names in the Adult Entertainment Biz in One Big Tell-All! "A fascinating peek into the sex lives of porn's top stars. A juicy read!"—Anka Radakovich, sex columnist, *British GQ* "I can't stop reading this! Enlightening and insightful, revealing, arousing, and tips from the pros! This is like the Kinsey Reports of adult entertainment for our generation."—Ron "Bumblefoot" Thal, guitarist for Guns N' Roses "This is the only book that has kept our hands off each other and on the pages! Two peckers up!"—Sal Governale and Richard Christy, *The Howard Stern Show* "Confessions of the Hundred Hottest Porn Stars offers a rare and insightful glimpse into the minds of adult stars—their secret sexual fantasies, preferences, and vulnerabilities. Lainie Speiser has a unique rapport with adult industry actors that enables her to elicit heartfelt revelations from those who are used to hiding behind carefully constructed facades. No other book has ever shed so much light on

the inner erotic world of the sexiest and most sexual women and men in the universe. A must-read for anyone who wants to learn about the origin of sexual disinhibition, become a better lover—or simply to get turned on!"—Victoria "Dr. Z" Zdrok, author of *Dr. Z on Scoring* "This book is a pleasurable romp into the secret lives of the most beautiful and intriguing women in the world of porn. As a fellow 'Sexpert,' I found this book to be fascinating as it captures the naughty and nice secrets of porn stars who are usually very elusive. Lainie Speiser is a porn pioneer and this book of short-tales is packed full of secrets that are both sexy and surprising."—Kristin Davis, *The Manhattan Madam*, candidate for governor of New York 2010 "Lainie Speiser has fulfilled every porn fan's fantasy by getting inside the minds—and bedrooms—of the industry's most popular stars. An intimate, fun and sexy read!"—Eric Danville, author of *The Complete Linda Lovelace* The stories don't come any more sexy, funny, or raw than they do in *Confessions of the Hundred Hottest Porn Stars*. They're all here. One-hundred of the world's most famous porn stars—including Nikki Benz, Tera Patrick, Nick Manning, Jesse Jane, Sunny Leone, Tabitha Stevens, Ron Jeremy, Breanne Benson, Brooke Haven, Mr. Marcus, Brittany Andrews, Stoya, Joanna Angel, Lupe Fuentes, James Deen, Bree Olson, Kayden Kross, Kelly Divine, Misty Stone, Peter North, Taylor Wane, Phoenix Marie, Evan Seinfeld, Gina Lynn, and Sophia Santi—and they're not afraid to share their innermost thoughts on: —what really turns them on —their favorite sexual positions—both on- and off-camera —their innermost sexual fantasies —the fun of threesomes, foursomes, and orgies —the joys of double penetration —being married to another porn star and why open marriages and relationship work best Penthouse publicist and columnist Lainie Speiser, who has worked behind the scenes of the adult industry for 20 years, gets the hottest people in the business to open up and share their secrets, offer advice on sex, and tell you about their hidden desires and favorite toys. The stories are shocking, gripping, surprising, and fun, revealing what these porn stars really think about themselves and their sex lives. And each confession is accompanied by the star's favorite photo.

How to Make Love Like a Porn Star Jenna Jameson 2012-05-01 How to Make Love Like a Porn Star, the mega-bestselling memoir, triumphant survival story, and cautionary tale that spent over six weeks on the New York Times bestseller list and rocketed adult film icon Jenna Jameson into the mainstream spotlight, is now in paperback and ebook for the very first time. Her unforgettable memoir, written with master storyteller Neil Strauss, is many things at once: a shocking sexual history; an insider's guide to the secret workings of the billion-dollar adult-film industry; and a gripping thriller that probes deep into Jameson's dark past. With never-before-seen photographs from Jenna's private collection, exclusive photos taken for this book, and original cartoon strips, this memoir is an unparalleled exploration of sexual freedom. In the underbelly of Las Vegas, a cesspool of warring biker gangs and seedy strip clubs, gawky, brace-faced Jenna Massoli was transformed into the bombshell Jenna Jameson. Today, Jenna is the biggest star in the history of adult movies, consistently ranked as one of the most beautiful women alive. But behind the glamour and the meteoric rise to fame was a path paved with tragedy and heartbreak. As a teenager—drawn into a dark and chaotic world where rape, abuse, and murder were commonplace—Jenna began her rapid downward spiral of addiction and degradation . . . while at the same time becoming the porn world's biggest crossover success story.

My Life as a Pornstar Puma Swede 2014-04-04 The crazy ass Swedish porn star strips down about naughty celebrity sex, the best kept industry secrets and how to take control of a pilot's joystick. "My Life As A pornstar" chronicles Puma's life from her horse-obsessed childhood in Sweden to her rise as one of the best known porn stars in the world. The book details Puma's many crazy experiences which include Hollywood parties, wobbly helicopter sex (as seen on TMZ), drug adventures in Amsterdam, celebrity encounters and all the highs, and lows, of life and love and work in porn's fast lane. It also includes a chapter written by Puma's best friend, Penthouse Pet of the Year Nikki Benz, a "how to make it big in the porn industry" guide, reviews of porn colleges and letters from the fans. "I've already been getting frantic calls from celebs I know, scared I'm going to expose them. I hope they enjoy my

book. I hope YOU enjoy my book," said Puma Swede. "I don't know what to think of this book. It's not a normal autobiography, it's certainly not literature. It's a tale where every page is covered with four letter words, swearing and body liquids" (review in Aftonbladet, Sweden's largest national newspaper)

Inside Seka Seka 2013-09-01 "The Mount Rushmore of Adult Entertainment has four heads: John Holmes, Marilyn Chambers, Jenna Jameson, and Seka. That's it; there ain't no more." - Bill Margold, famed adult film actor, agent, producer, director, and activist Seka-The Platinum Princess, the Marilyn Monroe of Porn, the queen of XXX cinema's Golden Age, and John Holmes' favorite leading lady. Seka is a legendary performer in the annals of adult cinema, and many would say the greatest. Seka's name was so big in XXX that her name above the title was not enough-her name had to be in the title! Seka's real life story, though, is as enigmatic as her screen persona. She was never a victim-on-screen or off. This is no tale of remorse, abuse, or self-destructive behavior. Seka was post-feminist before the term was born. Inside Seka is the story of a survivor, a trailblazer, and an icon-still one of the most popular and famous porn stars ever; the last of the natural beauties. "Before the Jennas, the Bree Olsons, or the Savannas, the undisputed blonde bombshell of XXX movies was Seka, which makes her story so important in the history of adult entertainment." - Ron Jeremy, porn legend, holder of the Guinness Book of World Records for "Most Appearances in Adult Films." "From calling the shots in a film genre in the days when it was completely controlled by men, to standing and being heard at the infamous Meese Commission, Seka shatters the myth of the poor little victim who lost her way. Don't expect excuses and apologies. This is one blonde bombshell who lives by her own rules." - Candida Royalle, author, entrepreneur, and erotic film pioneer "She was one of the hottest girls in the XXX business, able to seduce any man she wanted. So it should come as no surprise that her story is riveting." - Larry Flynt, Hustler magazine Kerry Zukus is the author, co-author, or ghostwriter of over 40 books, including From Harvard to Hell and Back, the upcoming Inside the Hotel Rwanda, and Book of the Month Club Feature Selection The Fourth House.

My Story by Marilyn Chambers Marilyn Chambers 2014-07-31 The intimate, uncensored erotobiography that is pure-as-Ivory Snow. The sexy girl next door who turned on the world talks openly in detail about her fantasies and what turns her on. Twenty-six pages of personal photos of the star of Behind the Green Door and The Resurrection of Eve. "Marilyn was a legend in porn before her time. She set the gold standard that all other actresses attempted to emulate." - Larry Flynt "Marilyn Chambers was by far a stunningly beautiful woman inside and out. Though I never worked with her on film I did work with her in other ways. She was sweet, engaging, thoughtful to her fans and just a real down to earth woman. I miss her very much." - Seka "With her starring role is Rabid, her Ivory Snow escapade, and her incredibly HOT performances in Adult with her naturally slender, muscular physique, Marilyn rose to fame quickly. She was the only actress in porn that hired her directors, they did not hire her. Marilyn hired you, you did not hire her. She owned her roles and was not hired help." - Ron Jeremy

Insatiable Asa Akira 2014 An award-winning, popular actress in the porn industry describes her unusual life and discusses her views on women and sexuality as well as offering an inside look into the porn industry and her relationships with other actors, including her husband.

Daddy Madison Young 2014-02-25 Madison Young has had a lot of daddies in her life. From the relationship with her biological father to "leather daddies" of the adult and BDSM communities, Daddy explores Young's interwoven relationships with each of them and the sex positive values that she teaches and lectures on across the country at Yale University, Berkeley University, Good Vibrations, Smitten Kitten, Tool Shed, Kinky Kollege, and Austin Rope Symposium.

Overcome Amber van de Bunt 2019-07-23 With humor, alacrity, and profound insight, adult film star van de Bunt (known as Karmen Karma) reveals her deepest, darkest secrets and pulls no punches--least of all with herself.self.

John Holmes: A Life Measured in Inches (NEW 2nd EDITION) Jennifer Sugar 2012-04-15 Most people might, understandably, predict that the world's

first porn star was a woman, but they would be wrong. John Curtis Holmes was just a simple country boy from Ohio when he moved to California in 1964. It was the infancy of hardcore, so in Holmes' wildest dreams, he could not have predicted the turbulent ride on which he had embarked by publicizing his private parts. With the fame he achieved by playing his most famous character - a gun toting detective named Johnny Wadd - came money. Holmes was pleased to spend it on his wife and mistresses, but soon was in over his head after he became addicted to cocaine. Unfortunately for Holmes, in the years that followed, his addiction led him into several desperate choices - including setting up a robbery at the home of Ed Nash, a powerful L.A. nightclub owner. The robbery resulted in one of the most gruesome, unsolved, multiple-murders in Hollywood history. Amazingly, before his untimely death in 1988, Holmes regained his momentum, remarried and rebuilt his life and career. However, the grave consequences of his addiction, his association with the Wonderland murders, and his AIDS-related death made him an infamous figure in pop culture. Digging past the stigmas, John Holmes: A Life Measured in Inches - the first biography about John C. Holmes - unearths the human being behind the penis and proves that there was more to him than could be measured in inches. This biography includes material from the authors' new interviews with: Laurie Holmes, Bill Amerson, Bob Chinn, Julia St. Vincent, Detective Tom Lange, Detective Frank Tomlinson, Paul Thomas, Ron Jeremy, Seka, Marilyn Chambers, Candida Royalle, Rhonda Jo Petty, Dr. Sharon Mitchell, Bill Margold, and many others! John Holmes: A Life Measured in Inches also includes 114 reviews of John's most notable feature films, 86 loops synopses, 3 photos sections with rare nudes, and a 21 page comprehensive filmography. "The tree of life represents the roots of man. The branches are the different directions a man can take, live or exist. When you're dead, those that you leave behind will put you in a part of that tree. It represents what was, what is and what will be. It's eternal." -- John Holmes

Ron Jeremy Ron Jeremy 2009-03-17 He's the porn world's Everyman. Blessed with an enormous "talent" yet average looks, he's starred in more than 1,700 adult films, directed 250 of them, and over the last twenty years has become porn's biggest ambassador to the mainstream. He's appeared in 60 regular films, 14 music videos, and VH1's Surreal Life, starred in the critically acclaimed Porn star (a movie about his life), and in Being Ron Jeremy (a take off on Being John Malkovich), co-starring Andy Dick. And that's just the tip of the iceberg. . . . Ron Jeremy is a born storyteller (funny, considering he doesn't do a lot of talking in his films). He knows where all the bodies are buried, and in this outrageous autobiography he not only shows you the grave but also gives you the back story on the tombstone. Get ready for Ron Jeremy—a scandalously entertaining deep insider's view of the porn industry and its emergence into popular culture, and a delectable self-portrait of the amazingly endowed Everyman every man wanted to be.

Electronics Projects with the ESP8266 and ESP32 Neil Cameron 2021-01-01 Discover the powerful ESP8266 and ESP32 microcontrollers and their Wi-Fi communication. The ESP32 microcontroller features Bluetooth and BLE communication in addition to Wi-Fi. The book emphasizes practical projects and readers are guided through Wi-Fi and Bluetooth communication, mobile app design and build, ESP-NOW and LoRa communication, and signal generation. Projects throughout the book utilize the Wi-Fi functionality and processing power of the ESP microcontrollers. Projects are built in the Arduino IDE, so you don't need to download other programming software. Mobile apps are now ubiquitous, making the app build projects of the book very relevant, as are the web page design projects. In Electronics Projects with the ESP8266 and ESP32, you'll see how easy and practical it is to access information over the internet, develop web pages, build mobile apps to remotely control devices with speech recognition or incorporate Google Maps in a GPS route tracking app. You will · Build practical electronics projects with an ESP8266 or ESP32 microcontroller with Wi-Fi communication · Use the Wi-Fi function of the ESP8266 and ESP32 to update web pages · Communicate with your mobile phone or smart watch by Bluetooth Low Energy · Transmit and receive information to control remote devices over the internet · Understand the design and build of mobile apps for internet based

applications · Apply your computer programming skills in C++, JavaScript, AJAX and JSON · Use WebSocket, MQTT brokers and IFTTT for fast two-way communication with webpages Who This Book Is For The target audience is for Makers and Tinkerers who want to build internet/intranet based applications with more powerful microcontrollers, such as the ESP8266 or ESP32. A level of C++ programming expertise with the Arduino IDE is assumed, although all sketches are fully described and comprehensively commented.

Girlvert Oriana Small 2011 An explicit look into the world of porn, from a woman who was a superstar in the industry. Small, aka Ashley Blue, weaves through the intricacies of a decade in and out of the adult film industry, love, drugs, and her own firebrand of what it means to live ecstatically.

The Speed Chronicles Joseph Mattson 2012-06-19 An “addictive volume” of amphetamine stories from William T. Vollmann, Sherman Alexie, and more (Publishers Weekly). Speed is the most American of drugs: twice the productivity at half the cost, and equal opportunity for all. It has reinvented itself many times, from miracle cure to biker-gang scourge and everything in between. It goes by many names: crystal meth, amphetamines, Dexedrine, Benzedrine, Adderall; crank, spizz, chickenscratch, oblivious marching powder, the go-fast. And it crosses all ethnicities, genders, and geographies—from immigrants and heartlanders punching double factory shifts to clandestine border warlords; prostitutes to housewives; Hollywood celebs to the poorest Indian on the rez—and they all have plenty of stories. Here is the first contemporary collection of new short fiction dealing with the drug from an array of today’s most compelling authors. The elements of crime and tweaking, bleary-eyed zombies exist alongside heart-wrenching narratives of everyday people, the American Dream going up in flames, and even some accounts of pure joy. Featuring brand-new stories by: Sherman Alexie, William T. Vollmann, James Franco, Megan Abbott, Jerry Stahl, Beth Lisick, Jess Walter, Scott Phillips, James Greer, Tao Lin, Joseph Mattson, Natalie Diaz, Kenji Jasper, and Rose Bunch.

American Gangbang Sam Benjamin 2011-10-18 Recounts the author's experiences as an Ivy League college graduate turned successful pornographic film producer.

Philosophy, Pussycats, & Porn Stoya 2018-06-24 Philosophy, Pussycats, & Porn is a series of essays, blog posts, and stories surveying more than a decade of poignant journalistic accounts from internationally recognized writer, actor, and pornographer Stoya. Stoya provides crucial examinations of systemic biases toward sex workers and how sexuality is reflected in society. Stoya often points her journalistic lens inward, providing us with personal, illustriously detailed stories of her life, her collaborators, and how she has built a flourishing media haven in the face of a culture that is still learning how to handle public discourses on sex work

Sinner Takes All Tera Patrick 2009-12-31 How does a girl go from being a shy, awkward bookworm to the biggest porn star in the world? In *Sinner Takes All*, Tera Patrick reveals all, including: her career as an international model; losing her virginity at fourteen to a thirtysomething photographer; learning oral sex techniques backstage at a Guns N' Roses concert; having an orgy with a team of firefighters; her unglamorous job in a nursing home; her first forays into the adult movie business; and how, with her husband's help, she launched her own multimillion-dollar empire. Along the way, she dishes on the emotional side of being Tera Patrick, writing candidly about her battles with depression and anxiety. She also discusses finding true love and building a healthy marriage, achievements that many consider to be impossible in the world of porn. Featuring hundreds of photos, plus diary pages and scintillating sidebars, *Sinner Takes All* takes the tell-all to raunchy new heights.

The First 50 Natascia Tornetta Mallin 2021 A proudly humanist portrayal of sexual impulse and impropriety in the City of Angels, *The First 50* is a chronological recapitulation of fifty erotic encounters that take place between the ages of thirteen and thirty-three. Columbine, 9/11, The Iraq War, and The Great Recession set the stage as a young woman navigates the ambient decadence that has long defined Los Angeles. From hot tubs in Santa Monica mansions to bar bathrooms on Venice street corners, this book inverts Bret Easton Ellis' *Less Than Zero* by replacing Gen X ennui with a Millennial zest

for living. Meet "The First 50," but not the last...

The Road Through Wonderland Dawn Schiller 2010-08-01 Painstakingly honest, this chilling memoir reveals how a teenager became immersed in the bizarre life of legendary porn star John Holmes. Starting with a childhood that molded her perfectly to fall for the seduction of “the king of porn,” this autobiography recounts the perilous road that Dawn Schiller traveled—from drugs and addiction to beatings, arrests, forced prostitution, and being sold to the drug underworld. After living through the horrific Wonderland murders of 1981, she entered protective custody, ran from the FBI, and turned in John Holmes to the police. This is the true story of a young girl’s harrowing escape from one of the most infamous public figures, her struggle to survive, and her recovery from unthinkable abuse.

Dirty Thirty Asa Akira 2015-07-26 The world knows her as a porn star. . . but it's her way with words that will touch you again and again. Asa Akira's perceptive, funny, and straightforward writings on love, sex, death, marriage and celebrity come together in a surprising book of essays. Personally revealing as well as universal, *Dirty Thirty* marks the coming of age of a new literary star.

Split Lips Chad Fjerstad 2017-07-07 *Split Lips* unites a slew of Los Angeles's predominant artists to present a remarkable anthology, granting readers a multi-faceted perspective on intimacy they otherwise may never know. *Love* knows no boundaries, a timeless concept revisited and drilled deep into the psyche through tales of unthinkable fetishism, secretions, esoteric romance, insecurities, hedonism, and even grief. Visions of intimate relationships transform when filtered through the minds of peculiar writers, sex workers, filmmakers, musicians, and other eccentrics. By spilling their guts, these brave storytellers may leave an imprint on yours; now open up as they have for you. Featuring stories by Oriana Small, Kris Kidd, Chad Fjerstad, Chris Zeischegg, Ariel Rosenberg, Niko Sonnberger, and more.

Burn My Shadow Tyler Knight 2016 *Burn My Shadow* follows the porn career of Tyler Knight, a black porn star who stars mainly in porn for couples. A star that breaks all stereotypes and barriers, Knight's story is one of race and sexuality that pushes the boundaries of what is thought of porn and porn stars. Tyler Knight is a one of a kind star, and this is his story.

Gina Gerson Valentina Dzherson 2020 In her book, *Gina Gerson - Success through Inner Power and Sexuality*, Valentina tells her life story. But more than just recounting her biography, she shares, for the first time, the secrets of her success.

I Am Jennie Jennie Ketcham 2012-07-10 A memoir from the former porn star and addict Jennie Ketcham, whose stage name was Penny Flame.

Permanent Damage: Memoirs of an Outrageous Girl Mercy Fontenot 2021-06-09 "I'm the Mae West of 1968." Mercy Fontenot was a Zelig who grew up in the San Francisco Haight Ashbury scene, where she crossed paths with Charles Manson, went to the first Acid Test, and was friends with Jimi Hendrix (she was later in his movie *Rainbow Bridge*). She predicted the Altamont disaster when reading the Rolling Stones' tarot cards at a party and left San Francisco for the climes of Los Angeles in 1967 when the Haight 'lost its magic.' Miss Mercy's work in the GTOs, the Frank Zappa-produced all-female band, launched her into the pages of *Rolling Stone* in 1969. Her adventures saw her jumping out of a cake at Alice Cooper's first record release party, while high on PCP, and had her travel to Memphis where she met Al Green and got a job working for the Bar-Kays. Along the way, she married and then divorced Shuggie Otis, before transitioning to punk rock and working with the Rockats and Gears. This is her story as she lived and saw it. Written just prior to her death in 2020, *Permanent Damage* shows us the world of the 1960s and 1970s music scene through Mercy's eyes, as well as the fallout of that era--experiencing homelessness before sobering up and putting her life back together. Miss Mercy's journey is a can't miss for anyone who was there and can't remember, or just wishes they'd been there.

Lights, Camera, Sex! Christy Canyon 2003 Christy Canyon's flamboyant debut into the world of adult video in 1984 rocked the porn industry like never before. Selling millions of copies, her videos quickly established her as the world's leading porn star. Take a ride on the wild side with her in this new, explosive tell-all autobiography. Loaded with juicy behind-the-scenes details,

Canyon describes her adventures and misadventures with other porn stars such as Traci Lords, Ginger Lynn, Ron Jeremy and Peter North, just to name a few. She also blows the lid off of her encounters with mainstream celebrities.

Pity the Animal Chelsea Hodson 2014-05-20 Literary Nonfiction. **PITY THE ANIMAL**, an essay by Chelsea Hodson, explores the concept of human submission and commodification by way of window displays, wild animals, performance art, and sugar daddy dating websites. "How much can a body endure? Almost everything."

The Secret Lives of Hyapatia Lee Hyapatia Lee 2001-05-01 The world is fascinated by sex and the sex industry. In the last 20 years, we have seen X-rated movies go from a theater in the worst part of town to our own VCRs and on the menu of expensive hotels as in-room entertainment. Its stars have gone from being virtual unknowns in the early 70s to doing appearances on Jay Leno and television talk shows. The adult film business has grown by leaps and bounds. In 1984 alone more people rented or bought an X-rated movie than voted for Ronald Regan. In this book, I have given the reader an uncensored, inside look at all the workings of the sex industry from movies and magazines to mens clubs and all the emotions that go along with it. By reading these excerpts from my personal diary, I share with you the anger, elation, sadness and fear that have comprised my life. I give an inside look at the many famous people I've met and their personal quirks. As the first Native American porn star, I show you how this line of work is seen in the eyes of my religion and culture, and I share some of the healing ceremonies I have experienced. Why would a young woman decide to get into such a business? What is it like to make an X-rated movie or to dance nude on stage in a gentlemen's club? Many women say it is empowering. What kind of lives did these women have before entering the world of X? Why do they say it increases their self-esteem? Is it REALLY healthy emotionally? Why have

five of my colleagues committed suicide? What's it like when your friends (and the Godmother of your children) are dropping like flies? Why would a sexually abused and abandoned child decide of her own free will to make X-rated movies and how could this possibly be a healing experience? Is it really? **10,000 Miles with My Dead Father's Ashes** Devin Galaudet 2018-09-18 "It was Devin Galaudet's job to take his father's ashes and pour them into the waters of Cadiz, Spain after his death. Carrying his father across Spain by car, train, and backpack, this was their swan song, their buddy picture come to life. Half a mile from the Mediterranean, Devin lost his father's ashes. Standing in the middle of a windy cobblestone street in Old Town Cadiz, he wondered what the fuck just happened. Not just in that moment but the forty years prior. This is a wild-eyed history of secret family stories that includes fifty stolen cars, sacred African fertility dolls, a Darth Vader mask-wearing junkie, a mysterious secret family, a Playboy magazine found in a sewer hidden next to toilet paper wrapped downers, a Vegas hooker with one impressive breast, a hero's journey, and traveling across the world with a black jug that contained his father in a rolling suitcase."--Provided by publisher.

Coming Out Like a Porn Star Jiz Lee 2015-09-28 This one-of-a-kind book shares intimate personal stories of porn performers "coming out" to family, friends, partners, lovers, and community. The contributors represent a wide range of races, ethnicities, and genders. They include Joanna Angel, Annie Sprinkle, Betty Blac, Nina Hartley, Candida Royalle, Conner Habib, Dale Cooper, Christopher Zeischegg, Cindy Gallop, Drew DeVeaux, Erika Lust, Gala Vanting, Casey Calvert, Lorelei Lee, Stoya, Ignacio Rivera AKA Papí Cooxxx, and many others. Jiz Lee is a veteran porn performer who had worked in over two-hundred projects within indie, queer, and hardcore gonzo adult genres. Lee is the editor of *Coming Out Like a Porn Star*, and co-editor of the *Porn Studies Journal Special Issue: Porn and Labour*.