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A Force More Powerful 2015-12-01 this nationally acclaimed book shows how popular movements used nonviolent action to overthrow dictators obstruct military invaders and secure human rights in country after country over the past century peter ackerman and jack duvall depict how nonviolent sanctions such as protests strikes and boycotts separate brutal regimes from their means of control they tell inside stories how danes outmaneuvered the nazis solidarity defeated polish communism and mass action removed a chilean dictator and also how nonviolent power is changing the world today from burma to serbia A Force More Powerful 2003-07 tells how popular movements have used nonviolent weapons to overthrow dictators obstruct military invaders secure human rights in country after over the past century a gripping narrative of far flung locations history changing crises the book depicts how nonviolent sanctions such as strikes boycotts civil disobedience can separate brutal regimes from their means of control it reveals the inside stories of how ordinary people took extraordinary action ended oppression including the danes valiant resistance to the nazis solidarity s defeat of polish communism civic action in chile to remove a military dictator how nonviolent power continues to change the world today from burma to the balkans a companion to a pbs series illustrated

Survive and Resist 2019-08-06 authoritarianism is on the march and so is dystopian fiction in the brave new twenty first century young adult series like the hunger games and divergent have become blockbusters after donald trump s election two dystopian classics 1984 and the handmaid s tale skyrocketed to the new york times best seller list this should come as no surprise dystopian fiction has a lot to say about the perils of terrible government in real life in survive and resist amy l atchison and shauna l shames explore the ways in which dystopian narratives help explain how real world politics work they draw on classic and contemporary fiction films and tv shows as well as their real life counterparts to offer funny and accessible explanations of key political concepts atchison and shames demonstrate that dystopias both real and imagined help bring theories of governance citizenship and the state down to earth they emphasize nonviolent resistance and change exploring ways to challenge and overcome a dystopian style government fictional examples they argue help give us the tools we need for individual survival and collective resistance a clever look at the world through the lenses of pop culture classic literature and real life events survive and resist provides a timely and innovative approach to the fundamentals of politics for an era of creeping tyranny

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the way videogames mount arguments and influence players drawing on the 2 500 year history of rhetoric the study of persuasive expression bogost analyzes rhetoric s unique function in software in general and videogames in particular the field of media studies already analyzes visual rhetoric the art of using imagery and visual representation persuasively bogost argues that videogames thanks to their basic representational mode of procedurality rule based representations and interactions open a new domain for persuasion they realize a new form of rhetoric bogost calls this new form procedural rhetoric a type of rhetoric tied to the core affordances of computers running processes and executing rule based symbolic manipulation he argues further that videogames have a unique persuasive power that goes beyond other forms of computational persuasion not only can videogames support existing social and cultural positions but they can also disrupt and change these positions themselves leading to potentially significant long term social change bogost looks at three areas in which videogame persuasion has already taken form and shows considerable potential politics advertising and learning

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egypt s tahrir square to new york occupy although we think of the last century as one marked by wars and violent conflict in fact it was just as much a century of nonviolence as the achievements of mohandas gandhi and martin luther king jr and peaceful protests like the one that removed ferdinand marcos from the philippines clearly demonstrate but what is nonviolence what makes a campaign a nonviolent one and how does it work what values does it incorporate in this unique study todd may a philosopher who has himself participated in campaigns of nonviolent resistance offers the first extended philosophical reflection on the particular and compelling political phenomenon of nonviolence drawing on both historical and contemporary examples he examines the concept and objectives of nonviolence and considers the different dynamics of nonviolence from moral jiu jitsu to nonviolent coercion may goes on to explore the values that infuse nonviolent activity especially the respect for dignity and the presupposition of equality before taking a close up look at the role of nonviolence in today s world students of politics peace studies and philosophy political activists and those interested in the shape of current politics will find this book an invaluable source for understanding one of the most prevalent

but least reflected upon political approaches of our world <a href="Nonviolent Resistance">Nonviolent Resistance</a> 2015-06-04 how churches can work to stem gun violence <a href="Reclaiming The Gospel of Peace">Reclaiming The Gospel of Peace</a> 2015-02-10 this book is a collection of philosophical papers that explores theoretical and practical aspects and implications of nonviolence as a means of establishing peace the papers range from spiritual and political dimensions of nonviolence to issues of justice and values and proposals for action and change

Spiritual and Political Dimensions of Nonviolence and Peace 2006 why do many u s residents catholics and catholic leaders among them too often fall short of adequately challenging the use of violence in u s policy the opportunities and developments in approaches to peacemaking have been growing at a significant rate however violent methods continue to hold significant sway in u s policy and society as the commonly assumed way to peace even when community organizers policymakers members of catholic leadership and academics sincerely search for alternatives to violence they too often think about nonviolence as primarily a rule or a strategy catholic social teaching has been moving toward transcending the limits of these approaches but it still has significant room for growth in order to contribute to this growth and to impact u s policy mccarthy draws on jesus gandhi ghaffar khan and king to offer a virtue based approach to nonviolent peacemaking with a corresponding set of core practices this approach is also set in conversation with aspects of human rights discourse to increase its possible impact on u s policy as a whole becoming nonviolent peacemakers offers an important challenge to contemporary accounts of peacemaking in the u

Outlines of Astronomy 1852 americans no longer have the luxury of water cooler debates between aclu members and the religious right over whether someone may be irreparably harmed by hearing a prayer before a high school football game there are people around this world which is getting smaller more crowded and easier to access than ever before who are really into their religionand they are interested in how you feel about that they love and consider their god to be exclusive they dont believe your god is equal to theirs and they dont care how that strikes you political correctness does not impress them their god does Outlines of Astronomy 1856 among nashville s many slogans the one that best reflects its emphasis on manners and decorum is the nashville way a phrase coined by boosters to tout what they viewed as the city s amicable race relations benjamin houston offers the first scholarly book on the history of civil rights in nashville providing new insights and critiques of this moderate progressivism for which the city has long been credited civil rights leaders such as john lewis james bevel diane nash and james lawson who came into their own in nashville were devoted to nonviolent direct action or what houston calls the black nashville way through the dramatic story of nashville s 1960 lunch counter sit ins houston shows how these activists used nonviolence to disrupt the coercive script of day to day race relations nonviolence brought the threat of its opposite white violence into stark contrast revealing that the nashville way was actually built on a complex relationship between etiquette and brute force houston goes on to detail how racial etiquette forged in the era of jim

crow was updated in the civil rights era combined with this updated racial etiquette deeper structural forces of politics and urban renewal dictate racial realities to this day in the nashville way houston shows that white power was surprisingly adaptable but the black nashville way also proved resilient as it was embraced by thousands of activists who continued to fight battles over schools highway construction and economic justice even after most americans shifted their focus to southern hotspots like birmingham and memphis □□□□□□□□□ 1998-03-30 we can each change the world if only we care to listen there is a force greater than ourselves the omnipotent presence and we have the power to communicate with it this presence is the god source and has given each and every one of us the gift of insight and connection to our god voice our holy spirit but we must clear our mind to hear it wanting to connect to this presence j lee mayfield began his spiritual journey after attending a two week course hosted by ross peterson and having later attended a course in miracles through his readings and lessons he began learning how to use everyday tools to help calm his mind and connect to the source through dreams mediations and an active lifestyle mayfield slowly began to receive visions and messages from the god source changing the way he interacted with others along with how he viewed the world by achieving this connection he knows that anyone can find it while on their spiritual journey would you could you i can you can shares reflections insights and teachings of j lee mayfield and how he continues to connect to the omnipotent presence by being actively aware of the now and calming his mind God and America 2016-04-15 this masterful six volume encyclopedia provides comprehensive global coverage of religion emphasizing larger religious communities without neglecting the world's smaller religious outposts religions of the world second edition a comprehensive encyclopedia of beliefs and practices is an extraordinary work bringing together the scholarship of some 225 experts from around the globe the encyclopedia s six volumes offer entries on every country of the world with particular emphasis on the larger nations as well as indonesia and the latin american countries that are traditionally given little attention in english language reference works entries include profiles on religion in the world s smallest countries the vatican and san marino profiles on religion in recently established or disputed countries kosovo and nagorno karabakh as well as profiles on religion in some of the world s most remote places antarctica and easter island religions of the world is unique in that it is based in religion on the ground tracing the development of each of the 16 major world religious traditions through its institutional expressions in the modern world its major geographical sites and its major celebrations unlike other works the encyclopedia also covers the world of religious unbelief as expressed in atheism humanism and other traditions

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