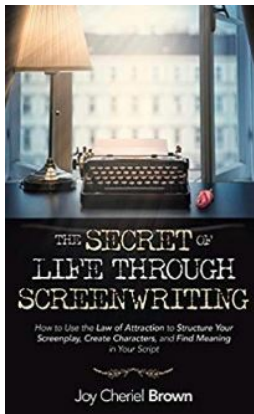


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### Books



***The Secret of Life Through Screenwriting***  
By Joy Cheriell Brown

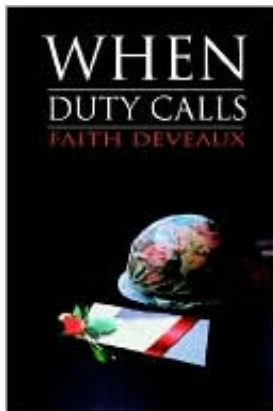
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by Faith DeVeaux

What would it take for you to appreciate what you have in life? The near-death of the one you love? Anita Anderson, married for over thirty years, was becoming bored with her life. Then the unthinkable happened, her husband had a heart attack, then fell into a coma. Her estranged children come home, and she decides to reunite her family once and for all. Anita brings out her beloved letters that she saved from when her husband fought in Vietnam. After rediscovering her buried passion for life, she decides to share them with as many people as possible. [Order your copy here](#)



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Directed by Emily Aguilar, produced by Faith DeVeaux and Katherine Smith

A savvy ten-year-old video blogger's "Ultimate Christmas" unravels into chaos when her dad unexpectedly leaves for New York two days before Christmas. Clara must find a way to adjust to keep her dreams of the perfect vlogging Christmas she's been dreaming about from being dashed. [Order dvd or streaming](#)

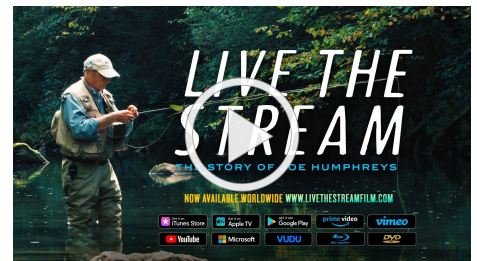
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### **LIVE THE STREAM**

Directed by Meigan Bell, Nomadic Studios

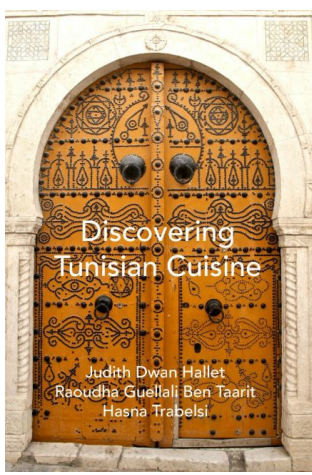
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by Judith Dwan Hallet

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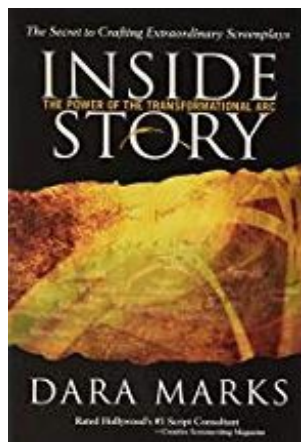
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by Dara Marks

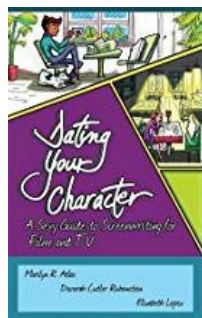
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## Dating Your Character: A Sexy Guide to Screenwriting for Film & TV

by Marilyn R. Atlas, Devorah Cutler Rubenstein, Elizabeth Lopez

This book is based on the principle that interesting characters actually are co-creators in the writing process. The contents trace the first flush of excitement, any awkward hiccups in communication, and the recognition and reconciliation of your different POVs. The DYC method doesn't start from the outside in. It doesn't layer physical descriptions onto archetypal outlines, then color in the flaws and motivation to make that thumbnail sketch more personal. DYC focuses on the importance of the individuality of characters: their eccentricity,



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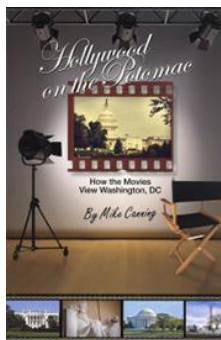
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by Mike Canning



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