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Biography/Memoirs

Shero By Grace : Pressing on To My Best Self / Julianne Susanne Otim
Seeta: Miracle Center Church, 2019
128p.
9789036743839
\$ 40.00 / PB
148gm.

Although she came from a dysfunctional family, her mother was hard working, determined and wise.

Although they were needy and had to live through difficult circumstances, Julianne Susanne was focused, disciplined and intelligent. By God's grace, she is where she is today and looking forward to greater heights. In SHERO by Grace, Dr. Julianne Susanne Otim looks back at how she waded through troubled waters to becoming University lecturer, Pastor's wife, mother of three and shero to many.

Shero by Grace; was born of a desire to share the many lessons she has learned along the way and a conviction to encourage young people to work hard, be focused and trust God to fulfill the good plans

He has made for them. It is a testimony that He will bring every individual who trusts Him to the destiny he has prepared for them.

Parents, buy Shero by Grace; for yourselves, the parenting lessons therein are priceless and for your children to be inspired. Young adults, this is your book; you will be encouraged by Julianne Susanne tenacity and by the gracious ways God led her and provided for her and how he continues to use her today. He did it for her, He can do it for you.

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Literature

A Silent Song and Other Stories / (Ed) Godwin Siundu
Kampala: Spotlight Publishers (Uganda) Limited, 2022
viii, 112p.
9789966572813

\$ 25.00 / PB
210gm.

A Silent Song and other Stories is a unique collection of short stories from various societies across the world. They have been carefully selected to represent various generations of writers from diverse backgrounds.

The stories are meticulously sought and packaged to provoke interest in young Kenyan readers and help them encounter in-depth literary experiences. A wide range of techniques, settings and themes that are relevant to the contemporary issues affecting Kenyans have been addressed in the collection. These will expose the students to a rich diversity of perspectives that will result in appreciating the uniqueness of cultures across the globe.

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Selected Poems : Rage and Bloom / Lena Grace Anyuolo

Kampala: Editor House Facility Ltd, 2022

xii, 68p.

9789913620062

\$ 25.00 / PB

110gm.

Rage and Bloom is Anyuolo's debut collection and boldly confronts the excesses of capitalist exploitation, the internal contradictions of leftist, revolutionary organising, sexism, and patriarchy. Anyuolo is exhilarating talking about love and friendship, and futures build on care and solidarity.

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Eulogies of My Mouth : Poems for a Poisoned Uganda / Stella Nyanzi

Kampala: Kisana Publishers, 2022

140p.

9789913982870

\$ 30.00 / PB

178gm.

"Eulogies of my Mouth is the most delicious and tantalizing sizzler of a serving that has hit the Ugandan poetry scene in recent memory"

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Don't Come in My Mouth : Poems that Rattled Uganda / Stella Nyanzi

Kampala: Kisana Publishers, 2021

288p.

9789970743001

\$ 35.00 / PB

300gm.

Containing 147 of my poems that set tongues wagging in the last few, ten cartoons by East Africa's best satirists, and two essays by leading Ugandan literati involved in the liberation struggle, this book (re-)ignites discussion, incites debate, and invokes dissent.

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The Muchwezi, The Flower and The Suitor : A Poetic Play / Zziwa Zinabala

Uganda: Stubborn Poetry, 2021

xii, 108p.

9789970695041

\$ 30.00 / PB

140gm.

The Muchwezi, The Flower & The Suitor, is a poetic storyline told. The Playwright narrates the journey of Love between The Flower and The Suitor whilst they both have to jump hurdles and the grip of an Incubus, The Muchwezi. The play advances with different mood switches, traditions and cultures. Towards the climax, The Muchwezi jealously reminds The Flower that her father freely offered her as bride in exchange for wealth...

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Religion-Christianity

For God and My Country : Catholic Leadership in Modern Uganda / J. J. Carney

Studies in World Catholicism, Vol. 10

Eugene, OR, USA: Cascade Books (Wipf and Stock Publishers), 2020

174p.

Includes Bibliography

9781532682520

\$ 35.00 / PB

252gm.

A devout Catholic politician assassinated by a capricious dictator. A Cardinal standing up for his people in the face of political repression. A priest leading his nation's constitutional revision. The "Mother Teresa of Uganda" transforming the lives of thousands of abandoned children. Two missionaries who founded the best community radio station in Africa. A peace activist who has amplified the voices of grassroots women in the midst of a brutal civil war. Such are the powerful stories in For God and My Country, a book that explores how seven inspiring leaders in Uganda's largest religious community have shaped the social and political life of their country. Drawing on extensive oral research, J. J. Carney analyzes how personal faith, theological vision, and Catholic social teaching have propelled these leaders to embody Vatican II's call for the Church to be a sign of communion and

unity in the world. Readers will gain rich insight into Uganda's postcolonial politics and the history of one of Africa's most important Catholic communities. Each chapter closes with leadership lessons and reflection questions, making this an ideal text for classroom and parish adoption.

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