Dr. Rebecca Patterson, noted authority on the poet Emily Dickinson, taught English at Pittsburg State University for 21 years, from 1954 until her death in 1975. Her major works include *The Riddle of Emily Dickinson*, published in 1951 and *Emily Dickinson’s Imagery*, published posthumously in 1979.

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Dr. Berry-Bravo and her husband Dr. Bravo-Elizondo have translated into Spanish and added notes for an important historical manuscript, the autobiography of James “Santiago” Thomas Humberstone. Humberstone, English by birth, moved to the dry desert area of the Province of Tarapacá, Chile, in 1875. A chemical engineer, he created the Shanks system for extraction of nitrate, and his mines and factories were important to the development of Chile. The Chilean government honored his memory in 1934 by naming a working nitrate factory after him. In 2005 UNESCO declared the Oficina Humberstone a World Heritage site.


Dr. Box and his co-author bring their wealth of experience to guide small manufacturing firms and businesses. Their book, *Strategy in Small Doses* pares down strategic management to fit the needs of the small business dealing with the complexity of a highly competitive and global economy.


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Dr. Donovan’s new edition of her textbook and student guide provides students with an updated, clear view of modern sociology. The accompanying student guide provides many activities for improving student learning and retention.


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Nearly ten years after the first publication of This Good Warm Place, March Street Press has reissued the book with new poems written in the same time period by the poet. The forward by poet Elaine Terranova adds new insight into the poems. Ms Washburn says, “It was exciting to know I'd have a 'new' book coming out, but strange to work with revision and publication of poems that were more than a decade old. I think it’s a better book now, and I think readers will enjoy some of the longer narrative 'fairy tale' poems added to the book.”
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