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mediated. Women Doing Intimacy will be of interest to students and

scholars of family life and gender studies.