

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910149056003321
Autore	McCandless Carine
Titolo	Wild Truth, The : The Secrets That Drove Chris McCandless Into the Wild
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ISBN	0-00-811570-2
Disciplina	979.8/050922
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Musica
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Sommario/riassunto	<p>The key missing piece of Jon Krakauer's multi million, multi territory bestseller and widely acclaimed Sean Penn film Into the Wild is finally revealed by his best friend and sister, Carine. The story of Chris McCandless, who gave away his savings, hitchhiked to Alaska, walked into the wilderness alone, and starved to death in 1992, fascinated not just New York Times bestselling author Jon Krakauer, but the rest of the nation too. Krakauer's book and a Sean Penn film skyrocketed Chris McCandless to worldwide fame, but the real story of his life and his journey has not yet been told - until now. Carine McCandless, Chris's sister, featured in both the book and film, was the person with whom he had the closest bond, and who witnessed firsthand the dysfunctional and violent family dynamic that made Chris willing to embrace the harsh wilderness of Alaska. Growing up in the same troubled and volatile household that sent Chris on his fatal journey into the wild, Carine finally reveals the broader and deeper reality about life in the McCandless family. For decades, Carine and Chris's parents, a successful aerospace engineer and his beautiful wife, raised their children in the tony suburbs of Northern Virginia. But behind closed doors, her father beat and choked her mother. He whipped Carine and Chris with his belt. He cursed them, belittled their accomplishments, and told them they were nothing without him. Carine and Chris hid under the stairs, hoping to avoid his wrath. They were teenagers before they learned they were conceived while their father was still married</p>

and having babies with his first wife, who finally summoned the courage to leave him after he broke her back in a fight. In the 20-plus years since the tragedy of Chris's death, she has searched for some kind of redemption. But in this touching and deeply personal memoir, she reveals how she has learned that real redemption can only come from speaking the truth. Finally, she has found the truth not just in her brother's story, but also her own.

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Autore	Minnich Elizabeth Kamarck
Titolo	The evil of banality : on the life and death importance of thinking / / Elizabeth K. Minnich
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Lanham, Maryland : , : Rowman & Littlefield, , 2017 ©2017
ISBN	1-4422-7597-9
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (259 pages)
Disciplina	170
Soggetti	Banality (Philosophy) Ethics Thought and thinking
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.

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Autore	Chen Xizhang
Titolo	Surface Processing of Light Alloys Subject to Concentrated Energy Flows // by Xizhang Chen, Sergey Konovalov, Victor Gromov, Yurii Ivanov
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ISBN	981-334-228-5
Edizione	[1st ed. 2021.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (XIII, 217 p. 172 illus., 46 illus. in color.)
Disciplina	620.186
Soggetti	Metals Materials - Fatigue Materials science Production engineering Metals and Alloys Materials Fatigue Materials Science Process Engineering
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Nota di contenuto	Modifying of Structure-Phase States and Properties of Metals by Concentrated Energy Flows -- Special Analysis Aspects of Modified Light Alloys -- Structure and Properties of as Cast Silumin and Processed by Intense Pulsed Electron Beam -- Fractography of Silumin Surface Fractured in High-Cycle Fatigue Tests -- Degradation of Silumin Structure and Properties in High-Cycle Fatigue Tests -- Modifying of Titanium Vt6 Alloy Surface by Electrical Explosion Alloying -- Modifying of Titanium Alloy Vt6 Surface by Electrical Explosion Alloying and Electron-Beam Processing -- Microhardness and Wear Resistance of Modified Layers -- Effect of Electron-Beam Processing on Structure and Phase Composition of Titanium Vt1-0 Fractured In Fatigue Tests.
Sommario/riassunto	This book presents studies on the surface modification of aluminum and titanium alloys by electric explosive alloying and electron-beam processing. It also describes and analyzes the physical mechanism of energy actions of these technologies on physical and mechanical

properties and discusses their potential use in industry to improve the characteristics of finished products. The book is intended for specialists in the field of condensed matter physics, metallurgy and heat treatment and materials science, as well as graduate and senior students in relevant fields. .
