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Although the definition of what constitutes low income varies significantly from one country to the next, it is always below average and people who have it score high on the misery index. This book attempts to define it and to seek solutions by bringing together leading researchers on the subject from around the globe.
