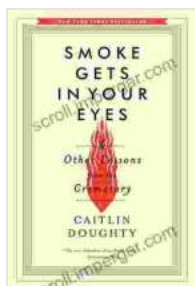


And Other Lessons From The Crematory: A Mortician's Journey Through Death, Grief, and Transformation



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Caitlin Doughty is a mortician with a knack for storytelling. In her new memoir, *And Other Lessons From The Crematory*, she shares her experiences working in a crematory and the lessons she has learned about death, grief, and the human condition.

Doughty's writing is both poignant and often humorous, as she recounts the stories of the people she has met and the bodies she has prepared for cremation. She writes about the families who come to the crematory to say goodbye to their loved ones, and about the ways in which they cope with their grief. She also writes about the crematory staff, who are often the only ones who truly understand what it means to work with death on a daily basis.

Through her stories, Doughty challenges our cultural taboos around death. She argues that death is a natural part of life, and that we should not be afraid to talk about it. She also encourages us to find ways to celebrate the lives of our loved ones after they have died.

And Other Lessons From The Crematory is a powerful and moving book that will change the way you think about death. It is a must-read for anyone who has ever lost a loved one, or who is simply curious about the mysteries of death and dying.

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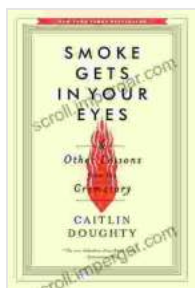
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About the Author

Caitlin Doughty is a mortician, writer, and speaker. She is the founder of The Free Download of the Good Death, a non-profit organization that promotes death literacy and end-of-life planning. She is also the author of the bestselling book *Smoke Gets in Your Eyes: And Other Lessons from the Crematory*.



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