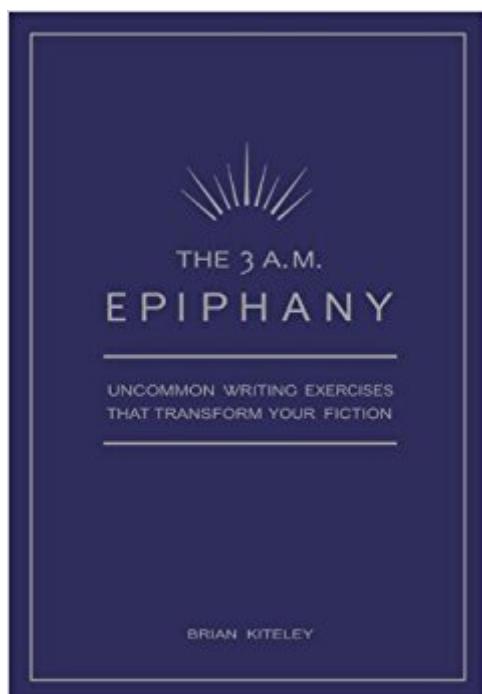


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Customer Reviews

Brian Kiteley is the director of the creative writing programme at a leading US university. A frequent award winner, he is the author of many successful novels.

This book is useful for when you're feeling stuck. Prompts are helpful - some were uninteresting to

me, but this is mainly so the book can appeal to a broader array of genres. A useful tool, but don't pay full price.

I randomly stumbled upon this book and ordered it a few weeks ago. I love it! I am part of a creative writing group and we choose one or two prompts to use and then discuss what we wrote. I give it 4 out of 5 stars because in some prompts the author explains too much, and the idea becomes convoluted. Although with that said, I highly recommend it!

The essential tool for broadening the mind of any writer, no matter how fresh or experienced they might be. I will always include this book in ever list of essential resources for writers, no matter their skill level, no matter the context. I believe it is absolutely indispensable.

I bought this for a fiction class I was taking, and kept it because I found the prompts helpful. Gave me a starting place for several stories.

Bought this as a gift for my boyfriend, so I haven't read it myself. He enjoyed it greatly and still flips through it on occasion to get some ideas. This and one other book helped inspire him to put his effort back into writing and he's actually gone back to school, so I suppose that's a good endorsement!

I have the privilege of being friends with many gifted writers. I bought this in a bookstore for a friend's birthday earlier this year and she loved it. Her writing, I can tell, has actually really improved since then. I decided to get it for my boyfriend as well for Christmas. It arrived in good time, a week and a half before Christmas, which is great. I worried it wouldn't get here in time. I think he's going to really enjoy it.

This copy replaces a copy that I had, and used, for a couple of years. One day when my granddaughter was visiting and sharing her budding love for creative writing with me, I got out my copy and we did a couple of exercises just for fun. In the end, she ended up taking my copy home with her to be her copy. This is my replacement copy. Yes, I like and USE this book that much, as well as the "4 A.M. Awaking."

This book is fantastic. It really gets a writer's brain working in a different way. It's holds a completely

different style of writing prompts - a style I have really been searching for! This has been the answer to my writing blocks, has offered prompts that really forced me to think, and offered me an outcome for short stories that I am incredibly proud of.

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