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Queen of the Road

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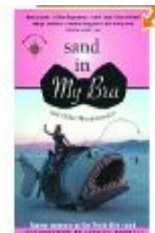


1. The Ridiculous Race: 26,000 miles, 2 guys, 1 globe, no airplanes,
by Gina Welch

Two friends decide to compete against each other in a ridiculous race around the globe. Starting in Los Angeles and heading in opposite directions, the men race to find ways to make it to the finish line by any means necessary-except by plane.

2. Sand in My Bra and Other Misadventures: Funny Women Write From the Road Edited by Jennifer L. Leo

This collection of essays details laugh-out-loud travel stories from a wide variety of female writers. Stories include embarrassing incidents in an Italian swimwear shop, etiquette if attempting to wear a chador in a Kuwait shopping mall, and problems with elastically-challenged underwear while in a Muslim country. <http://www.sandinmybra.com/>



3. Confessions of a Shopaholic, by Sophie Kinsella

Financial Journalist, Rebecca Bloomwood, finds herself in hot water after racking up mountains of debt shopping for the must-haves of the season. Coming up with a plan to avoid her creditor and make some money leads to silly laughs and a maybe just a little bit of flirting?

4. My Fair Lazy: One Reality Television Addict's Attempt to Discover if not Being a Dumb Ass is the New Black, or, a Culture-Up Manifesto, by Jen Lancaster

After an interview with Candace Bushnell of Sex in the City fame, Jen Lancaster decides she could use ore culture. Her attempts at becoming more cultured. Her attempts at becoming more cultured by attending the events and mingling with the right people have their successes, and definitely, failures. <http://www.jennsylvania.com/>



5. The J.A.P. Chronicles, by Isabel Rose

Ali Cohen is asked to make a film about the summer camp she attended 10 years ago and jumps at the chance to see what her other six bunkmates have been up to. Little does she know, not everything has turned out as sunny and perfect as it once looked like it could be.



6. [**sTori Telling**, by Tori Spelling](#)

Tori Spelling has formed a reality show about her real life family and been the center story of plenty of tabloids. Spelling uses her self deprecating humor to fill us in on what it was like growing up a Spelling and becoming a cult icon.

<http://twitter.com/torianddean>

7. [**Julie and Julia:365 Days, 524 Recipes, 1 Tiny Apartment Kitchen**](#),

[By Julie Powell](#)

Feeling stuck in her dead-end secretarial job, Julie Powell decides to spend a year cooking all 524 recipes from Julia Child's Mastering the Art of French Cooking. Powell narrowly avoids both mental and marital breakdowns while cooking and blogging her way to a delicious year. Meryl Streep and Amy Adams star in the 2009 movie version.

<http://juliepowell.blogspot.com>



8. [**When in Rome: A Novel of Piazzas and Passion**, by Gemma Townley](#)

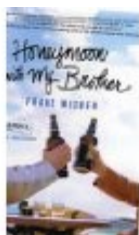
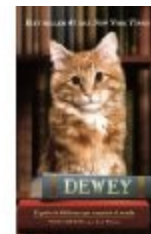
London researcher, Georgie Beauchamps, is feeling frustrated by her workaholic boyfriend, David, so she decides to join an ex on a weekend trip to Rome. David shows up in Rome to try to woo her back but both men seem to be acting a little suspicious. A little bit of romantic jealousy turns into a much larger madcap plot!

9. [**Dewey: The Small-Town Library Cat Who Touched the World**](#),

[by Vicki Myron](#)

On a freezing winter morning, Vicki Myron finds a little orange kitten shoved in the book return at the library. As the library director, she names him Dewey Readmore Books and finds him quickly becoming the library's welcoming committee and mascot.

<http://www.deweyreadmorebooks.com/>



10. [**Honeymoon with My Brother: A Memoir**, by Franz Wisner](#)

After being left at the altar by his fiancé, Franz Wisner decides to take his brother with him on his already-been-paid-for honeymoon to Costa Rica. Their trip reconnects the brothers and inspires them to leave their jobs, sell their belongings, and spend the next two years globe hopping.

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