



The String Book

By Adam Hart-Davis

FIREFLY BOOKS LTD, Canada, 2016. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 209 x 159 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. The String Book opens with a note about an 8,000-year-old piece of string that was found at a Stone Age settlement in England, about which the editor of British Archaeology said, I don t think the average person realizes what an important piece of technology string has been over the ages. The String Book is here to set that right. What the author calls a cornucopia of cunning and knowledge fills this informative and charming collection of history, knot instruction, facts and surprising trivia. The chapters and sections are: * Roping Yarns Knowing the Ropes; Stringing History; String, Rope and Religions; * String Along Day-to-Day String; String Fanatics; * Get Knotted 40 stoppers, reefs, bends, hitches, loops, whippings and shoelacings; * The Art of String Cultured String; Sporty String; * Loopy Science Discoveries and Inventions; Stringy Theories; * Country Ties On Land; At Sea; * Loose Ends String Miscellany; Stringy Websites. Amusing two-colour illustrations highlight the text. Here are examples of the stringiness in The String Book: * The Ancient Egyptians probably used string to help align pyramids north-south and east-west....



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