

September 2012 Issues Programming DT-1

Title: Educational Forum (EF)

Title: Books of our Times (BOT)

Weekly 60 Minute programs

Date Time Title Episode Length

Sunday 9/2/12 5:00am BOT 136 60

Description: Inside the Stalin Archive 1 : Issue addressed: Russia remains as enigmatic today as it was during the Iron Curtain era. With the collapse of the Soviet Union, the country had an opportunity to face its tortured past. In Inside the Stalin Archives, Jonathan Brent asks, why didn't this happen? Why are archivists under surveillance and phones still tapped? Why does Stalin, a man responsible for millions of deaths of his own people, remain popular enough to appear on boxes of chocolate sold in Moscow's airport?

Sunday 9/9/12 5:00am BOT 137 60

Description: Inside the Stalin Archive 2 : Issue addressed: Russia remains as enigmatic today as it was during the Iron Curtain era. With the collapse of the Soviet Union, the country had an opportunity to face its tortured past. In Inside the Stalin Archives, Jonathan Brent asks, why didn't this happen? Why are archivists under surveillance and phones still tapped? Why does Stalin, a man responsible for millions of deaths of his own people, remain popular enough to appear on boxes of chocolate sold in Moscow's airport?

Sunday 9/16/12 5:00am BOT 137 60

Description: When the game was ours : Issue addressed: Larry Bird and Magic Johnson are transcendent, iconic and timeless standard bearers of excellence who changed "The Game" forever, always bringing out the best in each other and never failing to put a smile on all our faces. *When the Game Was Ours* perfectly captures the defining moments of their lives from the very beginning of their fiercest of rivalries through their constantly evolving historical relationship and friendship right up to the present. This epic tome is the capstone of their landmark careers. It is also so much more than anyone could ever dream for. *When the Game Was Ours* brilliantly explains why "The Game" will always belong to Larry and Magic.

Sunday 9/23/12 5:00am BOT 137 60

Description: The Two Income Trap: Issue addressed: The number of families declaring bankruptcy or receiving a foreclosure against their house has shot up dramatically. Presenting carefully researched economic data to support their arguments, contrary to popular myth, families aren't in trouble because they're squandering their second income on luxuries. On the contrary, both incomes are almost entirely committed to necessities, such as home and car payments, health insurance and children's education costs. When an unforeseen event such as serious illness, job loss or divorce occurs, families have no discretionary income to fall back on. The authors recommend a number of useful societal solutions to get families out of this trap, such as legally prohibiting credit card companies from charging grossly unfair interest rates and exposing banks that employ a loan-to-own strategy that steers minority customers to higher mortgage rates with an eye to future foreclosures. Warren and Tyagi point out that families buy homes they cannot afford in order to live in a neighborhood with better schools. Their proposed solution, however-to institute a public school voucher system with wider choice-is less carefully thought out. Overall, however, this is a needed examination of an emerging social problem.

Sunday 9/23/10 5:00am BOT 162 60

Description: The rise and fall of Bernie Madhoff: Issue addressed: How to protect your investments. Discussion on how he built the largest ponzy scheme and how you can protect your investments. Guest Erin Arvedlund