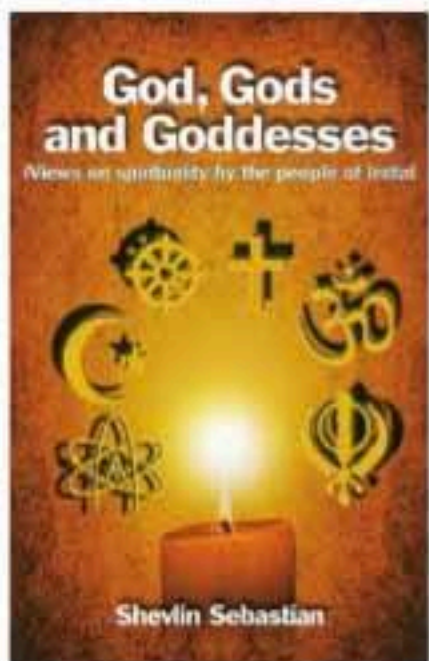
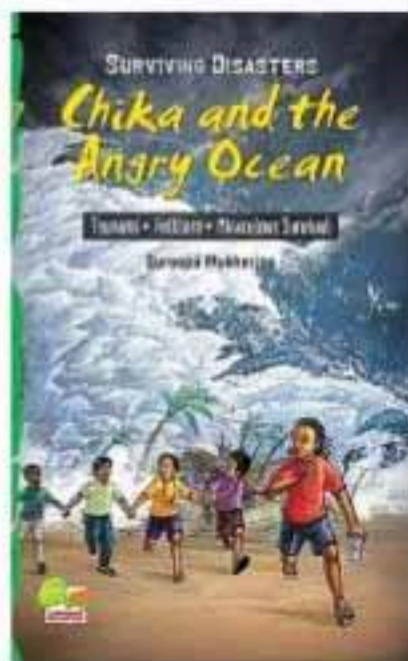


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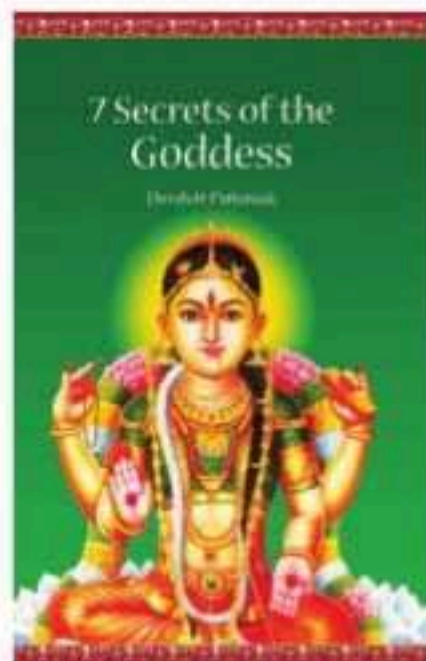
God, Gods and Goddesses

By: Shevlin Sebastian
Pages: 145 Publisher:
Amazon Price: ₹103
Hindus, Muslims, Jains,
Buddhists, Christians,
Parsis, Sikhs, and, not to
forget, atheists talk about
their religious beliefs, or lack
of it, and recount spiritual
anecdotes from their lives.
The list includes celebrities
like Usha Uthup and Resul
Pookutty, writers like the late
UR Anantha Murthy, and
Mollywood stars too.



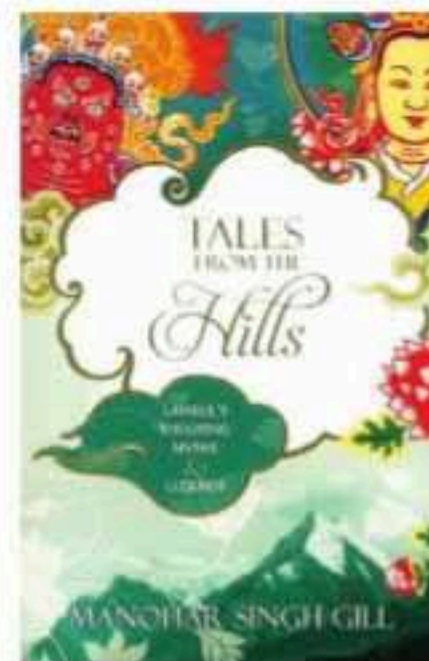
**Surviving Disasters: Chika
and the Angry Ocean**

By: Suroopa Mukherjee
Pages: 64 Publisher: Teri
Price: ₹150
On 26 December 2004,
tsunami struck the Indian
Ocean and took Andaman
& Nicobar Islands under its
spell. Chika, the little boy of
the Onge tribe, was warned
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about the ocean rising. This
story is about Chika's courage
and the life-wisdom of the
Onge tribe.



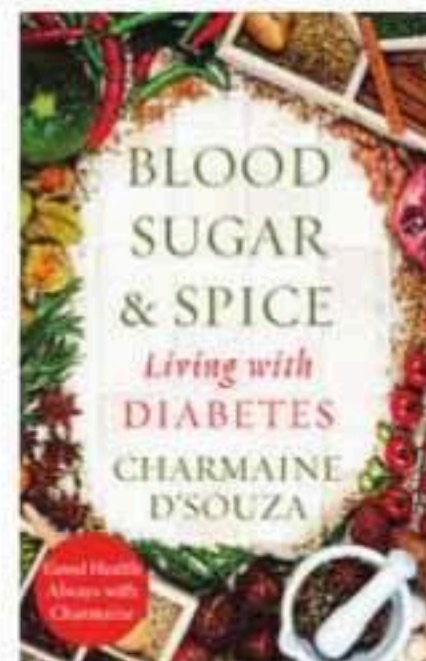
7 Secrets of the Goddess

By: Devdutt Pattanaik
Pages: 270 Publisher:
Westland Price: ₹395
The fourth title in the
bestselling *7 Secrets* series
focuses on the Goddess
and mythologist Devdutt
Pattanaik who tries to
unravel the secrets locked
within her stories, symbols
and rituals. Taken literally,
stories, symbols and rituals
of Hindu mythology have
much to say about gender
relationships.



Tales from the Hills

By: Manohar Singh Gill
Pages: 206 Publisher:
Harper Collins
Price: ₹299
Lahaul-Spiti (south of
Ladakh) presents the most
spectacular view to the eye.
It is believed the monasteries
here hide ancient legends.
Gill's lifelong affair with this
land has led him to collect
its most enduring folklore.
In this book, he narrates 32
stories that bring alive an
enchanted world.



Blood Sugar & Spice

By: Charmaine D'Souza
Pages: 240 Publisher:
Random House India
Price: ₹250
Blood Sugar and Spice is
a comprehensive manual
to help prevent, control
and cure diabetes using
naturopathy. Whether you
have been diagnosed with
diabetes, have a relative or
friend with diabetes or have
a general interest in the
ailment, this book is meant
for you.