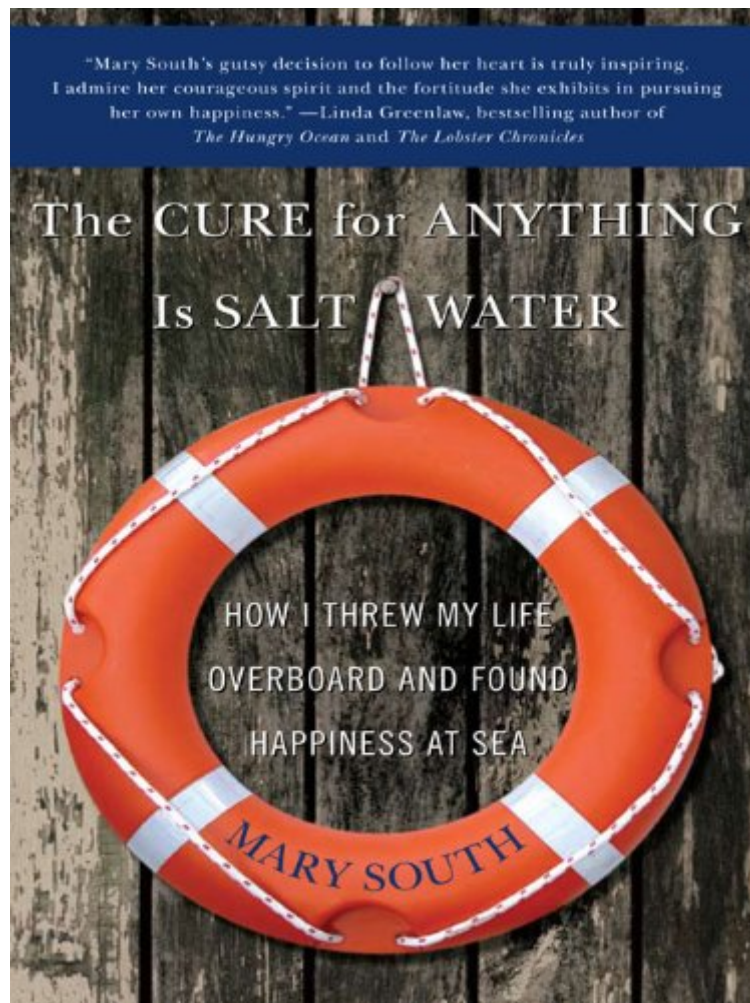




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The Cure For Anything Is Salt Water: How I Threw My Life Overboard And Found Happiness At Sea



Synopsis

At forty, Mary South had a beautiful home, good friends, and a successful career in book publishing. But she couldn't help feeling that she was missing something intangible but essential. So she decided to go looking for it . . . at sea. Six months later she had quit her job, sold the house, and was living aboard a forty-foot, thirty-ton steel trawler she rechristened Bossanova. Despite her total lack of experience, South set out on her maiden voyageâ "a fifteen-hundred-mile odyssey from Florida to Maineâ "with her one-man, two-dog crew. But what began as the fulfillment of an idle wish became a crash course in navigating the complicated byways of the self.

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turn away from my read and snort aloud on a public transit system means it has breached the public civility test -- which books, tender or tragic, dear or reared, must pass in order to be read, whether aloud, quietly, public, or private. This is an engaging combination of danger and dawdle, of exuberance and ease, of moxie and (mild) maudlin. It is a balance of blustery adventure and introspective reflection with ever constant rolling waves. For a reader without any connection to boating, it is a raveled tale worthy of Neptune/Poseidon.

Ms. South has a true knack not only for words, but also for conveying the everyday unspoken feelings we all have. Her frankness is inviting and comfortable. I am a sailor, so enjoyed the nautical undercurrent to the book. However, knowledge of the sea is no prerequisite to thoroughly enjoying this little book. I devoured it in three short nights and I predict you will also. GREAT WORK "Mare!"

I really enjoyed Mary South's writing when she was editor of Yachting Magazine. Her book is an enjoyable read about her life on the sea. She's a fascinating woman!

My fianc   loves this book

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Great library book for the boat.

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A fascinating and very entertaining book.

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