

Troublemaker: Surviving Hollywood and Scientology

Leah Remini's memoir, *Troublemaker: Surviving Hollywood and Scientology*, is a candid and unflinching account of her experiences in the Church of Scientology and her subsequent departure. The book is a must-read for anyone interested in Scientology, celebrity culture, or the power of speaking out against injustice.



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Remini was raised in a devout Scientology family and joined the church at the age of nine. She quickly rose through the ranks, becoming a high-ranking member of the Sea Org, the church's elite inner circle. However, after years of dedication and sacrifice, Remini began to question the church's teachings and practices. She eventually left Scientology in 2013, and has since become one of the church's most vocal critics.

In *Troublemaker*, Remini pulls no punches in her account of Scientology. She describes the church's authoritarian leadership, its bizarre beliefs and practices, and its ruthless treatment of its members. She also details her own experiences with abuse and intimidation, both within the church and after she left.

Remini's story is a powerful reminder of the dangers of cults and the importance of speaking out against injustice. *Troublemaker* is a must-read for anyone who wants to understand the dark underbelly of Hollywood and the true nature of Scientology.

The Rise of a Troublemaker

Leah Remini was born in Brooklyn, New York, in 1970. Her parents were both devout Scientologists, and Remini was raised in the church from a young age. She quickly showed a talent for acting, and at the age of nine, she was cast in a Scientology-produced film called *Kids for a Drug-Free America*.

Remini's success in the film led to a contract with the Scientology-owned television network, the Independent Television Network (ITN). She starred in several ITN shows, including the sitcom *Growing Up Scientologist*. Remini's career was on the rise, and she was quickly becoming one of the most famous Scientologists in the world.

However, behind the scenes, Remini was struggling. She was disillusioned with Scientology's teachings and practices, and she began to question the church's authority. In 2006, Remini finally decided to leave Scientology. She was immediately declared a "suppressive person" by the church, and she was cut off from all contact with her family and friends.

Life After Scientology

After leaving Scientology, Remini struggled to rebuild her life. She was unemployed and had lost contact with her family and friends. However, she refused to give up. She began speaking out about her experiences in Scientology, and she quickly became a leading critic of the church.

In 2015, Remini co-founded the Aftermath Foundation, a non-profit organization that helps people who have left Scientology. The foundation provides counseling, support, and legal assistance to former Scientologists.

Remini's work with the Aftermath Foundation has helped thousands of people leave Scientology and rebuild their lives. She is a true troublemaker, and her work is making a real difference in the world.

The Troublemaker

Leah Remini is a troublemaker in the best sense of the word. She is not afraid to speak out against injustice, even when it is unpopular. She is a powerful voice for those who have been silenced, and her work is making a real difference in the world.

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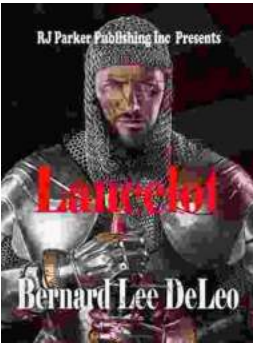
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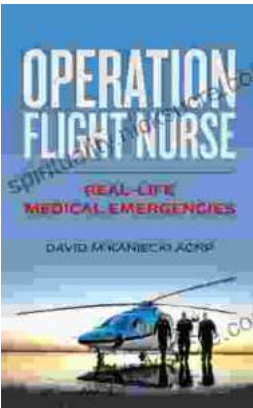


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