

THE PEOPLE'S APOCALYPSE

by Ariel Gore and Jenny Forrester

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Raising chickens, hoarding grain, stockpiling firearms, learning to build fires and solar ovens, imagining zombies or Revelations-Jesus, dreaming up environmental utopias in which the Salmon and vines take over--*The People's Apocalypse* is a compendium of visions and memoirs exploring all the ways we prepare for and imagine the apocalypse. Editors Ariel Gore (*Hip Mama*) and Jenny Forrester (*Trailer Trash Writing*) bring together emerging writers and luminaries like Tomas Moniz (*Rad Dad*) and Derrick Jensen (*A Language Older than Words*) to create a lyrical vision of love and survival at the end of time

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The People Apocalypse is the only anthology that includes practical survival tips for hippie utopian, environmentalist, U.S. Army, and Christian fundamentalist visions of the end times. The books is at once lyrical, political, and thought-provoking.



Ariel Gore is the founding editor of Hip Mama and the author of seven books including *Bluebird: Women and the New Psychology of Happiness* (FSG, 2010) and *How to Become a Famous Writer Before You're Dead* (Three Rivers, 2007).



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