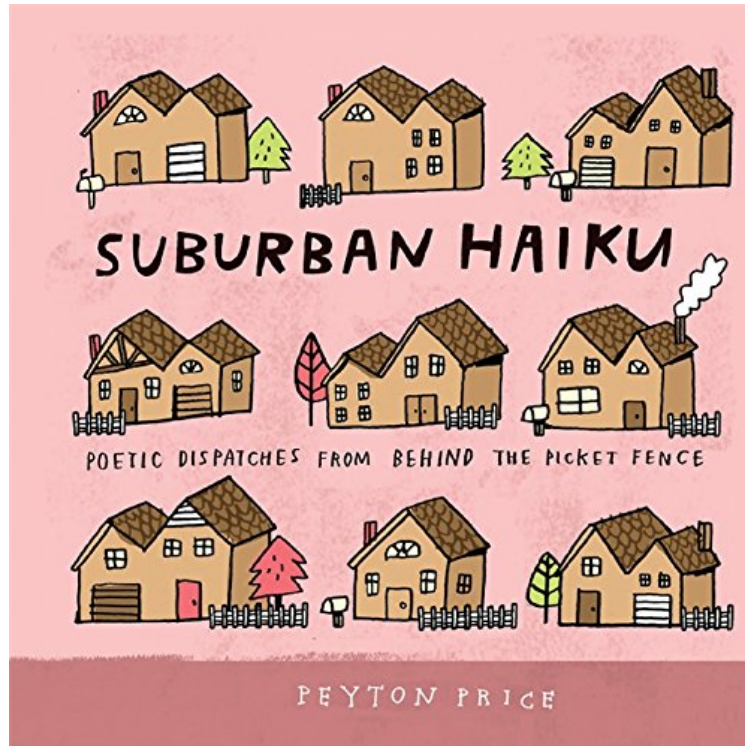


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By Chris Dean
Ever since the day the internet blew up with its praise for this book, I've been curious if it was really as good as everyone was saying it is. And it was! Never taking herself too seriously, these wonderful little windows into Suburban life kept me giggling throughout the entire book! If you're "put off" by the concept of reading a book of Haiku, don't be. After all, this is NOT your Freshman English class Haiku, but three-lined portals into how a reluctant Soccer Mom gets it done. If you like intelligent humor, you'll love this!
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Reluctantly into the carpool line we go! Suburban mothers may look the look and pack the nut free lunches, but our minds are deft and Peyton Price has written a most delightful book to prove it. Using very few words, she has artfully and hilariously expressed what so many of us are thinking. It is brilliantly written, beautifully designed and very well organized! I read it cover to cover in one sitting, then handed it to my husband, who did the same.
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By Customer
Peyton Price puts my life into Haiku perfectly! As the mom of five children, these all hit home. They made me laugh and say "so true!" I love her daily haikus on Twitter, it's great to have a collection of them in one place.

Peyton Price understands the psyche of the suburban mother. Once an ambitious go-getter with a respected career, Price veered off the fast track and into the carpool lane. Wanting what's best for two kids and a husband, Price finds it hard not to keep up with the Joneses—especially when they are living right next door. Yet, unlike other micro-managing mothers, Price does not unwind with a glass of wine, but with haiku. True to form, every haiku is a 17-syllable catharsis—capturing the frustration and elation of daily suburban motherhood. Price's topics, or rather, targets, range from boring PTA meetings and kids' sports to the elusive spa day, and everything in between.

About the Author Peyton Price still thinks she could have been a contender. Instead, she's living the American dream in suburbia, along with her devoted husband, two above-average children, bonehead dog, uppity cat, six-year-old hermit crab, a tank full of tropical fish that nobody else seems to clean, and whatever is making that skritch sound under the kitchen sink.