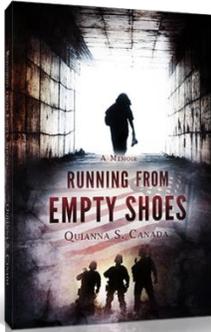


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*Running From Empty Shoes* is proactive and ‘ginseng,’ it whitewashes the code of silence, treacherous paths, and colorful methods of punishment while exposing the risks of going pro se.

--Civil Rights Activist



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“What is needed, rather than running away or controlling or suppressing or any other resistance, is understanding fear; that means, watch it, learn about it, come directly into contact with it. We are to learn about fear, not how to escape from it.” -Jiddu Krishnamurti

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