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About the Book: The book emerged through 16 blog posts I wrote from January through May 2019, in response to our increasingly evident and severe inability to engage in authentic, civil conversation, especially in disagreement.

I began work on the book in late summer 2019 and was working on the final draft in early 2020 when COVID-19 emerged. The book went to production in mid-May when the global cases were approaching 5 million, and global deaths were just over 300,000. George Floyd’s murder and the global response to it occurred after the book was in production. See *Killing America* (poetry, 2018) for some of my views on violence in the United States.

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