



## Wisdom Under the Bridge: The Prophets from Skid Row

By Linda Ross Swanson

CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform. Paperback. Book Condition: New. This item is printed on demand. Paperback. 342 pages. Dimensions: 7.9in. x 5.2in. x 0.9in. Linda Ross Swanson has recorded letters from former homeless addicts and some of their advocates in *Wisdom Under the Bridge: The Prophets from Skid Row* (ISBN 1463530595). She believes the stories in these letters will appeal to individuals from all backgrounds because we all have our own story, whether we are rich, poor, homeless or homeowners. Swanson includes the details of her own spiritual journey. She is a 25-year recovering alcoholic herself. Two of her brothers were also alcoholics who lived on and off the streets for years. The men and women featured in her book describe what life was like before finding the road to recovery. They recall the frightening experiences and the grungy living conditions. Despite the hardships they faced, they found the strength and motivation to turn their lives around. Their letters tell how advocates for the homeless worked hard to arrange employment and housing for them. Eventually, all of them became contributing members in a society, which once looked down upon them. Swanson adapts the Jewish tradition of the ethical will to reflect her...



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