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Happy Holiday Reading

Thinking, Fast and Slow
By Daniel Kahneman

This book is a great read about how people make decisions – sometimes well, and sometimes not. Kahneman's examples of the common errors and biases that get in our way are both enlightening and entertaining. If you would like to improve how you make decisions in your work and personal lives, or help others to do so, this is the book for you.

Team of Rivals
By Doris Kearns Goodwin

How does one work effectively with others who have different perspectives? This book provides an insightful exploration of how Abraham Lincoln engaged a team of very different and talented people into his cabinet to manage extraordinary challenges. His story provides a great example of the power that can be found in diversity of thought.

*Factfulness: Ten Reasons We're Wrong About the
World – and Why Things Are Better Than You Think*
By Hans Rosling, Anna Rosling Rönnlund,
and Ola Rosling

The news we digest and the information we discuss with others can lead us into believing that things are much worse than they really are – resulting in us seeing the world as more dangerous, poorer, and less healthy than it really is. The authors present a great review of data on these topics and highlight ten natural instincts we have as people that get in the way of putting things into the proper perspective, and how to overcome them.

