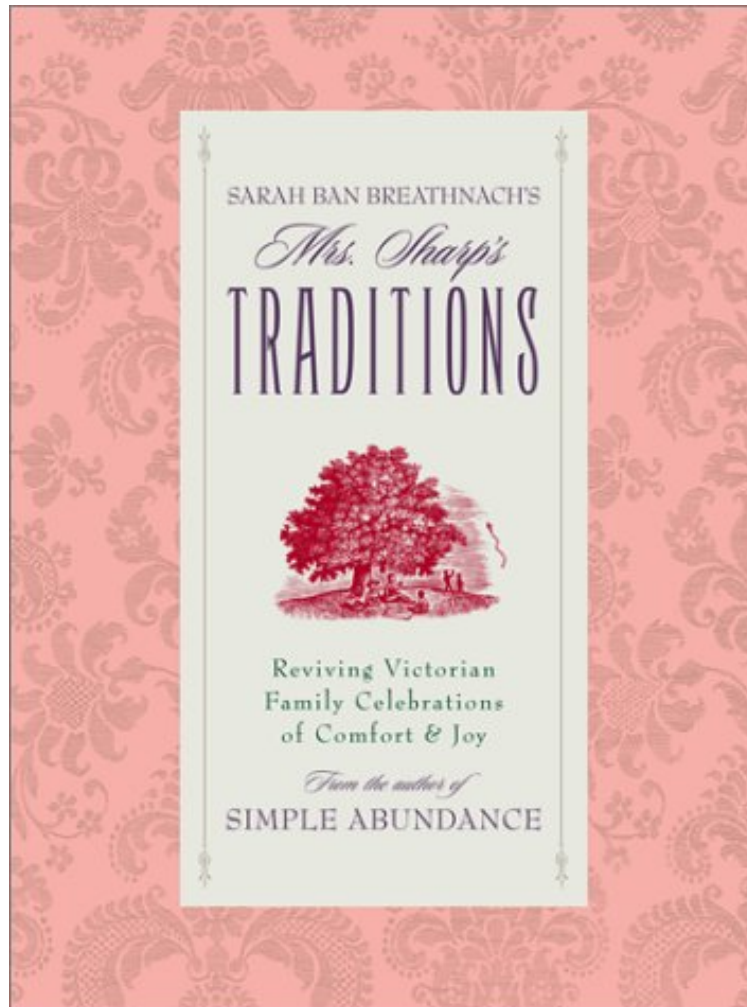


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celebratory occasions. She also addresses ways to make otherwise miserable times into pleasantly memorable times such as sick and rainy days. While some of the traditions suggested do seem a little archaic and old fashioned (which I find to some extent in *Simple Abundance*), it is a great book if you have young children and want some ideas on really fun, memorable ways to celebrate special occasions. My New Year's resolution was to slow down and live in the moment (to the extent possible for a working mom of three children heavily involved in extra-curricular activities!) and this book is really a helpful tool in fulfilling that resolution. (I LOVE the book but gave it 4 stars because I also purchased a used copy of an earlier edition of this book which is now out of print which has more stunning illustrations.)

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This book was a joy to read! My best friend since childhood that lives several states away called me a few years ago and said I must read this book. I was a little hesitant to purchase the book as sometimes our reading material does not jive with each other but she was spot on with this recommendation, it truly is a gem.

The seeds for the ground-breaking *Simple Abundance*, Sarah Ban Breathnach's hugely successful bestseller, were first planted in *Mrs. Sharp's Traditions*. In this revised, redesigned edition of her charmingly illustrated Victorian style- and sourcebook, Sarah introduces to her legions of new readers the old-fashioned pleasures of family, customs, and home.