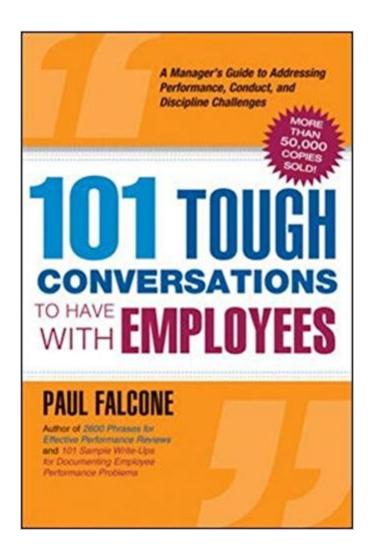


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Great book for those tough and many times awkward conversations. Being honest and forthright with employees is the way to go and this book helps you discuss everything from body odor to attendance issues with tact and candor. The concrete examples are the best feature of the book. Saying that one should discuss things in this manner or that is much less effective than hearing the actual manager's side of the conversation being played out. As a new manager last year I have gone back and referenced this book more than any other management book I've read!

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