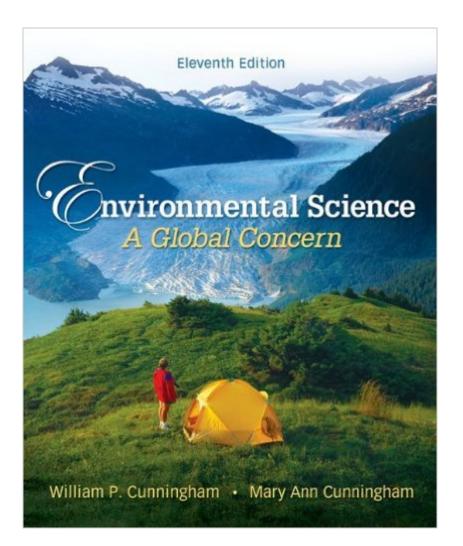
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Required textbook for a college Environmental Science class. Since I live near the Hudson River, it is quite informative. Easy to read and to understand.

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