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John Bayer : 15 Months of Winter: My Year in North Dakota before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised 15 Months of Winter: My Year in North Dakota:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Loved This Book!!By Holly Flora15 Months Of Winter is a hilarious look at what living in Crosby, North Dakota is really like! In July 2012, John moved from Los Angeles to Crosby with the dream of not living in LA anymore but he soon finds out how much North Dakota is not like LA. With John writing for the local newspaper (The Journal) this book is much of what he wrote during his short but long time in Crosby and everything he experienced during his time there.When I saw this book, I knew that I had to read it

due to the simple fact that myself and my family had lived in Crosby, ND from 2004 to 2010 and I know exactly what he's talking about in this book!! Everything that was said in this book is true for outsiders not knowing what the culture is like there especially their love of Lutefisk and Slush Burgers which I still don't understand that! I had this book read in less than two hours just to see what he thinks of a town that will make you hate some parts of it but it has this draw that keeps wanting you to come back to, long after you leave it. On a side note, the fact that a certain John who is no longer there, reading what he did for John Bayer just made a tear come to my eye knowing that was the kind of person that made it hard leaving a place like Crosby! Thank You to John Bayer for sharing your thoughts on a town we both love to hate during certain times of the year that involves snow! This book came from my own personal Library! 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Very astute and funny By Charger This book was hysterical with very astute observations about us North Dakotans. Guess we sometimes need an "outsider" to point out some things that we don't notice about ourselves. Loved it so much that I sent a copy to a daughter who has "migrated" to Maine and to a brother-in-law in Connecticut who has a soft spot for North Dakota. 2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. We love to laugh at ourselves By Vickie Being of Scandinavian decent (Finn), and born and bred North Dakotan, I laughed all the way through it. We love to laugh at ourselves. But there is a bunch of stuff he didn't even try to touch on, with it being only being 206 pages with lots of pictures. Anyway, I didn't think he had much ND staying power. Loved the book but try again a bit harder.

In July 2012, John Bayer left Los Angeles and moved to North Dakota. He moved there with a dream in his heart – the dream was to not live in Los Angeles anymore. John quickly discovered that North Dakota is the most "not Los Angeles" place in the world. Fifteen Months of Winter: My Year in North Dakota contains John's reflections and musing about living in the Dakota that doesn't have Mount Rushmore. Many of the essays in this book come directly from his award winning O! Pioneer newspaper column (ND Newspaper Association – 2012 First Place Humor column – weeklies 2000+ circulation). Also contained in this book are all of the random thoughts, notes and writings that just simply weren't good enough to be put into print. Until now!