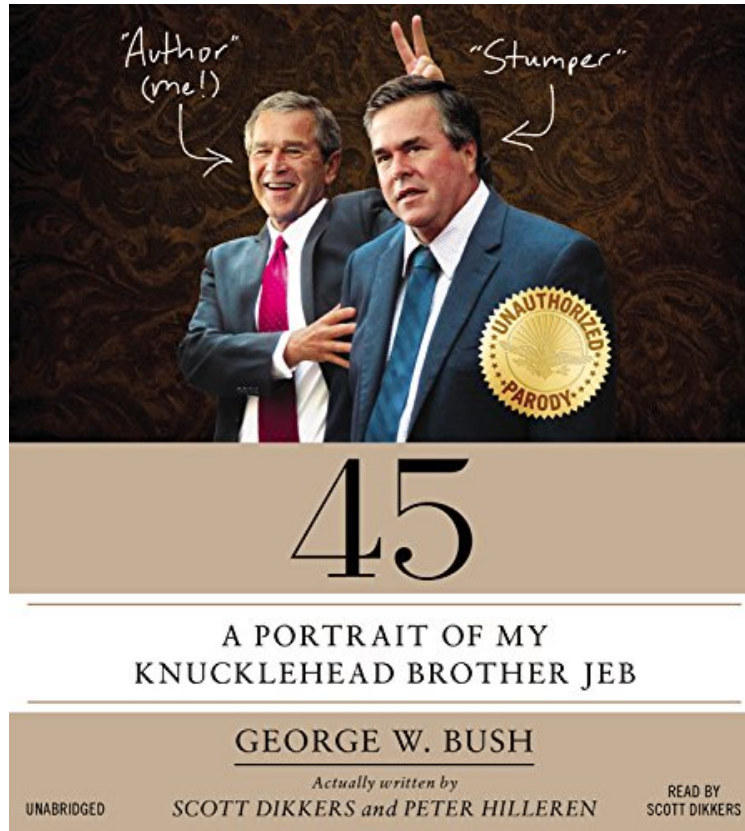


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Scott Dikkers, Peter Hilleren : 45: A Portrait of My Knucklehead Brother Jeb before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised 45: A Portrait of My Knucklehead Brother Jeb:

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Concise in its satire of the Bush family By Paul Ostensively written by George Dubya Bush himself, this is an account of how he trained his little brother Jeb to be president despite all the personality quirks and family history working against him. It wasn't till the bios at the end that I found out the actual writer was the guy who invented The Onion; everything fell into place at that moment. This isn't a laugh out loud comedy; this humor is insidious, subversive. . . subtle. When I read Dubya saying, "One of my favorite pastimes at as a boy was torturing frogs," it explained so much. Another gem is ". . . failing at business—and failing big—is a long-standing Bush tradition." So if you like this sort of thing, with supposedly self-deprecating jabs—though often Dubya sees them as positives—this is perfect for you. If you think this kind of thing might offend you, just make sure no one sees you reading it, you'll chuckle anyway.

An irreverent take on the national bestseller 41: A Portrait of My Father by George W. Bush, 45 is a no-holds-barred tell-all written in the voice of former president George W. Bush as he stumps for his brother Jeb--perhaps doing more

harm than good. In *45: A Portrait of My Knucklehead Brother Jeb*, George W. Bush takes readers on a journey through his "butt-faced kid brother's" life, detailing the experiences that forged his presidential character, and in his own plainspoken and sometimes even comprehensible style, showing us why the younger Bush should be the next leader of the free world. And while he definitely wants Jeb to be commander-in-chief, he just can't stop razzing him either. *45* is the most hilarious (and backhanded) presidential endorsement you've ever read--a true literary noogie from one brother to another.

About the Author Scott Dikkers is a #1 New York Times bestselling author who founded the world's first humor website, theonion.com. His work has won the Thurber Prize for American Humor, a Peabody, and over 30 Webby Awards. A former writer for *The Onion*, Peter Hilleren is a public radio producer whose top-ten iTunes George W. Bush parody podcast "Weekly Radio Address " led to his partnering with Dikkers to create *Destined for Destiny*.