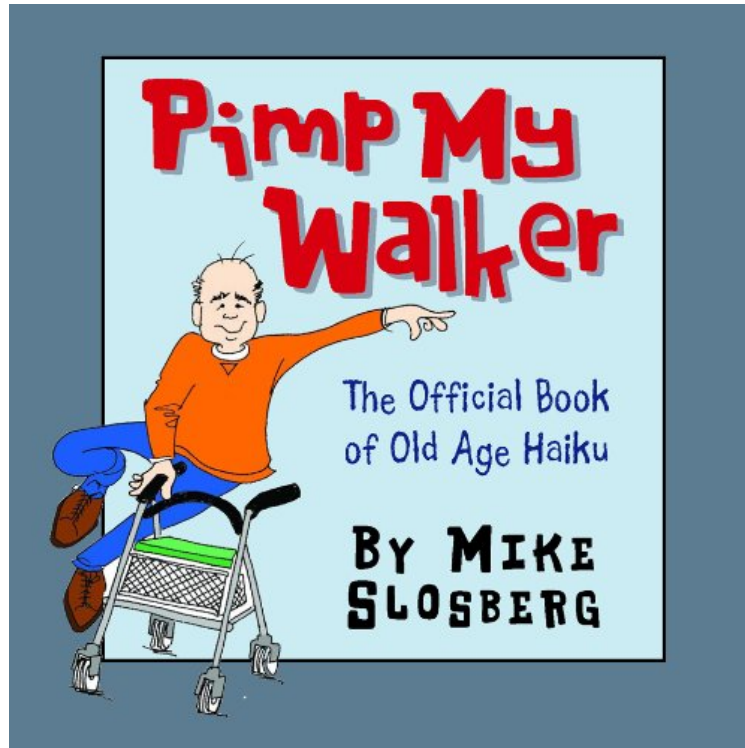


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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. An amusing and sometimes funny book on aging that lovers of haiku may want to check out. By Joseph J. Truncale Poetry is the song of life and my favorite poetic form is Japanese haiku. I have read, reviewed and have written many books over the years on haiku. Being a senior the title of this book (Pimp my walker: the official book of old age haiku by Mike Slosberg) caught my attention. This little 96 page hardcover volume has 73 haiku along with numerous cartoons to spice up the book. The last page encourages you to write your own haiku, which consists of 17 syllables, with a three line poem of 5 syllables on the first and third lines and 7 syllables on the middle like. A few of the amusing old age poems in this volume include the following: I can remember High school reunion When sex was better than food Everyone looks so ancient Now vice is versa Except yours truly We've stopped arguing, My grandson and I Not a good sign, since conflict Have something big in common. Helps circulation We both wear pampers This little book was a quick 10 minute read; nevertheless, I found it a sometimes funny but most of the time amusing book relating haiku. Rating: 4 Stars. Joseph J. Truncale (Author: Haiku Moments: How to read, write and enjoy haiku). 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. What the hell do you buy an Aging Boomer? By John Emmerling What's the perfect gift for an aging Boomer (or even a long-in-tooth Gen-Xer) who might have a walker lurking in their future? Author-illustrator Mike Slosberg has the perfect answer his "Pimp My Walker" is a witty clutch of cartoons and haiku that will have you thinking about and laughing about the quirky

challenges (and sometimes silly opportunities) that come along with becoming a fully licensed Walker Owner Operator. Anyone over 50 will enjoy discovering Slosberg's handy manual poking out of their holiday stocking. (After that, leave them alone while they spin through page after page of age-appropriate chuckles.) 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. For my Favorite Old Guy . . . By J. E. D. Falby I actually bought this last Christmas for my favorite old guy (Me!) It doesn't pretend to be great literature, but it's one hell of a laugh when you reach the age when (to quote the book) "Food is better than Sex" Keep soldiering On! Cheers! Jed

A Guide For Growing Old With Style Got a computer Can't use it yet, but it looks Good on the table Occasionally a rare book comes along that approaches the matter of aging with sympathy, understanding, and sobriety. This book is not one of them. On the contrary, Pimp My Walker: The Official Book of Old Age Haiku by Mike Slosberg accepts aging with the solemnity of slipping on a banana peel. As the subtitle indicates, the author has taken the age-old art form of haiku and turned it into an art form for old age - or at least aging. Each of the 73 poems is a gem of wit, wisdom, and cantankerousness. Witness his take on life's little pleasures: I can remember When sex was better than food Now vice is versa Mike maintains that old age really sucks, and one has to be philosophical and poetic to survive. Humor is the only defense - with the exception, perhaps, of copious amounts of surgery. Humor is the alchemy that can magically turn tragedy into comedy. Pimp My Walker is a celebration of the cardinal aspects of growing old, softened only with Mike's hilariously appropriate illustrations. Think of it as an owner's manual for aging with humor, whether you are this or that side of 40 or are simply slipping to the far side of 80. It will keep you youthful. It is good for the digestion and low in cholesterol. Mike Slosberg is a self-described OLD novelist, playwright, and cartoonist. His previous books include the novels The August Strangers and The Hitler Error. Mike writes haiku instead of doing crosswords, putting boats in bottles, and lamenting his age.

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