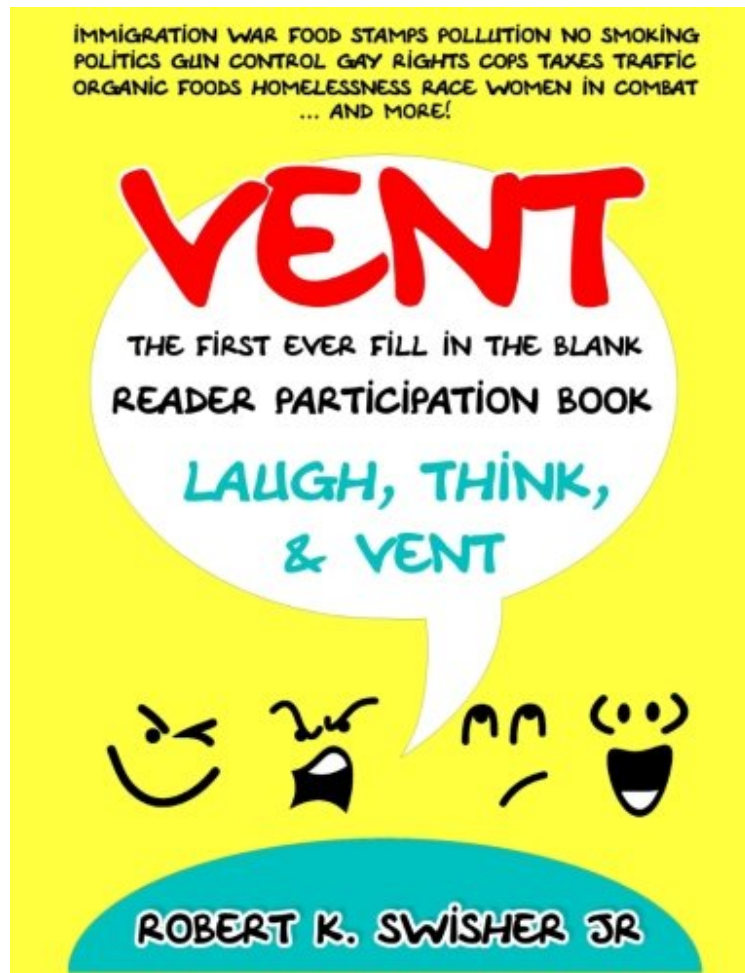


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will be sitting in a wheel chair gazing blankly out the window while the underpaid staff spends the majority of their time filling out paperwork.” So prepare to read it expecting a bold, in-your-face riposte from the author. Five stars. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Original! By Anon Anon This is a reader participation book. What an original idea! Author Robert K. Swisher Jr. is a writer I enjoy reading. I’ve read several of his books and have always considered them to be well written and interesting. This book is a departure from anything he’s done and I was captivated by the format. As you read, the author presents you with questions about topics both important and whimsical. Two examples: “Why is it that, when cuts have to be made in state budgets, usually one of the first items to get funding cuts is education?” “Have you ever felt sad and ironic at the same time? Yes... No...” This is not a book to be rushed. Read it at your leisure and think about the questions posed. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. I Loved It By REGina I loved it. I hated it. I loved it. You'll be confused too. Vent is a wonderful book about everything. I don't believe there's a single topic Mr. Swisher didn't include in this book and I'm almost certain you're going to find at least one thing to disagree with him about in Vent. The author's opinionated, a little out there but that only made him all that more lovable - which no doubt he would totally hate to hear, because I'm not all that certain he wants to be considered lovable - maybe worldly and thoughtful but I doubt if he was shooting for lovable. Vent is a unique book that will make you think about everything - fill in the blank.

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..".in reading the book you are forced to think outside the box of received and often unexplored wisdom - mostly about political and social ideology, but also a more general philosophy of life. The best way I can describe its effect is that it's like a warm spoon that reaches down inside and tickles you while stirring a whole potful of ideas and what it really means to be a human being in these strange and often scary times of the 21st century..." --Lesley Hayes; award-winning author of Round Robin and The Drowned Phoenician Sailor ..".in my humble opinion Kurt Vonnegut would love this book..." --Christopher Meade; author of The Zombie, The Cat, and Barack Obama ..".only Swisher can take a blustery, cantankerous character and make him likable...he pokes fun at everybody...with a blend of truth and sarcasm that is not only hilariously entertaining but relevant in today's overly politically correct world. Vent reminds us there are two sides to every story, and what you see is not always what you get..." --Ginger Myrick; author of The Welsh Healer and Work of Art About the Author Robert K Swisher Jr has spent his entire writing career, forty-nine years and counting, going against the grain of what most writers think is necessary or proper. Of the thirty novels he has written, sixteen, with hard work and luck, have been published by traditional presses, eight of these are still in print and three have been turned into e-books, two were optioned for several years but were not turned into movies. Swisher has indied eight e-books, ranging from funny mysteries, literary, to an off the wall love story.