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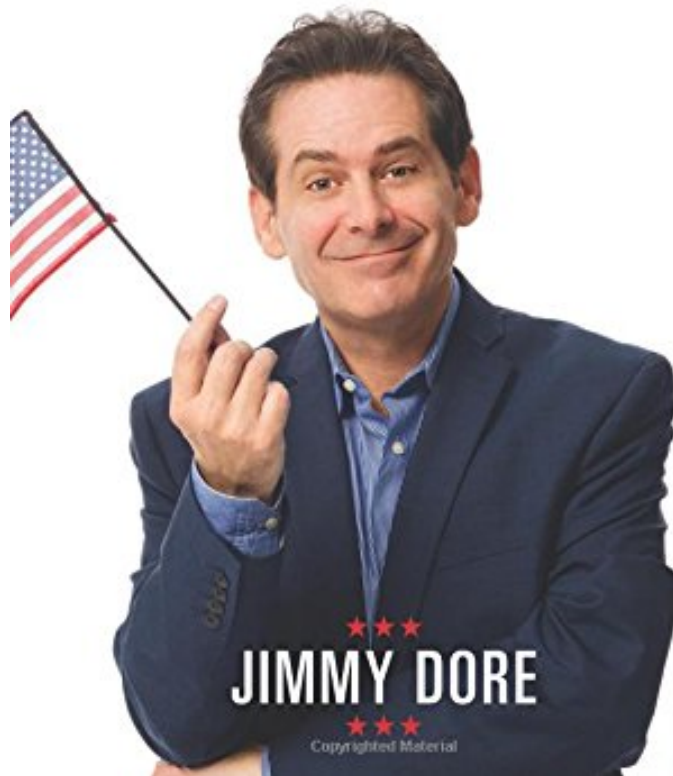
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Jimmy Dore : Your Country Is Just Not That Into You: How the Media, Wall Street, and Both Political Parties Keep on Screwing You—Even After You’ve Moved On before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Your Country Is Just Not That Into You: How the Media, Wall Street, and

Both Political Parties Keep on Screwing You—Even After You've Moved On:

2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Know what to expect to fully enjoy this book. By Code_of_Error It would feel inappropriate for me to rate this book as anything other than five stars. Jimmy Dore is a comedian first, and a political commentator second. Throughout the book, he makes many cogent points on politics, which are likely to evoke critical thinking. Use his points as a starting point for additional research and food for thought. I say this because in his book, Jimmy Dore does not tend to delve into issues with any significant depth. He vaguely acknowledges this at the start of the book when he says to treat the book as a TV and invites readers to skip around. He covers many topics; at times, any three given pages address three different subject matters. Nonetheless, his competence on addressing contentious issues is made evident as the book goes on. Personally, I have always enjoyed Jimmy Dore most when he is giving political commentary, like on *The Young Turks*. He often goes on passionate tangents, and sprinkles in the occasional joke. That is the Jimmy Dore that appeals to me. This book is extremely heavy on the comedy, and sometimes it gets distracting from the point. I get more out of his enthusiastic speeches/rants than I do his straight up comedy, although he is undoubtedly funny. His comedy routines do often include a political spin, but I prefer when funniness is not the focus. I like to see Jimmy Dore's pure fiery, which is what viewers often get a glimpse of when he is in a traditional talk-show setting. One could describe him as "raw" when he is not playing the role of a comedian. Just know that this book is geared for people who already appreciate his humor, and take a liking for his traditional comedy routines. If you are like me and value Jimmy Dore for his ability to capture an audience (in a non-comedy setting) and make stirring points in an interesting manner, this book certainly contains that, but I have an alternate suggestion: Watch the video "Jimmy Dore Looks At America, Conservatives Media" by TheLipTV in which he talks about his book, or view the interview *The Young Turks* did on him, which also addresses the book. Between those two videos, the main ideas of the book are addressed and you see Jimmy Dore cleverly address hot-button issues without spending \$12 or so.

25 of 27 people found the following review helpful. Brilliantly funny and thought-provoking By Jennifer Pelkey Brilliantly funny and thought-provoking, Jimmy Dore puts it all out there. I sincerely hope all of my liberal friends read this. I will demand that my friends who THINK they are conservatives read it, too: they'll realize that, as decent, compassionate people, they cannot actually support the conservative politicians and pundits.

9 of 10 people found the following review helpful. My Favorite Comedy Show in Book Form By JG For those who are listeners to radio show or podcast of 'The Jimmy Dore Show' this book is basically the written word version of the themes covered on the show, which is to say it's a collection of angry but extremely funny criticisms of the corrupt politicians and the dumber-than-dirt voters who elect them. The chapters are a narrative by Jimmy combining his own background with themes of politics, race, and culture with transcripts from hilarious Mike MacRae phone calls sprinkled throughout the chapters. The Mike MacRae calls always lose his spot-on impression skills when written down in a book but just imagine his impression when you read them and they're just as funny.

For those who aren't familiar with *The Jimmy Dore Show*, imagine the type of insightful, liberal-leaning current events comedy talk show along the lines of 'The Daily Show with Jon Stewart' but much angrier, more direct, without the wimpy pulling of punches, and instead of sarcastic but polite interviews of creeps like Bill O'Reilly you get hilarious interviews with a brilliant impressionist of blowhards like O'Reilly that delivers a far funnier (and more honest) interview than anything Stewart has ever done on his show. Now imagine this awesome show written down as a book and you have this book.

Why is your brother-in-law concerned about the Estate Tax? Why do millionaire news reporters get everything wrong? Why are blood-sucking teachers bankrupting America? Jimmy Dore, the comedy darling of America's Progressive Left, answers all these questions and more! In this laugh-out-loud collection of essays that are both street-smart and informed, Jimmy sets out to discover what's wrong. Crackling with caustic wit and insight, no aspect of American life is safe from Jimmy's hilarious scrutiny. He gets to the heart of the issues: why Republicans should support gay marriage or why the President shouldn't have Secret Security until the country has gun control, bringing clarity and hilarity to the incoherent noise of our punditocracy. This outrageously entertaining manifesto is an excellent resource for those who have survived long arguments during family dinners. And in a media environment dominated by corporate interests, Jimmy's take-no-prisoners approach is fearless: going after both political parties, and all corners of mainstream news. A David against an army of Goliaths. Equal measures of silliness and spleen-venting, *Your Country Is Just Not That Into You* is the most oddly uplifting political book of the year.

"Jimmy Dore is: outrageous and outraged, bothersome and bothered, and a crucial, profane, passionate voice for progressives and free-thinkers in 21st century America. This book will anger you if you're a conservative and enrage you if you're a liberal. Enjoy!"—Patton Oswalt

"Jimmy has written a book with a very funny title. It turns out there are thousands of funny things in the book too! And the end is inspirational (go on, leaf ahead, I'll wait)...See, I told you. Now buy it."—Ben Mankiewicz, host of *Turner Classic Movies*

"If you're interested in laughing, you're interested in Jimmy Dore. You know what this country needs? It needs to read more from Jimmy Dore. What makes Jimmy really

funny is his honesty. The whole book rings true because it is true.”—Cenk Uygur, host of The Young Turks, the “world’s largest online news show” Jimmy Dore is one of the the funniest human beings I’ve ever met. I’m a huge fan of his stand up, podcast, and ping pong serve. I love his new book. It made me laugh and it makes sense.”—Bill Burr, comedian