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WACKY CHICKS

by
SIMON
DOONAN

NATIONAL BESTSELLER

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Wacky Chicks: Life Lessons from Fearlessly Inappropriate and Fabulously Eccentric Women



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In his bestselling *Wacky Chicks*, irreverent public commentator and humor writer Simon Doonan introduces readers to a bracing cross portion of exuberantly unconventional women: comedienne Amy Sedaris; fashion designer turned park ranger Spider Fawke; Distinguished mainly by their crazy originality and rule-breaking chutzpah, these women defy rules, shape the cultural landscape, and enrich the world. for short). and many more. Warhol muse Brigid Berlin;H. In a word, they are Wacky, and they are ready to enlighten you.U.N.C. They are about as different a flock as you can imagine, but all are Belligerent, Resilient, Uninhibited, Naughty, Creative, and Hilarious (B. Suzanne Bartsch, the girl who showed Madonna how to vogue;R. A publication that pays tribute to the crazy and unstoppable feminine in each folks, *Wacky Chicks* is the ultimate guidebook to embracing your internal rebel.



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Not as good as his others I bought this book because I had just browse Eccentric Glamour and Beautiful People (aka Nasty) and was desperately starving for a few more Simon Doonan. One reviewer stated that it had "an excessive amount of Simon" in it, but for me the problem was not enough Simon. However this one was much less interesting. Amazing, made me want to look up all of the wacky chicks described and make them my new heroes! I have a reserve of hers about macrobiotics, and a very silly book it is). I am aware I'm reading this book 12 years after it was originally published, and a whole lot has changed since then, but I was cringing so difficult before I had actually finished the launch. I think it's easier to follow his assistance in the latter publication rather than wanting to emulate the chicks in that one. And even if you aren't wanting to emulate these wacky chicks - I doubt anyone will be, really - they're not that interesting to read about. Because they aren't "traditional" (whatever which means) doesn't mean they are actually that fascinating. Granny. Of course, Simon himself (or at least the type he portrays in Beautiful People) can be desperate for attention, but he's also infinitely even more amusing and self-aware than these women. Reading about "the initial wacky chick", his mother, is also preferable to reading about many of these overrated blathers. Skip this one and go for Beautiful People or Eccentric Glamour. Hasn't aged well I needed to love this book, but couldn't even end it. All I experienced go through previously by Doonan had been his content on Slate, which are hilarious. We thought it was odd that he describes some of the women in this publication as looking/dressing like strippers, whereas in his afterwards publication Eccentric Glamour he specifically rails against the stripper look. Perfect. I am proud to be a Wacky Chick! One Star This book just wasn't for me personally. Amazing. Great ladies, everyone! Do not buy If you don't wish to be entertained. Simon Doonan was my Britney Spears. Simon Doonan doesn't disappoint, with his great anecdotes of amazing woman Simon Doonan doesn't disappoint, with his great anecdotes of amazing woman. Doonan for a great read. Thank you again Mr. Wacky. It had been disappointing how dismissive and derogatory some elements of what I browse were. His style is breezy and witty as usual, however the women he writes about are fairly irritating, shrill, silly types who are mostly successful popular (except Jessica Porter, who's a macrobiotic preacher; Produced me want to get out there and do my own happy wacky items that I wish to do! We believe it was for Absolute Vodka. I only wish there had been pictures of most these wonderful ladies, therefore i didn't have to head to google after each chapter! Are you a wacky chick? This book profiles some fabulously eccentric ladies, like the author's own Mum & They all run into as flaky in a poor way, like they try too hard to vary and are totally desperate for attention. Great stories, fashion tips and a lot of fun. Fascinating women Simon Doonan has found the quintessential "wacky chicks" of our world and written lively portraits of every of the highly individualistic women. Simon Doonan I have started admiring Simon since the publication of his window dressing in W magazine. Simon Doonan is usually a writer that I simply seem to connect with--he gets me! He used mannequins and I love him. Some of them I understood just a little about, some were released to me in this witty and wise volume, all of them are fascinating in different ways. I look forward to reading everything else he's comes up with. Not my favorite of his books Not the best of his books, but I have now seen who I aspire to be! Once again a great read and lots of witty tales Smart, Joyful and Laugh Out Loud Funny I would like to be best friends with half of the fascinating kooky broads, along with Doonan. The excellent writing is sharpened, warm, hilarious and inspirational. I gave it 50 webpages and gave up.



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