

David Coggins Men and Manners: Essays, Advice and Considerations



How Do You Do? I adored this well crafted and beautifully presented book. David Coggins, apart from being truly a talented wordsmith, can be an arbiter of taste and style. A primer for young men living in NEW YORK, I give Males and Manners 3. The book reinforced a lot of my own emotions, while phoning me out simultaneously. While I'd have appreciated even more thorough explanations of why particular manners should exist, this book seemed to be mostly filled with anecdotes from east coastline elites about their opinion on certain issues. It's a fun, quick read (I totally finished it about the same flight), filled up with great insight that difficulties contemporary conventions of what it really is to be a person in a society. It produced me nostalgic for a while I've never lived in -maybe one that hardly ever really was. I immediately made a scheduled appointment with a barber to tame my beard. Strongly suggested. Excellent read. A relatively fun read that goes beyond . I wanted to like this more but it's really dried out and I honestly ...Fantastic read and an important conversation to be having at this time about the virtues of thoughtful human interaction within an increasingly digital world. A somewhat fun read that goes beyond fashion, style and technique - and contact on building compassion, kindness and altruistic habits Excellent book. A must for not just the would be lady or gentleman, but anyone who would consider themselves human being, for civility and cause are what separates us from the beasts of the world. I wanted to like this more but it's really dry and We honestly didn't feel just like I actually was gaining any insights... A primer for young men living in New York City. Excellent and pleasurable read! Excellent read. Five Stars Gave this a gift to a new business grad. ***THIS BOOK WAS RECEIVED FROM A GOODREADS GIVEAWAY***In a world becoming increasingly modern and digital, it's just a little odd to locate a book like Men and Manners, specifically since its weird web page colors make it look like it was written in the 1950's. As a result, it appears that manners are just available to the rich when it's the less-wealthy among us that often want the soft nudging toward great manners. Many of the locations and businesses explicitly stated in this publication were complete mysteries to me since I don't live in New York City. These references managed to get look like the manners guidance wasn't highly releuant to me at all. Dauid is certainly neuer preachy in his approach, often admitting his personal shortcomings. Sure, one particular who provided their sights were experts in their areas, but it would be better for the prospective viewers (which I'm assuming is teenagers) with an explanation as to the reasons your shoe color should match your belt color. From my uiewpoint, this book seemed like a lot of young SENIORS / older Gen-X-ers subtly complaining about Millennials and their behaviors/trends.Despite the apparent bias for the writer(s), this book did contain many pieces of useful advice, even if a lot of it-if not most of it-boiled down to good sense and common decency. I don't think I've ever stayed at a resort with a doorman. Another aspect I seemed to notice with this publication is that it is also targeted at the moderately rich, especially considering all of the expensive resorts, restaurants, and businesses pointed out. While this book did have some pieces of advice, it appeared to be as particularly tailored (such as a high-end tuxedo) to Manhattan, UY, rather than being general information for males in Manhattan, Kansas. Though the book is aimed toward men who curently have a penchant for the finer things, there is plenty of advice here for everybody (women too), especially when taken as "big picture" (the tipping section, as pointed out in another review, is about tipping well generally, no matter the situation, don't get captured in the semantics). 0 stars out of 5.



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