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THE OTHER HALF OF
**ASPERGER
SYNDROME**
(AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER)

2nd Edition

A GUIDE TO LIVING IN AN
INTIMATE RELATIONSHIP WITH A
PARTNER WHO IS ON THE AUTISM SPECTRUM

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This quick and useful relationships guide provides all the information you will need for relationship achievement together with your ASD partner. Will your other half have Asperger Syndrome or do you suspect that he or she is definitely on the autism spectrum? Updates include reference to recent research and information on same sex human relationships, sensory issues and pregnancy. In the next edition of this best-offering book, Maxine Aston draws on over a decade of experience dealing with couples affected by Autism Spectrum Disorder. Full of bite-size tips and advice, the publication explains Asperger Syndrome, discusses whether or not seeking an autism medical diagnosis can help, and offers basic strategies for coping with a variety of relationship challenges including conversation, social, and intimacy troubles.



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The most helpful book that I've read (and I've read . We benefited greatly in scanning this as a general overview shortly after we learned he's on the Spectrum. confirming and moving ahead Aston helped me become very sure that we're dealing with an Aspie relationship—fortunately not the most stressful, from what I'm discovering. It also presents some strategies and tips for improving conversation. The only concern I got with it was that the writer says that domestic violence is certainly "quite uncommon," however she mentions unexpected, explosive anger, including toward kids, and even throwing objects, in a number of sections of the book. Verbal abuse, breaking stuff and creating a scary or unpredictable environment for your kids to develop up in and psychological (if not physical) harm to your wife is domestic violence. The section on communication was the best area of the publication." The AS partner is disappointed that the NT is still upset.. I simply don't find this appropriate. I have no idea the solution to this frequent section of a NT/AS marriage, but I just don't accept where she leaves this topic. Overall, however, an extremely informative book...!! For a women who suspects her spouse could be on the autism spectrum this reserve offered support/ understanding and specifically validation for feelings she's been experiencing for most of their 23. 5 years of relationship. Although very enlightening in addition, it still left me scared and wanting to know what my future appears like if I choose to stay static in my marriage. It is a pretty encapsulating place to start if you are new to a medical diagnosis or wondering in the event that you or your partner is normally on the Spectrum. Clear and non-condescending writing makes the information very accessible, and good book firm makes it easy to either spot read to read direct through.Great overview, but wrong on domestic violence I am NT and my husband is AS.. Looking forward to scanning this book and with the holidays .. Unfortunately for me, the book is even more about men instead of women with Asperger's. ESSENTIAL read for Autism Spouses!! This should be required reading for anybody who has a spouse on the spectrum. Very insightful and useful in getting me to comprehend and communicate with my hubby better.. It helped me understand my marriage and has produced me a lot more tolerant of my husband and his behaviour. The author acknowledges that after the outburst the AS partner recovers quickly, whereas the NT can be remaining wounded and "in a flood of tears. Very helpful book for relationships with an Aspie This book is easy to read and incredibly useful. Both for the Aspie partner and the non-Aspie or even the non-Aspie-but - suspected-Aspie partener !!! Five Stars Excellent book! This publication goes over the very basics; It's not enough assets and help for NT companions which are struggling to endure these marriages. I bought this book to enter depth information, but there is absolutely no depth found here. The most helpful book that I've read (and I've read several) regarding an AS/NT marriage.. One day you will see an honest book for partners Sigh. I got such high hopes for this book nonetheless it was too simplistic. all you can find with a straightforward google search. So most of us are suffering in silence. . Very good book on adults with Asperger's. The NT is left to overcome it on his / her own. is an extremely helpful continue reading being in a like relationship with somebody on the spectrum This is an extremely helpful read on being in a love relationship with someone on the spectrum... Extremely eye opening! Looking forward to reading this book and with the holiday season have not had time yet however I will review later on when i have had a chance to read. Thank you Five Stars Great book for an Asperger's partner. Disappointed So I was super disappointed in this publication, especially after all of the great reviews.



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