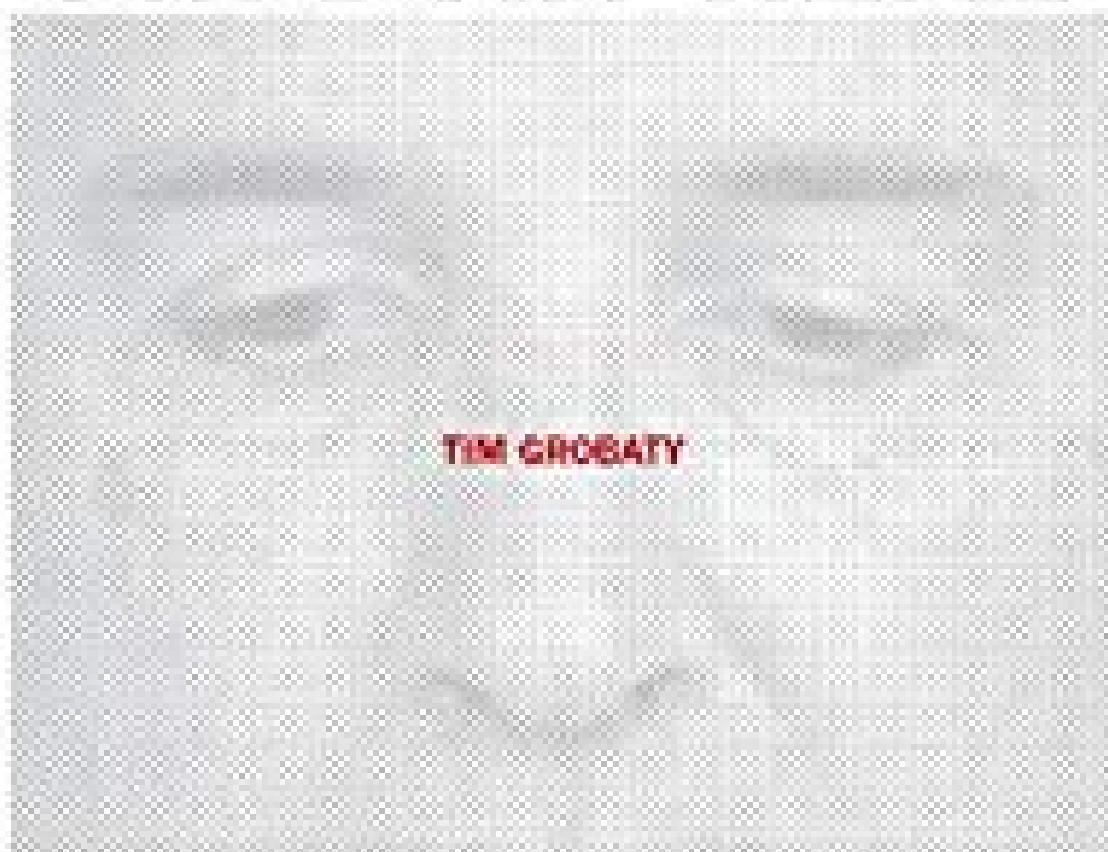


A LIFE IN THE PAPER

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I'm Dyin' Here: A Life in the Paper



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In *I'm Dyin' Here*, the author means two things: He'll likely die at the job that he's spent nearly four years doing, and at exactly the same time his profession, as well, is viewing its last times. Long Beach Press-Telegram writer Tim Grobaty was promoted to columnist at his newspaper when it had been still a glamorous and coveted work. Weaving together personal history and a selection of columns written over the course of his storied profession, Grobaty offers readers a rare glimpse into the inner workings of a dying breed of dog: the neighborhood columnist. With everyday life ? fatherhood, holidays, suburbia, and random encounters with animals ? serving as fodder for his column, Grobaty reveals his sources of inspiration and vulnerability, even while struggling to keep up relevance in a quickly changing industry. Long Seaside is lucky to experienced Tim Grobaty in that function all these a long time. Says David Kipen, founder of Libros Schmibros and reserve critic for KPCC's Take Two: "Tim Grobaty, among these great city-part columnists [offers written] a book-length meditation on the existing 'optimistic' state of the printing journalism industry in which he functions." And Russ Parsons, former LA Times meals critic and writer of *How to Pick a Peach: The Search for Flavor from Farm to Table*, had this to state: "Over the years, a newspaper columnist develops a very special relationship making use of their readers: They become a favorite neighbor, a good friend, maybe even a family member. they tell us about life. They don't deliver news; *I'm Dyin' Here* was selected to inaugurate the Longer Beach Mayor's Book Club ? a fresh, citywide book club ? in September 2016. He is the Bard of Big Town."



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A Existence in the Paper" is a raucously funny, touching and provocative memoir Tim Grobaty's "I'm Dyin' Here: A Lifestyle in the Paper" is a raucously funny, touching and provocative memoir. Good read! through the years, he morphed from copyboy to columnist, staying devote Long Beach. The book chronicles his journalism career from its dawn to the twilight of the newspaper. Tim Grobaty's funny, touching and extraordinarily well written account of his job, his family members and his life could have you laughing and crying at the same time. The book is simply as funny. Many thanks Tim, for the great read and a sweet trip down storage lane. We are regular fans of Tim Grobaty's column in the Long Beach Press Telegram because of his hilariously wry wit and story telling capability. Funny in a few sections and got dropped in others." He's not dead yet! A longtime reader, I can truthfully say I've never read a Grobaty column without snorting with laughter. An excellent read about my city, and I was more than surprised to get my brother-in-law mentioned (ideal in the center of things, as typical). But it also showcases another aspect of the writer -- his own tale can be shadowed by the aftermath of his mother's early death. Read this book! It's exceptional! Consider this book if your like newspapers or Long Beach As a daily reader and enthusiast of newspapers, I was intrigued by Mr. Grobaty's chronicle of the decline of the newspaper business as noticed through his encounters during forty years at one newspaper. Great book! He is truly a humorist! Consider this reserve if your love newspapers or Long Beach, or if you simply desire some laughs from true newspaper columnist. Grobaty found the Long Beach Press-Telegram in 1976;! As funny as his columns in the Very long Beach Press Telegram. It's like reliving history of that newspaper reading this book. Like many others papers, it's a shadow of itself. Easy read. Fun with a Flair of community history Loved this book. How he weaves for the reason that tragedy demonstrates the funny man's depth. Now he has a publication and we think it is just as pleasurable, laughable and readable as his columns. A fabulous publication. Interesting, nostalgic, shifting and ... A fabulous reserve. Interesting, nostalgic, moving and often hilarious. While reading during the night with my husband asleep beside me, I acquired to stuff my pillowcase in my mouth to avoid waking him up with my laughter. His many columns included throughout the book had me cracking up. I enjoyed this book. Five Stars this guy is great. I obtained insights about the newspaper business and the life of an amusing columnist. browse everything, including his daily press telegram, he writes. love him A lighthearted appear at newspaper life Grobary's lighthearted essays look back at his lifestyle seeing that a newspaper columnist, contemplating whether he will die at his table or the industry will die around him. It's a great collection. Two Stars It was painful trying to read it. As Shaw said: "Life will not cease to become funny when people die any longer than it ceases to end up being significant when people laugh. Prepare to be entertained! He's much too liberal but writes an interesting column and this book.



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