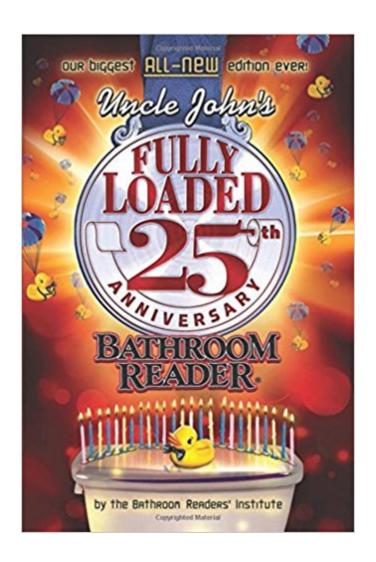


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Synopsis

2012 ForeWord Reviews Book of the Year Awards, Honorable Mention in Humor Category2013 IBPA Benjamin Franklin Award Gold Winner in Humor"Fully Loaded" is putting it mildly. This behemoth of a book is overflowing with the incredible stories, surprising facts, weird news, little-known origins, forgotten history, fun wordplay, and everything else that millions of loyal fans have come to expect from world's best-selling bathroom reading series. As always, it's divided by length: quickies for the reader on the go, medium-sized articles for those with a few minutes to spare, and extra-long pieces for those truly leg-numbing experiences. Here are just a few of the hundreds of topics loaded into this edition of America's favorite "on the go" source of fascinating information:- Forgotten Firsts- Dumb Crooks: Stoner Edition- Bizarre Japanese Video Games- The Kamikaze Instruction Manual- Our Lady of the Little Green Men- The Worst Fire in American History- The World's Worst Business Decision- The New Years Eve Opossum Drop- Do Blondes Really Have More Fun?- Failed Doomsday Predictions- When Toilets Explodeand much much more

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Bathroom Readers' Institute: The Bathroom Readers' Institute is a tight-knit group of loyal and skilled writers, researchers, and editors who have been working as a team for years. The BRI understands the habits of a very special market--Throne Sitters--and devotes itself to providing amazing facts and conversation pieces.

I love the BR series and this one is no exception. I'd been waiting for them to come out on Kindle since I got my device and I'm happy to say there are several of them available now. This series is great for those of us who love trivia, background stories, and other stuff no one really needs to know but find it interesting to read about all the same. These books are great to read anytime but are especially great for places like airports or doctor's offices where you want something that is interesting enough to hold your attention but that doesn't require a whole lot of concentration. A huge plus to having them in Kindle form now is that you don't have to haul those big, heavy books with you. This and the others in the series are great books whether you only have a few minutes to read or if you've got a large chunk of time. The longest articles are only a few pages long so if you hit a topic you really don't care about, it's easy to just go to the next one. I'd advise you to give even those articles a try anyway; I've found myself enjoying the articles about things I really don't generally have much interest in. The only real drawback to this and the others in the series on Kindle is that they still haven't really found a satisfactory way to handle the guizes. They have made some improvement in this book and now have a link where you can jump back to the answers. Unfortunately, they haven't made it so it's easy to jump back and forth between the questions and the answers. Personally, I wish they'd figure out a way to print the answers upside down under each quiz question. That would keep you from inadvertently reading the answer before you're ready and with a Kindle, it would be easy to flip the device to read the answer when you're ready. Outside of that, this is a wonderful series that I'd recommend even more highly on Kindle than in its regular book form.

Great Book for the jail-bird in your life...no kidding..short stories and reading to help excite the mind and get away from depressive thinking.

I love Uncle John's Bathroom Readers! I can't seem to get enough of them!A diverse helping of informative facts, short articles, quotes and even humorous stories on various subjects. A conglomerate of information!! highly recommend this book!

I've missed out on a few of the other bathroom readers, but this volume appears to have gathered new stories within the last three years, so I don't see any "repeats." I enjoy the snippets of facts after each story, and the short, long, and sit-and-get-comfy-on-the-throne variety is great. Honestly, I read it more before bed time than in the only room of the house I get any quiet, so depending on how tired I am, I can find a story that's just right before I get too sleepy. This book is great for trivia

lovers and those that like reading something that makes you go, "huh, how 'bout that..."

I own several Uncle John's Bathroom Readers. The stories are short but very interesting. There are over 600 pages in this particular book, so it will occupy for awhile. I like to just flip through until I find something interesting. The little trivial facts at the bottom of each page are also interesting to read. This is book is something you can read briefly while you need to, and then pick up where you left off next time.

I love to read especially if I wake up in the middle of the night, but I really don't want to think at that time. This is perfect and never boring for middle of the night reading when you most likely won't make it through an entire chapter of something else. Plus it works great on my kindle (fire) and we all know not all books can say that. Seriously I can now bore my friends with stuff I probably didn't want to know, but I do now.

My uncle isn't an easy person to buy holiday gifts for. He does enjoy learning and sharing useless information quite often, so I knew this book would be perfect for him. I went by his house last week and saw the book in the bathroom, just where it is intended to be! There was a bookmark inside that marked about 1/3 into the book, so I think he's enjoying it. I was happy to choose a suitable gift that he is actually using.

I bought this as a Pollyanna gift and ended up with it at the end. As some who usually has a mobile device in my hand while "doing business" I liked the idea of separating myself from the realities of the world and taking a break at least during "potty time" at home. I am only 100 pages in as I only read it during "business" hours (or minutes), but so far the book is very entertaining. There are fun facts, odd bits of history, entertainment and news, various stories about how familiar businesses were started or funny typos from different publishing for example. Many of the stories are from the past couple of years so a lot of the information is still relevant. If you are someone like me who likes fun facts and are somewhat of a "Cliff Clavin" type from cheers, I think you will enjoy this book. My only caution is not to get too hung-up on the stories or you might end up with severe pins-and-needles in your legs from sitting on the "throne" a little too long!

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