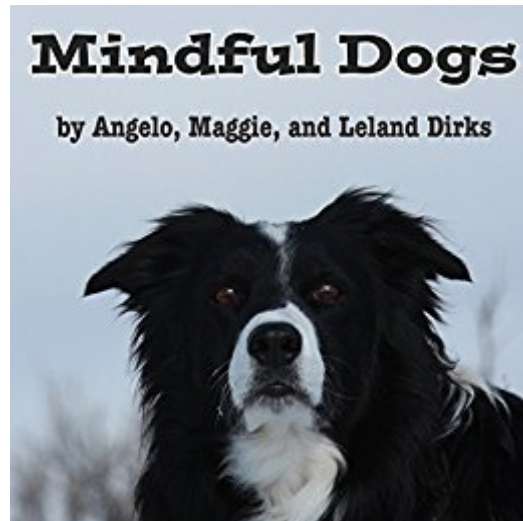


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Mindful Dogs



Synopsis

Dogs. They are perhaps the most mindful, intentional, and loving creatures on our planet. It should come as no surprise that they have a well-considered ideology. In this small book of photos and instructions for life, we get to listen to the philosophical conversations among three dogs: The Teacher, Young One, and She of Golden Eyes. The result is what might happen if you blended a bit of Richard Bach's *Illusions*, a smidgen of Kahlil Gibran's *The Prophet*, and just a touch of Mark Twain. Each lesson—from *Beauty to Partings*—is accompanied by a photograph of one or more mindful dogs, and in one case, a chipmunk. Canine consciousness at its best. Set in large print, this book is perfect for children or adults, and for anyone who wishes to exercise their capability for awareness and wonder. NOTE: This ebook is only recommended for readers with a color display. About half the pages are beautiful color photos of the dogs, and a black and white reader just won't do them justice.

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Customer Reviews

My young and elder ones, we have an extended family far beyond where the sets behind the trees in our front yard. It is headed by a very wise collie (just like you, Julie!) who takes care of his

younger sister Maggie, and their kind and gentle human, Leland. We've not met but we listen to their words nonetheless as friends. Mr Leland sets Mr Angelo's thoughts to writing since collies, with all their great hearts and wise minds, sadly lack thumbs. Once again, Leland has penned an easily-flowing series of vignettes that bring the profound lessons of silence, observation, and "simply being" to a very accessible and consumable place. To say I'm charmed, my young and elder family, is to sell this latest work somewhat short. It's worth several re-readings so I can learn what the Teacher expects me to pass on. So far I have every one of Leland's works available by Kindle. I can hardly wait for each new adventure. Well done, once again, my friend. If life is kind and there's a bit of luck, one day we shall meet.

Nobody enjoys and loves dogs more than author Leland Dirks. He enjoys his blissful life in the middle of Colorado's San Luis Valley. His only companions are Angelo and Maggie. He knows that God's greatest gift to mankind are canines, which love us, honor us, protect us, and are the best ever companions to those who live alone. This thoughtful book of wisdom and beautiful pictures is awesome. Leland Dirks has written several stories which reflect his love, tenderness, and understanding. Take time to read this remarkable, insightful story and you'll want to read ALL his stories. Highly recommend.

I loved Mindful Dogs. It made me feel like I do when I read Siddhartha by Herman Hesse or Illusions by Richard Bach, it makes me think about things from a different perspective and leaves me just a little bit in love with life.

The mores and approaches to life are beautifully written and enhanced with beautiful photography of Leland's friends and companions. Definitely worth it.

Another fantastic book by the Dirks! Each page is enjoyable to read, provides a wonderful message, story or life lesson, sometimes all three! The pictures are wonderful of the stars of the book. I highly recommend this to all who love dogs and wonderful writing! Mindful Dogs

I just finished reading 'Mindful Dogs' last night and loved it! A great story about wise canine friends who learn great life lessons from each other and have made a loving family together. I learned some great lessons too. :) Great book with wonderful photography.

I love the work of Dirks and his canine companions. This had lots of insight with great pictures of said canines. Some of the text is thought-provoking and some of them are just amusing. I recommend this book.

Absolutely loved this book. Mindful Dogs is a delightful philosophy of 3 dogs told in an easy to read format. Leland reminds us about the lessons that we all need to remember . I would recommend it to everyone .

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