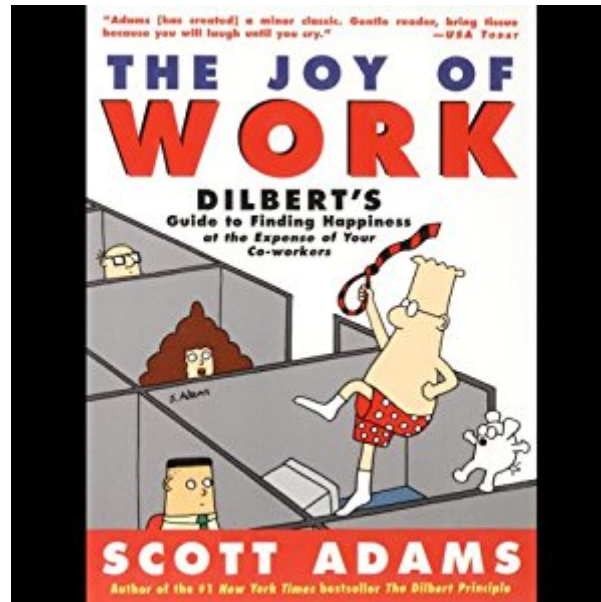




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The Joy Of Work



Synopsis

“I cried because I did not have an office with a door, until I met a man who had no cubicle.”
Dilbert
A message from Scott Adams: I think the next wave of office design will focus on eliminating the only remaining obstacle to office productivity: your happiness. Happiness isn’t a physical thing, like walls and doors. But it’s closely related. Managers know that if they can eliminate all traces of happiness, the employees won’t be so picky about their physical surroundings. Once you’re hopelessly unhappy, you won’t bother to complain if your boss rolls you up in a tight ball and crams you into a cardboard box. As soon as I noticed this disturbing threat to workplace happiness, I did some investigative work and discovered it wasn’t confined to the issue of office design. Companies were making a direct frontal assault on employee happiness in every possible way! I knew there was only one thing that could stop the horror. It was time for another Dilbert book. It might sound corny, but I felt an obligation to society. People told me it was time for me to “give something back to the community.” This scared me, until I realised that no one knows I furnished my house with street signs and park benches. So I interpreted the “give something back to the community” message as a plea for me to write this book and then charge the community to read it. In the first part of this book I will tell you how to find happiness at the expense of your co-workers, managers, customers, and “best of all” those lazy stockholders. The second part of the book teaches you my top-secret methods for mining humour out of ordinary situations, thus making it easier to mock the people around you. The third part of the book is made entirely of invisible pages. If the book seems heavier than it looks, that’s why.
Office Prank #44: Sounds That Drive Co-workers Crazy. You can produce sounds in the office that will drive your co-workers insane. That can be very entertaining. Every co-worker is different, so you might have to experiment to find the sounds that are most annoying to your cubicle neighbour. It’s worth the effort.

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Customer Reviews

Adams is a thinker. And he thinks about making things work. Half the humor in Dilbert is based on being thwarted from pursuing the best and obvious way to do things. Good notes about the social aspects of work and why people behave the way they do and some good ideas about standing out and doing well.

I love dilbert, scott adams writing is great.

If you work in an office environment, then much needed humor to forget about the insanity you must stave off.

This book is a small book that gives much verbal background on the comic strips as well as the strips themselves. I'm not a fan of this format, especially in the smaller format, but it is ok.

I bought this as a Xmas present for a work colleague. Always nice to have an extra reason to smile :)

This book is hilarious

good book and a great addition to my collection. a a a a a a a a a

His other text-heavy books are much better; this one felt either too mean spirited or too forced.

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