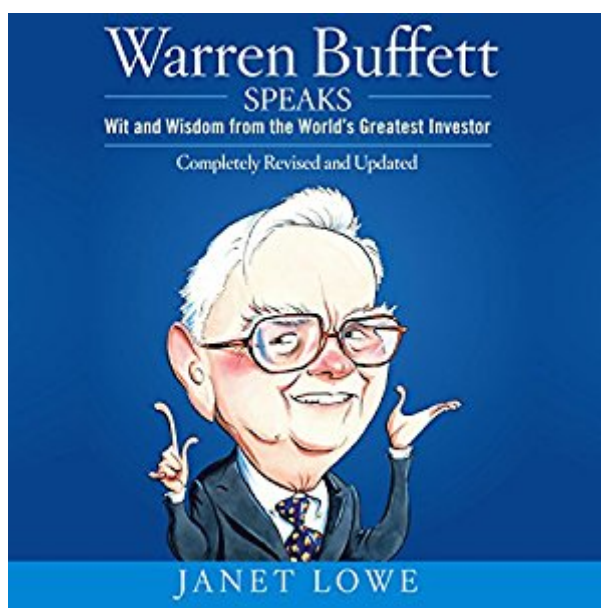


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Warren Buffett Speaks: Wit And Wisdom From The World's Greatest Investor



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Customer Reviews

I'm a big Buffett fan, have been for decades now. Especially one has to respect him lately for expressing himself in ways that don't win a popularity contest. This book does not go deeply into the meaning of Buffett's thoughts. Also, I got the audio version and have not been inspired at all by the narrator's rendition. It's been difficult for me to hold my attention of this audio version.

This book is succinct, and focuses on the important topics. Great collection of Buffett quotes is worth the price of the book.

A humorous, thinking man's book of business quotes and witticisms. After you have read your copy, you may consider buying more. They make a nice gift! Author, Janet Lowe, knows both Warren Buffett and Charlie Munger well. She has authored several of their authorized books and participates in the annual Berkshire Hathaway shareholder meetings.

I read the rest of these reviews below and was amazed at how little praise the author got for his creative collection of Buffett insight. I have read many books on Buffett and I like how this author has gotten the facts about Buffett out in a simple easy to read manor. I say it is great bathroom reading because you can just open the book to any point and read a few pages to learn about a certain section in Buffett's life. It is true that all of this info is found in other publications about Buffett, but this book is fun to read and teaches you about Buffett the man and what he has learned about life. I think it is a great supplement to the other books about Buffett and is a must have for anyone who is looking to emulate Buffett's life and success.

This is the updated version and, like the original, is well laid out and informative. It is not a biography, a detailed investment book or summary of annual reports. It is a great collection of quotes, with some excellent narrative, which will give you a wonderful overview of Warren Buffett and his views on investing, business and life. I particularly like the size because it is an easy take-along. Buffett avoided the Internet bubble, identified/avoided the derivatives problem and has been a champion of reasonable executive compensation. I found myself both laughing and learning as I read this fine book.

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