



Dr Johnson s Dictionary of Modern Life: Survey, Definition justify d Lampoonery of divers contemporary Phenomena, from Top Gear unto Twitter (Hardback)

By Dr. Johnson

Vintage Publishing, United Kingdom, 2010. Hardback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book. In 2009 Dr Samuel Johnson made a surprise re-emergence from eighteenth century retirement and began Twittering. It proved the perfect vehicle for his acerbic, aphoristic wit and he has quickly become the darling of the site. The Guardian calls him the greatest thing on Twitter and the Telegraph dubs him its star . Our gouty man of letters finds the modern world in a parlous state. It is peopled with fools like Raisin-ey d Tyrant Mister Nick GRIFFIN and BABOON-SLAYER, Fop, Macaroni, Dandy Folderol, Mister AA Gill . His attempts to negotiate a path through the vagaries of modern life do not fare well either - for instance, on a trip to Mister LIBERTY S blast d Haberdashery , upon finding all else clad as Lumber-Jacks, I left thwart d alone. unwilling to dress as an unmanly Pastiche of Mister COBAIN. In his Dictionary of Modern Life, our gouty man of letters takes a wickedly funny look at all things modern. From Top Gear and the Daily Mail to Dubstep and Celebrity Big Brother, nothing escapes his sardonic gaze.



Reviews

This book is really gripping and interesting. Of course, it is actually perform, still an interesting and amazing literature. You will not truly feel monotony at whenever you want of your time (that's what catalogues are for concerning when you request me). -- Claud Schaden

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