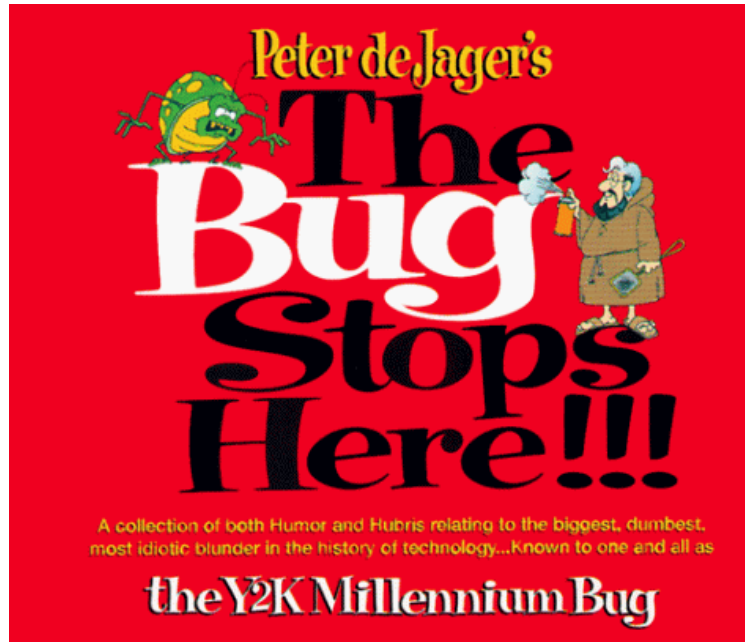


(Ebook free) The Bug Stops Here

The Bug Stops Here

Peter de Jager

*ePub | *DOC | audiobook | ebooks | Download PDF*



[Download](#)

[Read Online](#)

#15757521 in Books 1999-05-15 Original language: English PDF # 1 .52 x 7.05 x 6.021, #File Name: 0967174503192 pages | File size: 79.Mb

Peter de Jager : The Bug Stops Here before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Bug Stops Here:

0 of 1 people found the following review helpful. What's so funny about the end of the world as we know it? By A CustomerWell, for one thing, it happens everyday. Repeatedly. Only in really small increments. That's life! But if you have been mired in this little man-made problem (yes, all programmers used to be males, so the women are innocent on this one) (yes, I know that is not true, e.g. Grace Murray Hopper # 3 programmer on the Mark 1, circa. 1944, but this politically correct thing is going to turn out to be a bigger blunder than 6-digit dates) ... where was I? ... If you have been mired in the millennium-made project for what seems like an eternity, it's time to come up for air, like in HA HA! Ever wondered what Shakespear, Marty Allen, Ogden Nash, Oscar Wilde, George Burns, Richard Nixon, Winston Churchill, and Will Rogers had in common? Ya, I'm sure you have. Well, along with several others, they all made comments about the year 2000 frenzy "before its time." Along with a collection of 'Larson-ish' cartoons Peter's book provides a moment of chuckle in an otherwise chuckleless environ. Give a copy to a friend. Better yet, give it to an enemy. Give it to all your enemies and both your friends. Spread the humor. It's the best remediation for what ails you. After all, "When we remember that we are all mad, the mysteries disappear and life stands explained." -- Mark Twain (from Peter's book)

0 of 1 people found the following review helpful. What Y2K bug?? By John DoeI can't think of anything more thoroughly debunked than the myth that January 1, 2000 was going to cause catastrophic failure throughout the world. Countries that did nothing at all to prepare fared just as well as the U.S., so to claim that de Jager "helped" by feeding the hysteria is insulting. I see that this book is no longer available. Good!

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Even the Marginally-Funny Ones Strike Home By A CustomerAs with Gary Larson (The Far Side) or Dan Piraro (Bizarro), Peter's sense of humour owes a lot to the pun ... and a good pun is its own reward.

Some of the pictures aren't as funny as others, but every one strikes home. Overall, a collection that subversively deals with the ethics of what we do; "yes, it is our own fault", and "yes, we must own up and do something about it". Probably one of the few works published this year that makes you feel good about abandoning the "victim mentality". Recommended as suitable to anyone who finds the system "grating" on them, for the hope it brings.

A collection of both Humor and Hubris relating to the biggest, dumbest, most idiotic blunder in the history of technology...Known to one and all as the Y2K Millennium Bug

About the Author Peter de Jager is the worldwide leader in creating awareness of the Year 2000 Computer Date Crisis. He is an international speaker whose focus for the past 8 years has been on raising the awareness level of this problem, so that it could be corrected in time. He has testified before both houses of the US Congress and the Canadian House of Commons. He has spoken to the World Economic Forum in Switzerland and is a special advisor to the UK government. He has been published in The Wall Street Journal, Year/2000 Journal, Information Week and Scientific American. He has appeared on CNN's "Crossfire", the CBC Television show "Venture", the Discovery Channel's science series "@DISCOVERY.CA", NBC's "Today", and ABC's "Nightline" and "Inside Edition".