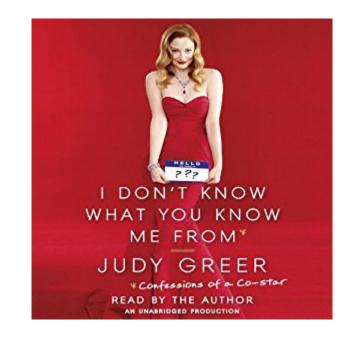


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I Don't Know What You Know Me From: Confessions Of A Co-Star





Synopsis

Like Tina Fey, Chelsea Handler, and other (best-selling) co-stars, Judy Greer is taking pen to paper and in her honest, self-deprecating, and hilariously relatable way reminding us why she's not America's sweetheart but America's best friend. You know Judy Greer, right? Wait, what was she in again? The Wedding Planner, 13 Going on 30, 27 Dresses, The Descendants. Yes, you totally recognize her. And, odds are, if you're like most women in America, you feel like she's already your friend. Thankfully, Greer has finally written a book of essays about all the moments, topics, observations, and confessions that you would hope to hear from your best friend. How a midnight shopping trip to CVS can cure all. What it's like to have stepchildren. And how she really feels about her mother. Yes, it's all in there. But Judy Greer isn't just a regular friend - she's a celebrity friend. Want to know which celebs she's peed next to? Or what the Oscars were actually like? Or which hot actor gave her father a Harley Davidson? Don't worry - that's included, too. Besides being laugh-out-loud funny, you'll love her because she makes us genuinely feel like she's one of us. Because even though she sometimes has a stylist and a make-up artist, she still wears (and hates!) Spanx. Because she starts her book like this: "This is who I am. This is what I think about things. This is stuff that happened to me, that could have just as easily have happened to you. I'm not that special, and we're probably not that different. I think I am really lucky to be where I am in life, but I've never really lost that feeling that I don't fit in, and if you have, will you please email me and tell me how you did it? I'm serious."

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Customer Reviews

I went into this book expecting more Hollywood dirt and dish but she won me over nonetheless. I DO know what I know her from (lots of TV and movies -- plus the funny new Sprint "Framily" campaign) and like her even more now. This series of essays and stories from her life was funny, touching and she has a great voice that completely translates to the page. The tone of the book is girlfriend to girlfriend (but men you might enjoy it too!) Many excellent bits but my favorite was her list of what NOT to say to a celebrity when and if you run into them. Judy I promise not to say any of those horrible things!!

I was surprised by how personal and authentic the stories were that Judy Greer chose to illustrate this memoir with. I expected Hollywood glamour fluff, but this is chock-full of real-life, warts-and-all stories. But Judy Greer has a wonderful outlook and bright attitude that shine through every one of these, so the result is cover-to-cover moments that make you smile because you recognize yourself and also laugh out loud at how ridiculous life can be. This book would be a great gift for a friend who deserves a sparkling, crisp break from everyday drudgery. I only hope Judy Greer writes more books!

Love, love, love Judy Greer's book! I laugh so much, my husband is curious about the book. I like the fact that she is so down to earth. I know she would have been my home girl if we had ever met. I bought the book last year but I took my time to read it (just now at the end) because I didn't want the laughs to be over. Keep crying over silly commercials if you want girl, because underneath it all you are a strong woman. You go Judy!

Judy Greer picked the title of her book based on the fact that she has had small parts in a lot of movies and tv shows. It almost assumes, therefore, that you don't know who she is. I know who she is. Nope, never met her. But she is one of my favorite actresses. She plays the best friend and I have always been convinced that she and I would be friends if we ever met. I am, however, realistic enough to know that will probably never happen. Therefore, I was thrilled to find out she wrote a memoir. Since Judy Greer and I will never meet and tell stories over coffee, this is the next best thing. She has stories, she has amusing opinions, she has anecdotes of her brushes with fame, she has behind the scene stories. Basically, this book is exactly what I always hoped it would be like to meet a real celebrity. I only gave this book four stars. Why? Well, because I'm pitting it against ridiculous standards and I like to reserve 5 stars for Pulitzer winners, not just stuff I read when I feel

brain dead after a day at work. But, I do have to admit that I've owned the book for two months and I've already read it twice. Which is probably a record...

Much better than your run of the mill auto-biography. The stories are actually interesting and have real feeling behind them. It's not "oh woe as me, I have problems". The chapters go places. I really enjoyed it and would love to see the SitCom she speaks of in the latter part of the book. Please SHE is easy on the eyes LOL. Like her guest shot on Big Bang Theory as the "slutty" scientist so funny just like the book. I don't give out 5 stars to often but this book deserves one.

So I've been following Judy's career for as long as there has been one. I have always loved her on screen personality and sense of humor, and I've always thought that being from the same area in Michigan that we would be real life besties if we ever met. Her book and her writing delivered everything that I have loved about her and single handedly confirmed our future friendship. This is a must read!

Judy Greer is hilarious! I've been a huge fan of hers since Arrested Development. She plays such great characters. I read the entire book in two days. I could barely put it down. The way she describes her interaction with other actors, her fans, and the public is amazing. The portion about peeing next to some really famous actresses was so great. I laugh/cried a lot. I highly recommend this if you want an entertaining read.

This book is simply great. It is good to get to know you so much better. I just love how eloquently you express your love and appreciation for your mom and dad. In fact, your amazing candor and easy reading style made this book a treat. I relate most to your parents and wish I could meet them some day. I am familiar with your amazing talent from your work in TV and film, but I am now in awe of your writing. This should be required reading for all theatre students, their parents and anyone who wants a first-hand account of just how difficult and demanding is your profession.

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