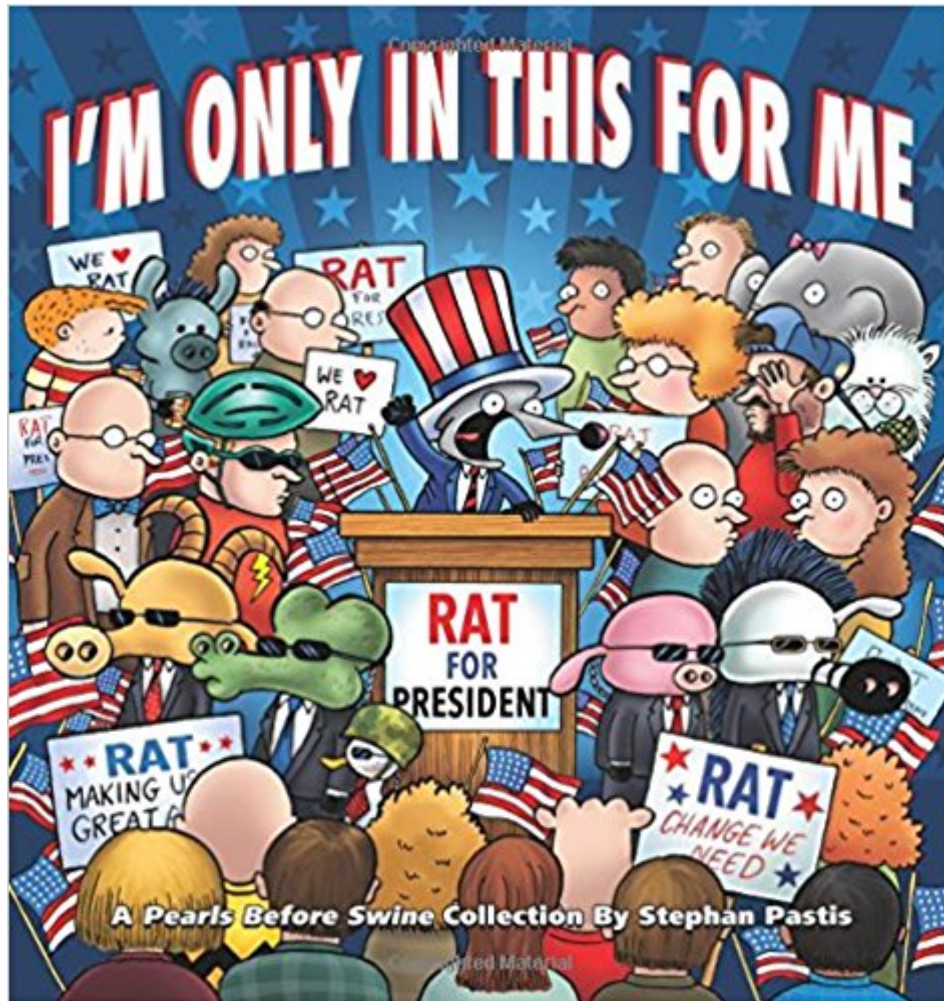


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I'm Only In This For Me: A Pearls Before Swine Collection



Synopsis

Includes Bill Watterson's collaborated cartoons! Are you tired of America's broken politics, tired partisan bickering, and really lame newspaper comics? Well, Stephan Pastis can't help you with the first two. But he, along with Rat, Pig, and the rest of the animal crew from *Pearls Before Swine*, voted the Most Reprehensible Comic Strip in the Continental U.S. by the League of Easily Offended and Unfunny Citizens*, are doing their best to make the American comic great again. In *Only in This for Me*, the Pearls gang dares to tell the hard truths that the country needs to hear: the importance of prioritizing cheese over everything else, the sadly ignored capacity of bears to solve all of life's problems, and the crucial Recognition Gap between women in bars and semi-obscure cartoonists with delusions of grandeur. But beneath all the selfishness, absurdity, bungling crocs, and bazooka-wielding ducks, Rat, Pig, Goat, and Zebra continue to find that friendship can make life warmer, humor can make stupidity less annoying, and cheese really does make everything way, way better. Lastly, this collection features the triumphant return of a legendary comics icon: Stephan Pastis! (And also some weirdo named Bill Watterson.)

*Not an actual group or award

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Customer Reviews

Stephan Pastis is an attorney turned cartoonist. A graduate of the University of California, Berkeley, and the UCLA School of Law, he worked as a lawyer before trying his hand at cartooning. Pastis lives in the Bay Area with his wife and two children.

I love Pearls Before Swine and many of the cartoons in this collection had me bursting out in laughter -- but docked it a star because the cover is so deceptive. Looking at its theme (front AND back), I expected at least SOME of the strips to have an election theme relevant to current events -- I mean, really, the potential in Rat running for president??!! -- but there's nary a one. Can't imagine why this cover was chosen except to lead people like me to buy during an election year.

Pearls Before Swine (PBS) is my favorite comic strip in the newspaper, and this hilarious book is basically a collection of past strips, many in color. If you like PBS, you will love this hilarious collection. If you aren't familiar with PBS, and its edgy humor, buy it and join the fans who have fallen in love with the strip.

The standard Patis humor. Love it!

Bought this for my husband...he loves these cartoons. One negative; too many reruns...he had read many of them in other books.

Once again, Pastis displays his considerable talents. With the election coming up everyone should read this!

very funny book

I love the Pearls Before Swine comics and this is a great collection. Even though I have read a lot of PBS comics, these were new to me.

Double whammy! Pearls is hilarious and this is the book with the Watterson guest strips!

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