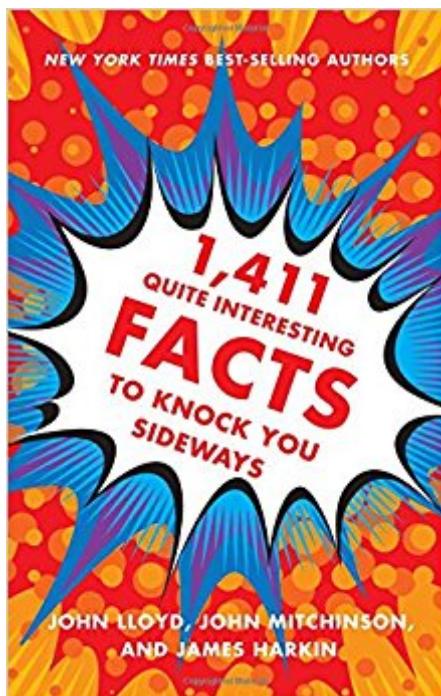


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# 1,411 Quite Interesting Facts To Knock You Sideways



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Love reading the 'facts' and it is fun to drop one of the facts in conversations and watch the

reactions. With so many you can always find some that really interest you.

A fun bathroom browser! A minute here - five minutes there. Well suited to short attention-spanners!

Ordered this book for my husband for Christmas. He said thanks and left it on the table. Four weeks later I asked if he wanted it or if I should give it away. He took it and glanced at it. next thing I know, he was reading part of it every night. He loves it. I am going to get one of the other books for him. If you have any one interested in facts or trivia these books would be great for them.

Interesting

ThereÃ¢Â¢Ã¢Â¢s not much I can add to my reviews of the two previous books of similar ilk produced by the same group that produces QI, the very entertaining British Ã¢Â¢Ã¢Â¢quizÃ¢Â¢Ã¢Â¢ show. These facts are, indeed, quite often quite interesting. I constantly find myself reading parts of it aloud to my family. We are always happy to see a new volume.

I bought this as a gift and the person just keeps telling me neat facts he found from this book. Great conversation starter and lots of fun not to mention a great bathroom reader for anyone.

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interesting book.

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