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Description:

From Publishers Weekly This debut by Atlantic magazine senior editor Rosin bears witness to a paradigm shift currently turning the gender norms of American society upside down. "Plastic women," adaptable in a changing economy and culture,, dominate institutions of higher education and steadily infiltrate the cubicles and boardrooms of a corporate America, and no longer need men to be the breadwinners. . . "Cardboard men," especially working-class and unskilled men, forced out of their factory jobs by the growing industrial flight, struggle to find purpose and employment in an evolving economy that values brains over brawn and the ability to build teams over handiness with a hammer . Rosin explores these changing gender norms across several settings, from the bedroom to the jail cell (more women are being arrested for violent crime than in the past), and teases out the highs and lows experienced by women attempting to shoulder the breadwinner and housekeeper

roles simultaneously. Rosin's passion for the subject is married with the depth of understanding gained from years of reporting to produce confident prose and thorough citation. She deftly balances academic research with relatable anecdotes, from sorority sisters to single mothers. Rosin ends with a vision of both genders putting aside outdated traditions and finding a new normal built on the strength of human connection. --This text refers to an alternate edition.

Review A *Washington Post* Notable Nonfiction Book of 2012

"Rosin is a gifted storyteller with a talent for ferreting out volumes of illustrative data, and she paints a compelling picture of the ways women are ascendant." -*Time*

"A fascinating new book." -David Brooks, *The New York Times*

"Pinpoints the precise trajectory and velocity of the culture... Rosin's book, anchored by data and aromatized by anecdotes, concludes that women are gaining the upper hand." -*The Washington Post*

"A persuasive, research-grounded argument... The most interesting sections in *The End of Men* show that in the portions of the country where, through culture and money, something like equality between the sexes is being achieved, the differences between them collapse." -*Esquire*

"Heralds the ways current economic and societal power shifts are bringing 'the age of testosterone' to a close and the consequences." -*Vanity Fair*

"Refreshing... Rosin's book may be the most insightful and readable cultural analysis of the year, bringing together findings from different fields to show that economic shifts and cultural pressures mean that in many ways, men are being left behind... *The End of Men* is buttressed by numbers, but it's a fascinating read because it transcends them... Rosin's genius was to connect these dots in ways no one else has for an unexpected portrait of our moment. *The End of Men* is not really about a crisis for men; it's a crisis of American opportunity." -*The Los Angeles Times*

"Especially timely... Rosin has her finger squarely on the pulse of contemporary culture... fresh and compelling." -*USA Today*

"[Rosin's] thorough research and engaging writing style form a solid foundation for a thoughtful dialogue that has only just begun... It's not the final word on gender roles in the 21st century, but it's a notable starting point for a fascinating conversation." -*The Minneapolis Star-Tribune*

"Ambitious and surprising... [*The End of Men* is] solidly researched and should interest readers who care about feminist history and how gender issues play out in the culture... A nuanced, sensitively reported account of how cultural and economic forces are challenging traditional gender norms and behavior." -*The Boston Globe*

"Backed by workforce stats, [Rosin's] stories forge a convincing case that modern female aptitudes give women the advantage." -*Mother Jones*

"Makes us see the larger picture... this provocative book is not so much about the end of men but the end of male supremacy... The great strength of Ms. Rosin's argument is that she shows how these changes in sex, love, ambition and work have little or nothing to do with hard-wired brain differences or supposed evolutionary destiny. They occur as a result of economic patterns, the unavailability of marriageable men, and a global transformation in the nature of work." -*The Wall Street Journal*

"In this bold and inspired dispatch, Rosin upends the common platitudes of contemporary sexual politics with a deeply reported meditation from the unexpected frontiers of our rapidly changing culture." -Katie Roiphe, author of *The Morning After* and *Uncommon Arrangements*

"*The End of Men* describes a new paradigm that can, finally, take us beyond 'winners' and 'losers' in an endless 'gender war.' What a relief! Ultimately, Rosin's vision is both hope-filled and creative, allowing both sexes to become far more authentic: as workers, partners, parents... and people."
-Peggy Orenstein, author of *Cinderella Ate My Daughter* and *Schoolgirls*

PRAISE FOR HANNA ROSIN'S *GOD HARVARD*

"*God's Harvard: A Christian College on a Mission to Save America*, is a rare accomplishment for many reasons - perhaps most of all because Rosin is a journalist who not only reports but also observes deeply." -*San Francisco Chronicle*

"A superb work of extended reportage." -*Chicago Sun-Times*

"Nuanced and highly readable." -*The Washington Post*

"[Rosin] covers an impressive amount of ground about women... A great starting point for readers interested in exploring the intersecting issues of gender, family and employment." -*Kirkus Reviews*

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