Skeptic: Viewing the World with a Rational Eye (Book Review)

In an era of rampant misinformation and fake news, it is more important than ever to be able to think critically and question the information that we are presented with. Skeptic: Viewing the World with a Rational Eye is a book that can help you do just that.



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by Michael Shermer

4.6 out of 5

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Text-to-Speech : Enabled

Screen Reader : Supported

Enhanced typesetting : Enabled

Word Wise : Enabled

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Written by renowned skeptic Michael Shermer, Skeptic is a comprehensive guide to critical thinking. Shermer covers a wide range of topics, from the scientific method to the psychology of belief. He provides clear and concise explanations of complex concepts, and he uses real-world examples to illustrate his points.

Skeptic is not just a book about debunking myths and hoaxes. It is also a book about how to live a more rational life. Shermer argues that skepticism is not about being negative or cynical. It is about being open-minded and

willing to question our own beliefs. Skepticism is about seeking truth and evidence, and it is about making decisions based on reason rather than emotion.

If you want to understand the world around you, you need to be able to think critically. Skeptic: Viewing the World with a Rational Eye can help you develop the skills you need to do just that.

What You'll Learn from Skeptic

- The scientific method and how to use it to evaluate claims.
- The psychology of belief and why people believe things that are not true
- How to identify and avoid logical fallacies

li>How to make decisions based on reason rather than emotion

Who Should Read Skeptic

Skeptic is a must-read for anyone who wants to understand the world around them. It is a valuable resource for students, teachers, journalists, scientists, and anyone else who wants to make informed decisions.

About the Author

Michael Shermer is the founding publisher of *Skeptic* magazine and the executive director of The Skeptics Society. He is a monthly columnist for *Scientific American* and a contributing editor to *The New Republic*. Shermer has written several books, including *Why People Believe Weird Things*, *The Science of Good and Evil*, and *The Moral Arc*.

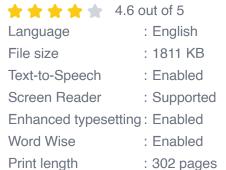
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