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Harvard Lampoon : Bored of the Rings before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Bored of the Rings:

5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. My original went AWOL.By W. AbrahamI have been trying to locate a reasonably priced copy of this book for years - literally! Finally, after 43 years, they have reprinted it!!!This is the book my in-laws used to quote snippets of! And for Christmas one year we gave my Father-in-law a corduroy thesaurus with dangling participles!If you are a fan of Tolkien's books, will will laugh yourself silly over this irreverent parody. If you aren't a fan of Tolkien's books, you will still find humor in reading this book, especially if you are a Boomer, simply because of the dated references made into names and locations.So travel through the Nagio Marsh and through the Evelyn Wood with boggies Frito Bugger, Spam Gangree, Pepsi and Moxie, Stomper the Ranger (Arrowroot of Arrowshirt), Goodgulf the wizard, Legolam, the elf and Gimlet the dwarf on their quest to throw the ring of power into the zazu pits of Fordor and destroy Sorhed's power once and for all!1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. The glory of this book has faded a bit... but it's still an enjoyable readBy StonegiantWhen I first read this A LONG TIME AGO it was laugh-out-loud / can't-catch-my-breath funny. It's still a great parody, but it takes a little effort to recall the "in jokes", even though this copy has footnotes for those who didn't live through the 70's. I gave a copy to my daughter, who shares my sardonic viewpoint on life, and she just couldn't get into it.For those of an older generation, you'll probably enjoy it.5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. If you loved LOTR and over 55 this is side splitting humor.By Dave K ... fantasy fanThis in my opinion is the best thing H-Lampoon ever did. I loved LOTR and this is such a parody of all the great thing characters you laugh yourself

silly. But be warned, if you are much younger someone born after 1960, much of the humor may be lost because things use names common in commercials of the 60's era. But this is pee-pants laugh out loud in public funny. But for those of old enough to "get" the references, it almost nostalgic. If you're a bit of snoot - stay away. Go be profound somewhere else. If you enjoy the irreverent, have fun.

A parody of J. R. R. Tolkien's *The Lord of the Rings*, by The Harvard Lampoon. "Never have I laughed so hard at any other book. The Harvard Lampoon's *Bored of the Rings* is unquestionably a comic masterpiece as well as a brilliant parody of J. R. R. Tolkien's famous *The Lord of the Rings* trilogy. A gem of irreverence...filled with an incredible menagerie of mad characters including lustful Elf-maidens and a roller-skating dragon. A side-splitting swipe at the *Eternal Quest* and the castles, wizards and other folderol of "ancient" lore...a *Catch-22* for lovers of the days of yore." - Book Nook, Harvard Daily News