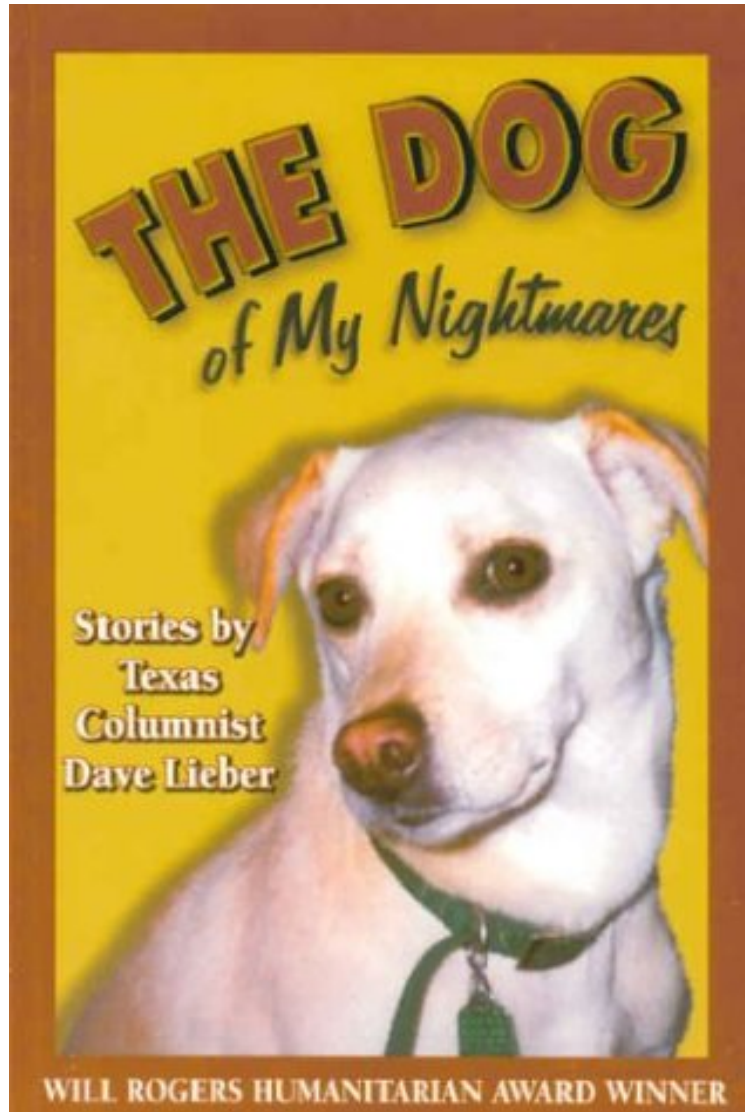


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Dave Lieber : The Dog of My Nightmare before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Dog of My Nightmare:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Read Dave lieber's works.By Kaye MarutzkyI love Dave Lieber. He is intelligent, funny, wholesome.4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. Fan of Dave Lieber Celebrates His First Book of StoriesBy M.W.As a longtime reader of Fort Worth Star-Telegram columnist Dave Lieber's work, I was privileged to purchase an advance copy of his book off his new Internet web site before the actual publication date. It's thrilling to see his best stories from the past decade collected in one attractive volume. Dave writes laughs that

remind me of Dave Barry at his best. He also writes stories about people that, well, you better darn well have a box of Kleenex nearby. The one about how Dave brought former Dallas Cowboys running back Emmitt Smith to the classroom of a teacher who was dying of cancer (true story; it was her dying wish) is unbelievable! The book has almost 90 stories, each of them short and easy to read. They cover every conceivable subject -- from family, kids, love, education (Dave calls it 'Texas Edukation'), nutty politicians, quirky Texans, Sept. 11, a writer's life, becoming a cowboy, etc. There are probably about 50 photographs in the 288-page book, too. I guess what I like about this book is that it's full of surprises. You never know what is going to be on the next page. There's a story about Dave's relationship with a convicted murderer and then what happened when the guy got released from prison. It's surprising as heck. There's a story about Dave's first meeting with the Texas governor and the strange comment made by Gov. Perry. But the signature story of the book is about Dave's beloved Psycho Dog. Dave loved the dog, but the dog hated Dave. This opening chapter is a real tear jerker, reminiscent of My Dog Skip. I think it's wonderful that Dave is giving a portion of the proceeds of this book to the Humane Society in honor of his late dog. I promise you'll love this book. I'm already on my second reading. - M.W.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great book!By TexasCaeAs a Texas now living in North Carolina I had read Dave Lieber's column for years and still do online. In 1996 I had the privelege of meeting both him and Sadie the dog at the walkathon in Bedford, Tx where I took my beloved dog, Jake. (Like Sadie Jake is no longer with me but still in my heart. Last week I was in Texas and saw this book and had to buy it. It is well written and brought back many memories of thing from Dave's columns. My favorites were always when he wrote about Sadie. Great book!

Dave's humorist writing touches on family, politics, and every day life. Laugh! Cry! Get Angry!

...poignant and sometimes provocative accounts of life in Northeast Tarrant County from the perspective of a Yankee neo-cowboy. -- Alliance Regional Newspaper...stories that sometimes violate the traditional expectations of American column writing but which have endeared him to his loyal readers. -- The ColumnistAbout the AuthorDave Lieber is a metro columnist for the Fort-Worth Star-Telegram. He has won numerous awards for his writing and community service. In 2002, he won the Will Rogers Humanitarian Award from the National Society of Newspaper Columnists and the Will Rogers Memorial Commission of Oklahoma. This honor goes to the columnist "whose work best exemplifies the high ideals of the beloved philosopher-humorist who used his public forum for the benefit of his fellow human beings."