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**Anno Nomius : The Eleven Commandments ? from a naked unshackled mind** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Eleven Commandments ? from a naked unshackled mind:

2 of 3 people found the following review helpful. 'Be happy thankful. Find the silver lining and make the most with

what you have.' By Grady Harp Author Anno Nomius has written two books – THOUGHTS FROM A NAKED UNSHACKLED MIND and now THE ELEVEN COMMANDMENTS?. While there is no biographical information on this author and certainly the moniker under which he/she writes is not translatable beyond 'year', read the opening pages or visit the website and the results are the encountering of a very funny concept! We meet the cast of characters – 'Aaron – A smart and good-looking man and Brother of Moses. He is quick thinking, has the gift of the gab, and would articulate what Moses could not articulate. He also possessed a rod, a wooden stick that could work miracles. Alternately, he used it to herd sheep. Miriam – Sister of Moses. A strong independent and fiery woman. The jury is still out on whom she is married to. Is it Hur or Caleb? She used the timbrel or tambourine when dancing. Hur – Friend of Aaron and Moses. The jury is still out on whether he is the Husband or son of Miriam. A hard working, strong man always in his work overalls. He has a thing for Miriam. Moses – A chubby, plump bald nice guy. God or someone important handed him the commandments. These commandments are followed by some of the leading religions of the world in some shape, form, or other. He too possessed a rod, a wooden stick just like Aaron. Nobody living has seen him perform any miracles with the shaft so far though. Arron – All star American Football quarterback looking for answers on life's important questions. Luciella – On again, off again Mayan girlfriend of Arron. An intelligent, compassionate, curious woman exploring her sexuality. She is passionate in her beliefs. She wears large glasses and has a very loud voice. Arun – Short name of an Indo-American friend of Arron. Nerd. A logophile, he is the youngest Winner of both the national spelling bee contest and jeopardy. Chen - Short name of a Chinese American, Buddhist friend of Arron. Nerd. Multiple times Winner of Jeopardy.' From this highly original beginning the story unfolds and to re-enact the arrival of the Ten Commandments but in a mishmash of times travel and jumping form frame to frame that makes this story hilariously cogent. Vies of the Egyptians of ancient times are contrasted by comments about contemporary Jewish leaders. In other words, a lot of research into the period and the contemporary media collide to make this tale works splendidly well as a farce. The language is contemporary naughty and suggestive of multicultural origins (including Mayans). So what does Moses face: 'He needed rules, rules to live by, rules handed down by God or someone important he thought, before he went crazy. He was beginning to get confused as well. The church now, there was the Protestants and Catholics to begin with, but there was more. Independents, marginals, orthodox, Anglicans. As he dug deeper, the list within each category was mindboggling; the Mormons, Jehovah's witnesses, Christian science, Filipino Apostolic, Chinese full gospel, Chinese neocharismatic, Messianic, Pentecostal, independent Adventists Baptists, Independent Greek orthodox, Hidden Hindu believers in Christ, Arab charismatic, Independent Methodist, Brazilian grassroots, Nestorian, Romanian, Estonian, Bulgarian, Macedonian, Moldavian, Moravian, Lutheran, evangelicals, Mennonite, Quakers, Shakers, Christadelphian, Swedenborgian, charismatics and the list kept going. And after a lengthy diatribe including Gitmo, the Kardashians and other bits of media foolishness we discover God's 11th commandment – LOVE. And to arrive at that point you owe it to your funny bone to read the entire little book. Whatever this person is, he/she is a very fine comedian and standup comic. Grady Harp, March 16 2016

2 people found the following review helpful. A Highly Amusing and Insightful Take on Religion By Veritas Vincit I've recently picked up a few different religious-themed books, and unsurprisingly, they were all slightly irreverent and sought to shine a light on religion in a humorous way. I have been a religious participant for many years of my life, but have always faced those hard questions of doubt and uncertainty alone. I find some solace in the knowledge that many people can still "believe" in religion without taking it too seriously. This book was evidence of that. Not only was it interesting to read, and insightful in terms of comparative literature of other religions, but there was a constant tongue-in-cheek commentary about the long and storied path of religion, the ten commandments, and the impact of belief on human society. I think the time travel element took this book from the realm of philosophical diatribe to more structured fiction, and I appreciated the effort to make people follow a narrative flow. It's difficult to stare religion in the face and question why we are told one thing, but constantly witness the opposite all around the world. Nomius clearly isn't afraid to ask the hard questions and thumb his nose at outdated, obsolete, or just plain incorrect belief systems. The underlying lesson is that personal morality and the treatment of others with kindness is the true path to happiness, and that's something I can definitely get behind.

0 of 1 people found the following review helpful. The Ten Commandments Reviewed By Scarlett Jensen There are many vested interests that truth-seekers have to overcome to get to the brutal honest facts. In search of the truth, the author examines the 10 Commandments in a light-hearted comical way. He refers to a magnitude of religions, leaders and their rules by which to live. He gives a comparative perspective shifting between the past to the future 2016 or else for this matter. He features characters past and present in a comical way to tell his story and brings in time travel to enlighten us on the origin of the commandments and how the need to change them, evolves. Evidently we have not reached the end of the exercise as the world continuously changes and evil prevails notwithstanding the Commandments. In this book, Moses needed rules, rules to live by, rules handed down by God or someone important he thought, before he went crazy. Back in time, the Commandment problem was being discussed in excruciating detail, now that Moses had lost the original ones that God or someone important had given him, they have to be rewritten. "Well, some of the right things to do are in the commandments" Chen said. "At least what not to do, the why, is not covered very well though and is up to interpretation." It looks so irrelevant in the modern context. Take the first one. "You shall have no other gods before

me.” What does this mean? We know that there are so many religions following their own God, so who is this God, before whom, there are none? In ancient history, around the times of the mighty Greeks, Persians have been very inclusive. Even though they practiced their own religion back then, they allowed others to practice their own religion in their kingdom and did not persecute. When Moses was lost in the desert for 40 nights and 40 days, he lost his temper, but as soon as he broke the tablets, he realized how wrong it was and now they have seven days to come up with the new ones. He hopes Hur finishes carving them out soon. He needs to lead his people to the Promised Land. “Promised land?” Parallel to ancient times, the author creates a modern set of people with their own questions: “Yes, we just need to find out how the commandments were written. Find the people who wrote them and that should give us some answers and next steps. Perhaps when we meet them we can ask them the other questions that are bothering us.” Moses returns after 40 days and 40 nights and he has words from the mouth of the Lord. He travelled high and low on the mountain seeking the Lord to find answers. His people and he did finally get to meet with the Lord. Some of the Amalekites were outraged and wanted to kill Moses. They did not consider him their leader even though God had said he was their leader and had given him the 11 commandments minus one. So how does this time travel concept work and how is that machine going to help the present people to get there? At a very high speed, anticlockwise? Yes? Until now, they were just transporting in the future, the location was unchanged. They will need to modify the machine to change the location to point to the location where the commandments were produced by Moses. Chen did badly want to go. That was the past and he always had a desire to know everything and then pressed the controls to send Kadur to the past. The spherical ball was gone in a flash, a ball of fire. We see the ball on the front cover. We also see the “yellow brick road” relating to the classic *The Wizard of Oz* by L. Frank Baum where Dorothy Gale must find the road before embarking on a journey. The three of them, Arron, Chen and Luciella were transported to very close to where Moses, Aaron, Hur and Miriam were. They have come from very far from the future to learn about the commandments. What was the context it was written in and are hoping it will help them solve some of the burning questions all of them there have. Aaron says to Moses: “they are from the future and come in peace but then this guy beat me up with a book because we made up the commandments.” God or someone important gave Moses the original commandments. They had to find that person. Where was Moses given the commandments? Moses can probably take them there? Moses got lost, got very lucky, and found the place. Aaron thought for a second and said, “I got it. Moses we will need to use our rods”. They took out their rod and shaft respectively, concentrated, touched the tip of their rod and shaft. It began to glow brighter and brighter and then there was blinding white light and the brilliance and dazzle made them move back. Just as quickly, the glow came, it was gone. On the ground between the two men was a papyrus with directions. They were relying on Moses to find the beginning of the yellow brick road. The seven of them walked for three hours with no yellow brick road in sight. They were getting weary. He would see a path and then with supreme confidence lead everyone to it and it would end up in a dead-end. It took them an hour to get over the hills and sure enough at the top of the hill, was one of the most colourful of cities. It certainly looked very advanced for the times. A board at the city limits said Munka-land, population 257. Excited they entered the city. What they did not know was that the mayor and his wife were very large hearted... They were not very rich but their hearts were full of love and made of gold. He cared for his people and lead through his heart. He was open to altruistic support. He however resisted any money from unscrupulous businesses. ‘Here you go’ the mayor pointed to a clearing where there was a paved walkway painted in yellow. The walkway winded itself into the mountain of Sinai. “When you meet God or someone important can you ask that the people in Munka-land remain happy forever. Does that mean healthy, wealthy, and wise? The reader meets a person, a god we do not know from the Bible. She says: “I know you are here for the actual commandments and I will tell you what they are when we are done but I believe you also have a few questions. So shoot we don’t have too much time.” Luciella asked the first question : “How are you organized and how do you operate?” “We run no different than a large corporation.” Then more questions and answers followed, e.g. : “Why was the world created and how will it end?” “Is there anything you can do for me? Is there a cure for baldness?” Moses asked. “So what happens when we die?” “You are dead.” “So where are the souls frozen?” “Mars.” “Can two souls merge?” “Yes, have you heard of love? It happens when two souls love. When two souls love, they merge” “Can you tell us how you became a god and also how does one become a demigod?” God took a deep breath and then started. “Ok gods, demigods are really evolved souls. Now note that not all the religions in the world have it right but a few do. Eventually they all will get to the truth as long as they keep an open mind. Anyways, we are evolved souls and have been able to get out of the cycle of life and death.” “Oh so you are not real?” “It depends on your definition of real. Our souls have been purified by going through the school of many lives.” “So you were human once?” “Yes.” “Will we get to see the Promised Land?” “I can’t divulge that but don’t accept all the prophesies and what the historians are saying. You are better off relying on what Anno Nomius has to say.” Postlude It all made sense to Arron now. Arron realized that not everything you hear or are told is true and not everything that you believe in or told to believe in, may be true. I hope you enjoy reading this short book with volumes of truths, or not? Depending on your perspective. Prominent is the concept of random thoughts from an unshackled mind, which enabled the author to convey in a humorous way, so many unanswered questions, many unanswerable, others answerable depending on your interpretation, relevance, spiritual connotation and more. He challenges the 10 commandments and suggests scrutiny,

rewrite?.. What about an 11th Commandment: Love...just love?The author says: “ even the plants and flowers were confused....reading the book more than once might take some of our confusion away? Enjoy the book. It is worthy of the 11th commandment.Scarlett Jensen24 March 2016

How many commandments were there originally? Were there really 10? Were there more or were there less? Find out what happened back then, long long ago. The exodus and the commandments are probably the most interesting and important event of an-cient times. Do the commandments have any relevance today? They probably do for some of us. Scholars, playwrights, moviemakers, actors, songwriters, singers and others have written, en-acted, and shown on the silver screen both these event many, many times. It could only mean that they thought their interpretation was the right interpretation having seen all the interpretations done before them or they were just inspired. Here is celebrating all those interpretations, and to add to the confusion, one more. A note of caution. If you are a religious nut or a Jihadist stay away from this book. If you have an open mind, are ready for the ride and have a little sense of humor read on. This book is dedicated to the hard working citi-zens of the free world with an open mind and a little sense of humor. Happy Reading!

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