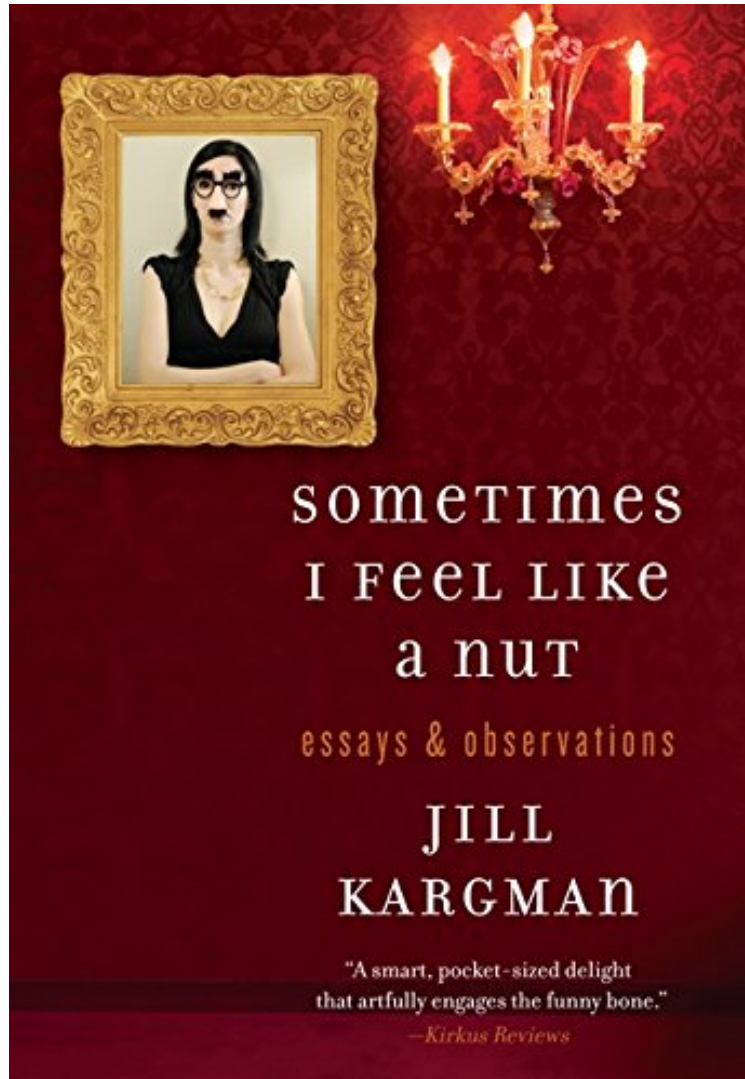


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**Jill Kargman : Sometimes I Feel Like a Nut: Essays and Observations** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Sometimes I Feel Like a Nut: Essays and Observations:

5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. Aren't we all nuts?By jkpscrapI enjoyed her opening essay and the one about her children (with the telling story of her daughter on a Jet Blue flight) and a few here or there but I am one of those people who don't care to hear about the writer's menstrual cycle, issues with tampons and the like. It is a book of essays so the fact it sort of reads like someone's diary is the point, I suppose, but I can't help but feeling some facts could have been omitted while focusing on the people she interacted with in her life instead.2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Good brain candy.By stacyThis is a funny book about being a mom and woman in NYC

who lives among the wealthy. The stories pretend an outsider is peering in to a world of wealth as an outsider. However, the dialog is a bit contrived and the world the author describes could only be viewed by an insider. Read it when you need to give your mind a break. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Jill's book is wonderful as always. By Sara She's honest, witty, hilarious with her observations on mommy hood, New York, and her social circle. I appreciate the candor with which she shares her life's ups and downs. Halfway through it but the audio version and that was very fun to listen to, I recommend it.

The star of Bravo's new comedy *Odd Mom Out* and author of *The Ex Mrs. Hedgefund* and *Wolves in Chic Clothing* firmly believes in Woody Allen's magical math equation:  $\text{Comedy} = \text{Tragedy} + \text{Time}$ . *Sometimes I Feel Like a Nut* is a delightful collection of essays and observations based on Jill Kargman's family, her phobias (vans, mimes, clowns), and her ability to use humor as a tool to get past life's obstacles, making the fun times funnier and the tough times bearable. Fans of David Sedaris, Sloane Crosley, and Nora Ephron will rejoice, howl, and sympathize

"A smart, pocket-sized delight that artfully engages the funny bone." (Kirkus) "With her sense of irony and humor, Ms. Kargman laughs at moments others might cry over... *Sometimes I Feel Like a Nut* is more than funny, more than insightful and more than a guilty read." (New York Journal of Books) "Jill Kargman's hilarious observations... will resonate with women everywhere." (Harper's Bazaar) "Please welcome the new David Sedaris, not that the old one is broken or anything. It's just that Jill Kargman, in her first book of essays, provides the same gut-splitting reading pleasure." (Los Angeles Times) "Edgy, addictive, and relatable." (The Daily Beast) "Kargman does not fail to deliver in yet another tragically comedic book... With stick figure doodlings in the margins to guide you through the hilarity, you'll be laughing out loud." (SheKnows.com) "From somebody who shares Jill Kargman's fear of both vans and clowns, I promise this book will make you laugh out loud." (Nate Berkus, host of *The Nate Berkus Show* and Oprah correspondent) From the Back Cover Demonstrating Woody Allen's magical math equation,  $\text{comedy} = \text{tragedy} + \text{time}$ , a sensational collection of witty essays about life, love, hate, kids, work, school, and more from the author of *The Ex-Mrs. Hedgefund* and *Arm Candy* Jill Kargman is a mother, wife, and writer living the life in New York City... a life that includes camping out in a one-bedroom apartment with some unfortunate (and furry) roommates, battling the Momzillas of Manhattan, and coming to terms with her desire for gay men. In this entertaining collection of observations, Kargman offers her unique, wickedly funny perspective as she zips around Manhattan with three kids in tow. Kargman tackles issues big and small with sharp wit and laugh-out-loud humor: her love of the smell of gasoline, her new names for nail polishes, her adventures in New York City real estate, and her fear of mimes, clowns, and other haunting things. Whether it's surviving a family road trip or why she can't stand *Cirque du So Lame*, living with a mommy vagina the size of the Holland Tunnel or surviving the hell that was her first job out of college, Kargman's nutty self triumphs, thanks to a wonderfully wise outlook and sense of fun that makes the best of everything that gets thrown her way. And if that's not enough, Kargman illustrates her reflections with doodles that capture her refreshing voice. About the Author Jill Kargman is the New York Times bestselling author of nine books, including *The Right Address*, *Wolves in Chic Clothing*, *Momzillas*, and *The Ex-Mrs. Hedgefund*. Her latest effort is a nationally bestselling book of essays, *Sometimes I Feel Like a Nut*. She is also a featured writer for *Vogue*, *Harper's Bazaar*, *Town Country*, and *Elle*, and a copywriter for her greeting card company, Jill Kargman Etceteras.