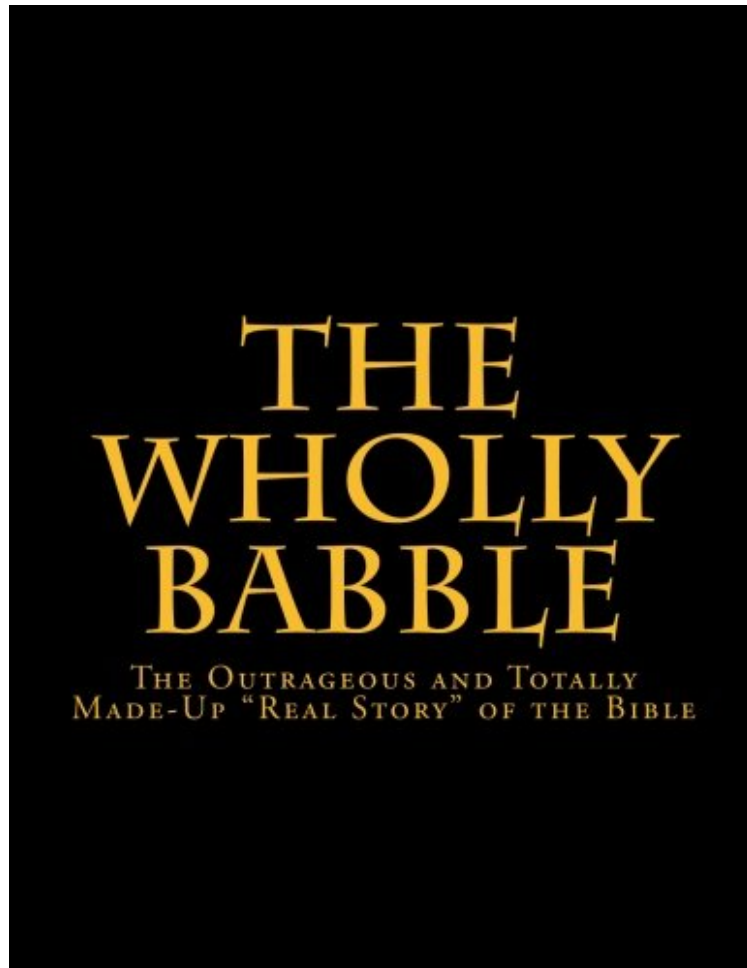


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An atheist tackles the Heraklean task of trying to make the Bible fun to read! Let's face it. Though the majority of people believe that the Bible is "the word of God," and therefore should be read regularly, many of those same people don't actually DO it. It's not surprising, though. The Bible is a daunting book to read. It's long, very repetitive, and at times offensive to modern sensibilities. That's why I wrote this book. I wanted to try to make the Bible more

entertaining. So, join me, Dear Reader, as I turn the Bible on its head and use the texts themselves to create a new story, The Real Story, of the Bible. Prepare to be stunned at the things you'll learn as we proceed. For example: Adam was gay. And, Yahweh made him gay. Jeremiah really WAS a bullfrog. Jesus was a member of an epic band. That's just a few of the things you'll discover as you learn The Real Story of the Bible. Be forewarned, however, that The Real Story of the Bible is not for the faint of heart, or for anyone who cannot tolerate someone poking fun at the Bible. If you, Dear Reader, are one of those folks, you should not read this book, as you would most certainly be offended by it. But, if you can relax and have a little fun with it, by all means join me on this journey. You'll laugh, you'll sigh, you'll wonder "WHY?!", as you read The Wholly Babble!

About the Author I was raised as a Jehovah's Witness, and I spent the first forty years of my life as one. During those forty long years, many questions and doubts plagued my mind. And, as time went on more questions and doubts were added to the mix. Finally, the "dam" burst open. Ironically, this was partially as a result of my actually reading the entire Bible, from start to finish, for the first time. I say that this was ironic because that was something the Witness "Clergy" constantly pestered us to do! Anyway, once I realized that the Jehovah's Witness dogma was a crock, I wasn't sure where to go. After all, the Jehovah's Witnesses had been "The Truth" (That's what Witnesses often call their religion.) for as long as I could remember. I quickly decided, however, that given how many different sects of Christianity there are, it would take me the rest of my life to wade through them all, searching for the one that MIGHT be the right one. So, I decided instead to go straight to the source itself; the Bible. I set out to study the Bible from a whole new perspective. I examined it critically for the first time in my life, rather than as an apologist. Suddenly, all the things that hadn't made sense to me all those years made perfect sense. I no longer had to agonize over why God sometimes acted like a complete jerk, despite ostensibly being a "loving" god. Or, why God seemed to be suffering from Dissociative Identity Disorder, as in one book he would act one way, while in another book he would act another way. It was so simple...men created God in their image. That is, a number of different humans, with differing opinions and conceptualizations of God, wrote these stories, in the way they each saw fit. At any rate, when I first began my recovery from being a life-long JW, I was a member of a few ex-Witness forums. (These forums were invaluable in helping me free my mind from a lifetime of brainwashing.) It was during my time on one of these forums that I first thought of writing a spoof of the Bible. Having been a huge fan of Dave Barry and Douglas Adams for many years, I decided to try to emulate them, and write my story as I think they might have. While I'm not nearly as funny as either of those guys (But, hey, few are.), I hope that I at least managed to capture some of the "flavor" of humor that those guys would have given this story.