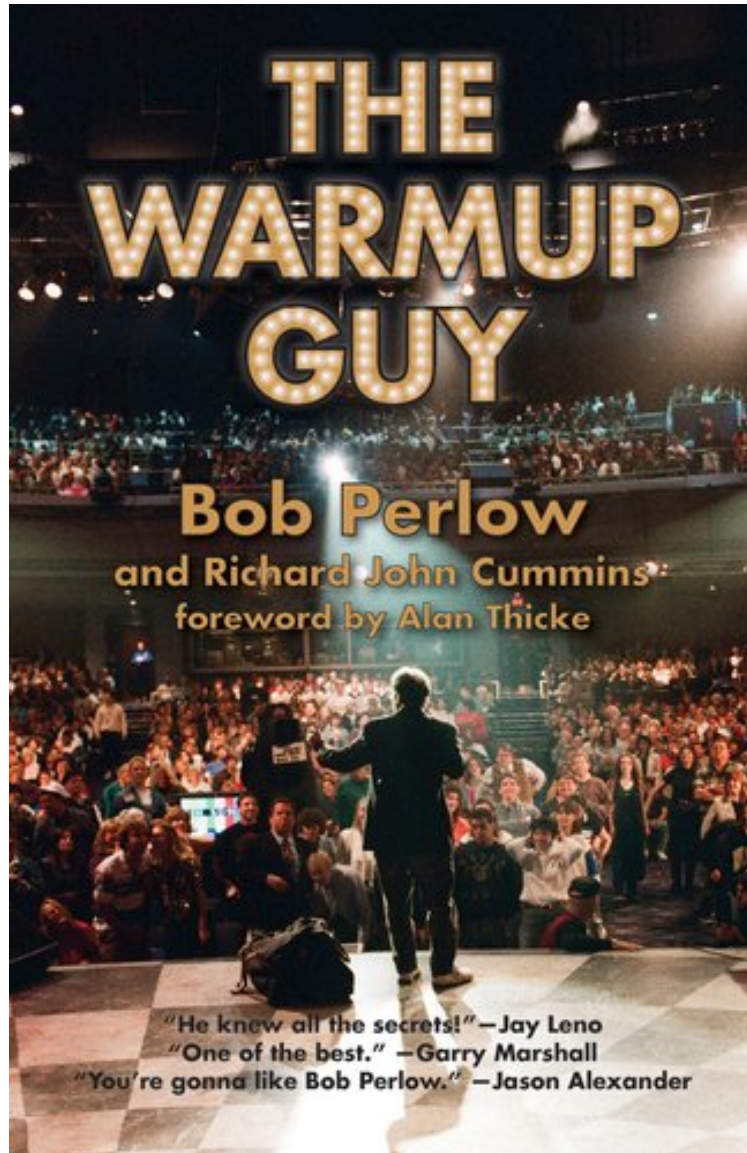


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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Amusing Anecdotes By Amy A. Fitzpatrick An interesting memoir about a little known Hollywood occupation. I didn't realize that studio audiences needed to be entertained and engaged during hours of show taping. Mr. Perlow provides behind the scenes anecdotes about some big stars on big shows. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Funny, quick read! By Customer Took a few chapters for me to really get

into it, but then I couldn't put it down! As someone who grew up watching many of these shows (OK, the ones in the 90s!), this was fascinating and shed a lot of light on the business and work that goes into making your favorite sitcoms. A good light read which you can finish in a few days, easily. But the chapters are short enough that you can also finish one or two and not have to worry about devoting an hour to get through a chapter! Highly recommend. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Easy to read and makes everyone want to be a ...By Charles S. A most enjoyable book. Easy to read and makes everyone want to be a 'Warmup Guy'. It must be difficult standing in front of people everyday that you don't know and make them laugh. Bob must have such poise and control to keep their attention for hours. It was great reading and wanting to have that Walter Mitty moment. I recommend this entertaining read.

When the cameras are off, he takes the stage. Television shows like Friends, Full House, and Growing Pains might take only 20 minutes to air, but tapings frequently last several hours. From the 1970s to the early 2000s, Robert Perlow was the go-to warmup comedian on television sets, where he was responsible for keeping the live studio audience engaged and laughing. In this hilarious tell-all book, Perlow offers a personal, behind-the-scenes look at some of television's most famous shows and actors. With stories including Tim Allens on-set meltdown, an improv class with Robin Williams, and a close friendship with Alan Thicke, Perlow divulges everything from the good and the bad to the downright outrageous!

From the Inside Flap Bob Perlow is the best warmup guy in the business. In the field where most guys last thirteen weeks before being fired or moving on to another program, Bob was with me for almost my entire run of The Tonight Show. . . . Besides, I couldn't fire him he knew all the secrets! Jay Leno A comedy show where no one is laughing is anything but funny, so from the mid 1970s to the late 2000s, warmup comic Bob Perlow made it his mission to keep the energy flowing on television stages. Behind the scenes of famous shows like Laverne Shirley, Full House, and Whos the Boss?, Perlow kept studio audiences lively and engaged so that, at the end of a day-long taping, they still felt like laughing. In this tell-all book, readers will get a VIP pass to the on-set antics that didn't make it to television screens. From an improv class with Robin Williams to a group of not-so-pleasant Friends, Perlow saw it all and he's ready to tell the world! With his unrivaled trademark humor, Perlow reveals outrageous personal recollections and dishes secrets from both behind and in front of the camera. Audacious, side-splitting, and completely exclusive, The Warmup Guy is an uproarious trip down memory lane as only Perlow could tell it. Bob Perlow is a comedic entertainer who creates, produces, writes, and stars in taped performances. A product of TV, he grew up with the medium and spent more than thirty-five years as a warmup comedian. During that time he also received writing credits for Whos the Boss?, Laverne Shirley, and many other well-known comedies. Perlow is the star of a one-man multimedia show, Tales from Hollywood, which chronicles his career in entertainment. He lives in Narragansett, Rhode Island. Richard John Cummins is a talented writer who has explored a variety of careers. He has published articles in Hit Parader and several other music magazines. Cummins lives in Hoboken, New Jersey, where he enjoys music and puppetry. Alan Thicke is best known as Jason Seaver from ABC's Growing Pains, but his talents go beyond one television show. Thicke has earned a Golden Globe Best Actor nomination and seven Emmy Award nominations for both writing and acting, and his music compositions can be heard on the sound tracks of many popular sitcoms. From the Back Cover A must read for anyone wanting an insiders look at comedy, TV, and celebrities. Fred Willard You're going to like Bob Perlow. It is impossible not to like him. He tells a great tale, spins a great joke, and will get under your skin before you know he's there. Jason Alexander Comedian and product of TV Bob Perlow worked behind the scenes of some of television's most famous shows, including: Full House Laverne Shirley Growing Pains Whos the Boss? Mork Mindy Friends Cheers The Tonight Show with Jay Leno In this tell-all book, Perlow reveals his personal tales from Hollywood and divulges secrets from the good and the bad to the completely outrageous! About the Author Robert Perlow is the creator, producer, and star of The Warmup Guy stand-up comedy show. His writing credits include such all-time television favorites as Laverne Shirley, Whos the Boss?, and Mork Mindy. Perlow lives in Narragansett, Rhode Island. Richard Cummins graduated from Mount Saint Mary College in Newburgh, New York. He is a music and puppetry enthusiast and has written for Hit Parader and several other music magazines. Cummins lives in Hoboken, New Jersey. Alan Thicke is best known as Jason Seaver from ABC's Growing Pains, but his talents go beyond one television show. Thicke has earned a Golden Globe Best Actor nomination and seven Emmy Award nominations for both writing and acting.