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Frank Scoblete : Confessions of a Wayward Catholic before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Confessions of a Wayward Catholic:

5 of 6 people found the following review helpful. Very good read. Funny. Detailed. Fuhgetaboutit!By Anthony A MascoloI have read Frank Scoblete's gambling books and I always found them informative. Frank's writing style, even in those books, could be funny. He was always insightful. I always liked the stories that touched on the history of dice control. The back-story was always interesting to me.In this book, Frank examines and reminisces about growing up

Catholic, in Brooklyn. He brings to the pages what you might hear if you got together with your friends and got nostalgic. I, like Frank, was born in Brooklyn, and spent my youth there. I can totally relate to what he is writing about. It seems that his friends were my friends. Their thoughts, my thoughts. Their escapades and adventures, mine also. I am not finished yet with the book, but so enjoyed so much what I have read, that I wanted to share it with you. This is a great book for anyone who grew up Catholic or anyone who knew a Catholic and wanted to peek into the confessional booth (which Frank does, with predictable fun). I bought another copy and am gifting it to a friend who is a priest. But first I am going back to my old haunts in Brooklyn, to reminisce, to see the old apartment, the old school, the Church, and get flooded with memories. That is what this book has done for me.

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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great read! By Beachcomber Can't put it down! I did not grow up Catholic, but have heard many stories. Well, this brings religion and humor alive and enjoyable! I can't wait to read more of Frank Scoblete's work. Well written, not boring and certainly captivating! Having it on my Kindle application makes it great to read just about anywhere!!! Kudos to Scobe!

Confessions of a Wayward Catholic is a hilarious yet insightful account of Frank Scoblete's years from kindergarten through grandparenthood as a confused, wayward, seemingly ever-sinning Catholic. Join Frank for a possibly hell-bound ride as he attempts to understand what God and religion are all about. Will Frank reach the pearly gates or be banished to eternal damnation? "I love my husband but there is stuff in this book that is disgraceful and should never have been written!" - Alene Scoblete, wife "Francis Scoblete has been a major sinner ever since he came to elementary school. I watched him closely at the dances." - Sister Jerome Blake, in charge of making sure girls and boys slow danced a foot apart. "I don't know why Jewish kids went to a Catholic school but I'm proud they did well in religion." - Chief Rabbi Sol Bernstein "I believe that you should love your neighbor as yourself. Luckily, Frank lives in another town and is not my neighbor." - Jesus Christ "Scoblete says I have no sense of humor. I will afflict him with boils and sores over his whole body, just like I did Job." - God "Frank Scoblete has been wayward for over six decades. He's my main man!" - Satan

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