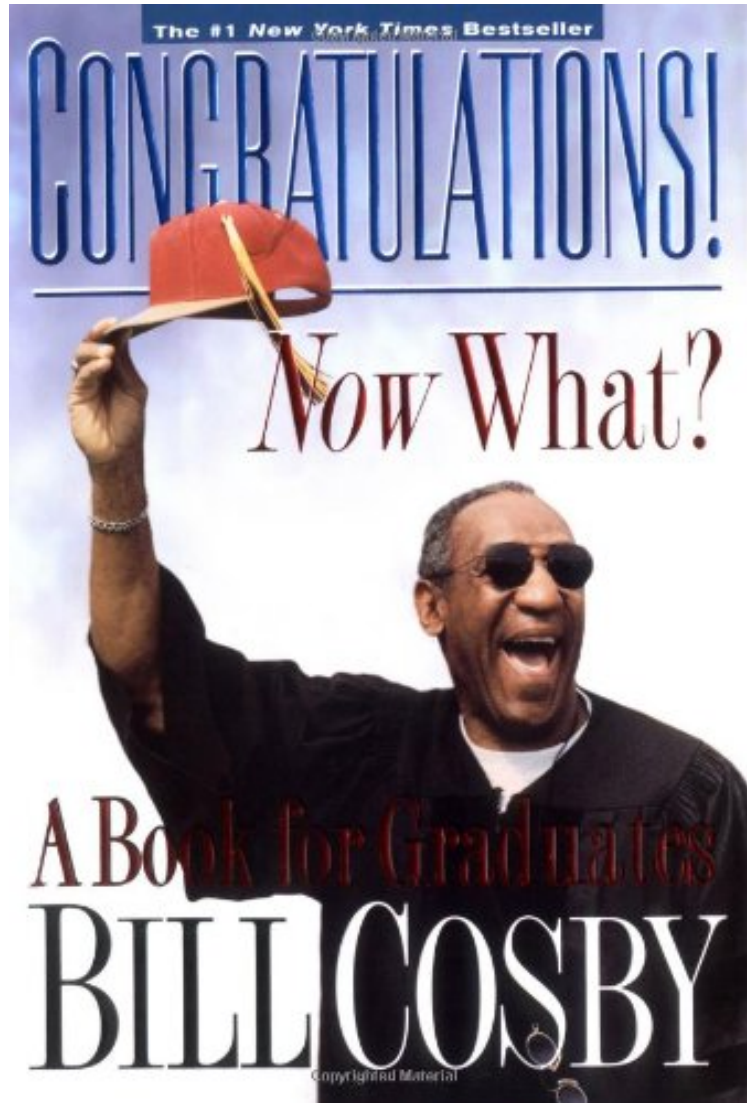


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what the answer is...Mr. Cosby is an undoubtedly clever man but maybe in this particular piece of work he gives us an insight into what he was like during his university years?The book is fun but very disappointing in sense that this isn't what you'd expect from the title. Maybe he should've called it: "You're at university. Now what? Depends on you..."0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. A great gift for the new graduateBy CustomerBill Cosby turns his sites on stuff every graduate should know. Without foul language, sex, or violence, this book should be a must read. Even though it had been a long time since I graduated, I still found it both funny and relevant.

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