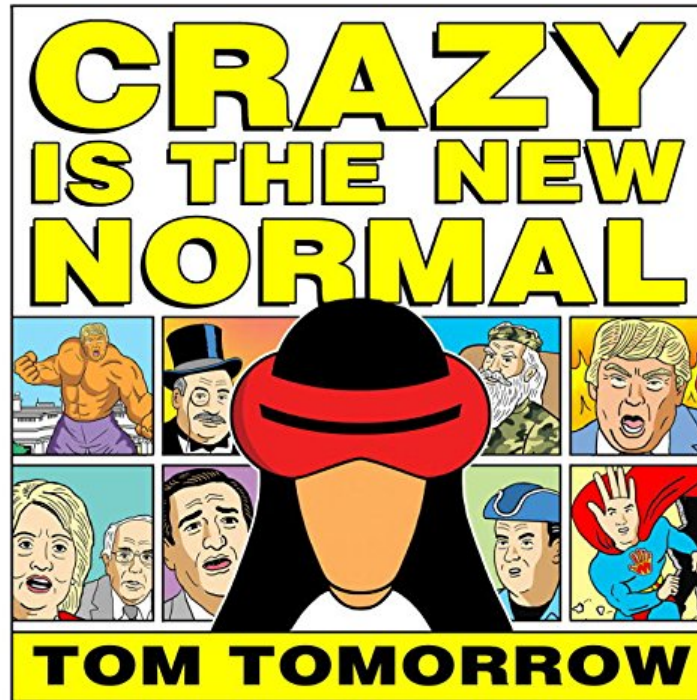


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Tom Tomorrow : Crazy Is The New Normal (This Modern World) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Crazy Is The New Normal (This Modern World):

6 of 6 people found the following review helpful. Belongs on every thinking person's bookshelf!By Louis V.I had read each of them when they were first published but, like any worthwhile literature, they withstand the test of time. It only took until page 3 before I laughed out loud and that reaction alternated with head-shaking, horrified, agreement/recognition as I read through each page. Tom Tomorrow has managed to avoid becoming numb in the age of the post-ironic shrug, and can deliver devastating insights into the state of our public discourse in just a few, careful drawn and written panels. Long before 'The Daily Show' was skewering politicians with video clips of their own contradictory statements, This Modern World was doing it with a cartoon. His comics routinely wake me from my own numbness, even to the hypocrisies of my own opinions, and there is no greater impact that a writer can have. This collection starts with 2014, and basically every page remains relevant and funny! Don't let the great artwork and fun characters like 'Droney - the Friendly Surveillance Drone', President 'MiddleMan', or 'The Incredible Trump' fool you - this is intelligent, thoughtful writing (with bite) that leaves you laughing.2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Intelligent and funny take on current eventsBy Mark SmallwoodWell, I actually purchased this book. Didn't get a review copy or otherwise have the book forced upon me. Sheesh. As usual with Tom Tomorrow, the book contains hilarious and sardonic takes on our crazy, mixed-up world. If you're looking for "fair and balanced" coverage of news events and nutty right-wing conspiracy theories, by which I mean books that reinforce your view that the

country needs to be "Made Great Again," move along, there's nothing to see here. If you want insightful confirmation that the latest crazy thing you heard on the Interwebs was not something you dreamed, then this is the book for you. When the political class of this country becomes so whacked out that even Jonathan Swift would seem ho-hum in comparison, Tom Tomorrow is one of those courageous humorists that is willing to lay it all out there. Mark Twain would be proud. Buy the book, support intelligent life on Earth.² of 2 people found the following review helpful. Run, Don't Walk To The "BUY NOW" button. ;)By David BartzMy review will be brief. I am a subscriber to Dan's email list where I get the cartoon of the week every Sunday. He's just a wonderful thinker and amazing cartoonist. I just don't get how he can *nail* the faces of real people in cartoon form. Maybe he traces photos of them - they're that good. Anyway, this is just a hilarious take on the past 18 months. You won't regret buying it. Thank you, Dan and have a (relatively) peaceful holiday season. (Oh No! The Trump Word Police are scanning for the word "holiday"... they're at the door knocking... Sparky! Sparky! Hellllp!)

New regime got you down? Then return to tomorrow as Tom Tomorrow's unique and celebrated perspective on America's political lunacy, *This Modern World*, returns to shelves! The gang's all here as the war drum of doom signals the encroaching apocalypse that is the 2016 American Presidential race—with special guest The Incredible Trump! Serious, elevated discourse and political correctness need not apply. One thing's for sure, in 2016 Crazy Is The New Normal, and Tom Tomorrow is the only guiding light fit to lead us into that darkness! This softcover volume collects select strips from 2014–2016.

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About the Author Tom Tomorrow (Dan Perkins) is the creator of *This Modern World*, a weekly cartoon of political and social satire which is featured on sites such as *The Nation*, *Daily Kos*, and *Medium*, and which has been a mainstay of the alternative press for more than two decades. His work has also appeared in publications including *The New York Times*, *The New Yorker*, *Esquire*, *Spin*, *Mother Jones*, *US News and World Report*, *The Economist*, and many others. He is a two-time recipient of the Robert F. Kennedy Journalism Award, the 2013 recipient of the Herblock Prize for editorial cartooning, and a 2015 finalist for the Pulitzer Prize. He is the author of ten cartoon compilations and one book for children, and in 2009 created the artwork for the Pearl Jam album *Backspacer*.