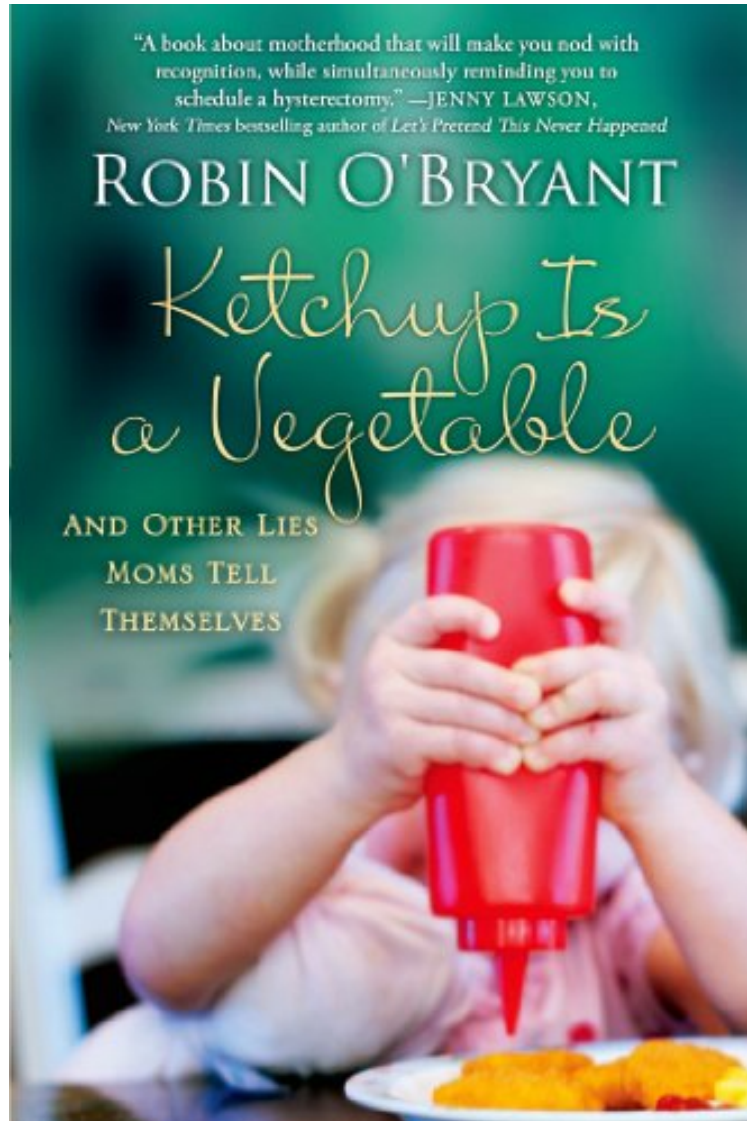


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**Robin O'Bryant : Ketchup Is a Vegetable: And Other Lies Moms Tell Themselves** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Ketchup Is a Vegetable: And Other Lies Moms Tell Themselves:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Laughed my sox off!By James H. MasseyRobin O'Bryant's exaggerations are not only hysterical, but only too true. Every mother of kids born close together will instantly recall their own crazy stories and laugh all the harder. As the Mother of four born in under 6 years, I never slept an entire

night through for 5 1/2 years. 2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Heartwarming Hilarious By Customer Robin O'Bryant is a girl after my own heart! She is a real mom, who is not afraid to show all of us, the real life day to day happenings in the world of motherhood. I love how she pulls up the shades and lets her readers peer right in through her windows to see the good, the bad and the sometimes very ugly journey of motherhood. She is a hilarious and brilliant writer but more importantly, she is an incredibly amazing MOM! Although, I cringed while reading some of the antics her three precious little girls delivered, one thing shined through more than anything and that was how much she loves being their mother. I believe that anyone who reads this will find themselves aspiring to be a better mom even in their most frustrating moments of doubt. We all wonder if we are doing this right, and sometimes just knowing that other mom's are feeling the same, makes it all okay! These stories made me laugh, they made me cry and in the end, my heart was so full of gratitude, as I was graciously reminded that being blessed with the job of motherhood is the greatest gift God gave me! Thank you, Robin! -Carolyn Coppola, Author of "Minivans, Meltdowns and Merlot"

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Lighthearted, Laugh Out Loud, Easy Read for Moms! By FamilyOf5 Sometimes you just need some humor in your life. This book provides the comic-relief you didn't know you needed. You will be able to relate to most of it, laugh at all of it, and maybe even see the not-so-serious side of your own parenting challenge. Very easy to read a few chapters at a time, when you have the time, then come back to it later. It's a collection of short stories and experiences the author has had as mom to three girls. Highly recommended, you won't be disappointed.

If you don't have anything nice to say about motherhood, then... read this book. Robin O'Bryant offers a no holds barred look at the day to day life of being a mother to three, running a household and the everyday monotony of parenting. It's not always pretty but it's real. Whether she's stuffing cabbage in her bra... dealing with defiant yet determined daughters... yelling at the F.B.I... or explaining the birds and the bees to her preschooler... you're sure to find dozens of humorous and relatable situations. From the creator of Robin's Chicks, one of the South's most popular blogs on motherhood, misunderstandings and musings, comes a collection of essays that will not only make you laugh and cry, but realize that you're not alone in your journey. Sit back and relax, pour yourself some "mommy juice," throw a fresh diaper on your baby and deadbolt the bedroom door to keep your kids out... because once you start reading you'll be too busy wiping away tears of laughter to wipe anybody's butt.

From Booklist Certainly, this book on motherhood won't ring a bell for everyone (nor ring everyone's bell, for that matter). This is a warts-and-all (and by warts, think enemas, "boob sweat" that smells like goat cheese coming from breasts called "Big Berthas," and the like) tale from a nurse who wanted kids all her life and then had them. Seasoned mothers may not care to be reminded that breast-feeding sucks (no pun intended) or that kids are a difficult and often thankless job. Those who haven't left this particular fence might find useful information here, presented in a grimly determined jolly-despite-it-all tome with such chapters as "Awkward Naked Moments," "Fire the Ho," and "Boys Have a Penis." (There's news! Shouldn't boys have penises?) O'Bryant has a husband covering the bills and often nearby relatives covering the slack, and so she focuses on getting her shape back, finding a bra that fits (her Big Berthas don't quite match), and, of course, raising her daughters. If you're looking for an in-your-face, chipper-mom tell-all, complete with baby talk ("DON'T 'PANK ME!! PWEASE, MOMMA"), Ketchup serves. --Eloise Kinney "A cheeky, amusing motherhood memoir." ?Kirkus s About the Author Robin O'Bryant is a writer and stay-at-home-mom to three daughters born within four years. She finally figured out where babies come from and got herself under control. Robin survives the hilarity of motherhood by making fun of herself in her self-syndicated humor column, Robin's Chicks and on her blog by the same name. She tweets compulsively and over shares daily on Facebook as Robin Wiley O'Bryant. Come point and laugh. Ketchup Is a Vegetable is her first book.