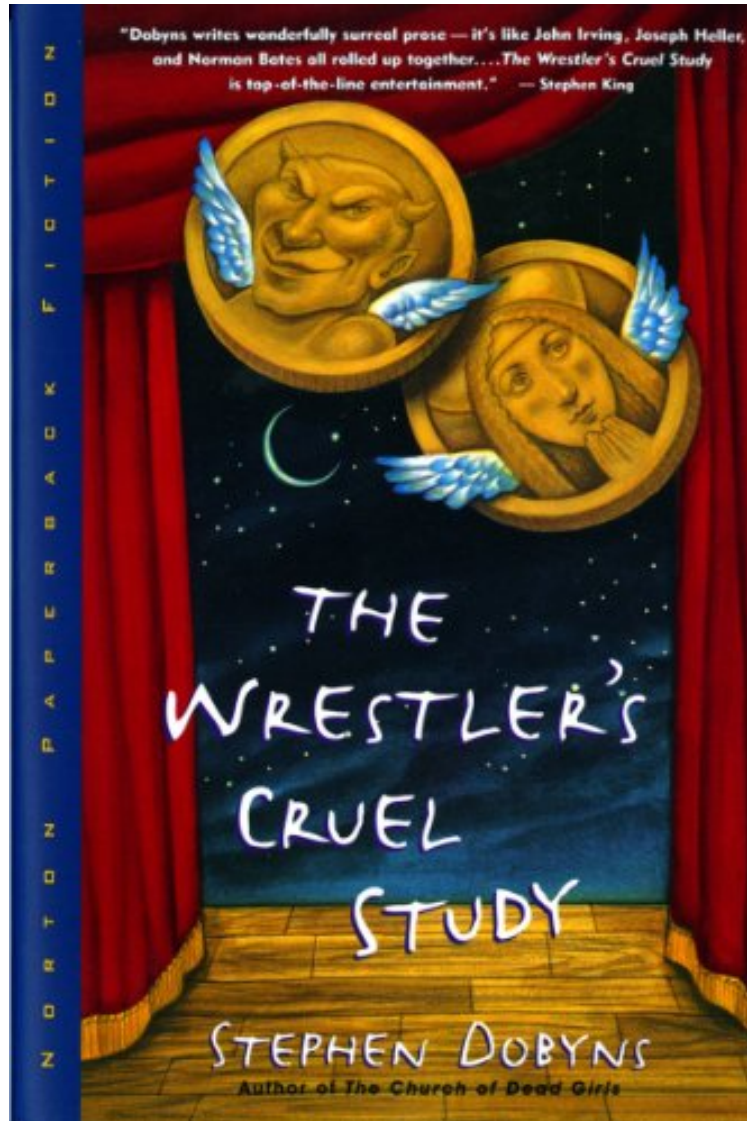


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Von Stephen Dobyns : The Wrestler's Cruel Study before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Wrestler's Cruel Study:

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. An Explosively Entertaining First Half That Then UnravelsVon electroliteI have to state that "bobm"'s review is pretty dead on. I can't add much more to it. Dobyns creates some memorable characters and hysterical scenerios while sustaining a serious underlying message. The first half is wickedly funny and entertaining but (as bobm says) during

the last 50 pages or so, you realize you aren't going to quite get the big payoff you expected. The plot unravels and things are wrapped up too quickly. Many things are left unresolved. It feels rushed which is a shame because up until then, the novel kicks. Unlike *Bob* though, I enjoyed Dobyns' camera descriptions of the action. Still definitely worth the time although ultimately just a tad disappointing. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A great modern satire *Von Ein Kunde* This is an interesting story of a wrestler's quest to find his own identity. The writing is both brilliant and funny. Dobyns writes his book depicting the views and philosophies of Fredrick Nietzsche through the wacked out characters of 20th century "professional wrestling" This book will make you better examine our society and perhaps the question why now in 1999, professional wrestling is becoming so popular. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Thoughtful, philosophical, cinematic and funny... *Von Ein Kunde* Dobyns is a treasure. This novel is mammoth in its scope, deft in its discription, and lingers long after it is put down. Complex thoughts are overlain with a cinematic quality that allows you to walk away from the book for a few days and still remember who everyone of the characters is. Awesome.

Kurzbeschreibung Wrestling, kidnapping, subplots from the Brothers Grimm, and a young man's search for his missing fiancée are only some of the elements of Stephen Dobyns's dazzling new novel. Fun and puns mingle with daring make-believe. Larger-than-life characters play out the crucial human questions: How do we live? How do we handle our demons? **Pressestimmen** I was reading this book on the treadmill at the YMCA and got laughing so hard at the three wrestling brothers (Prime Rib, Prime Rate, and Prime Time) that I had to get off. Dobyns writes wonderfully surreal prose it's like John Irving, Joseph Heller, and Norman Bates all rolled together. The *Wrestler's Cruel Study* is top-of-the-line entertainment: prime rib, prime rate, prime time. --Stephen King "Unlike any other book any of us will read this year, or next year, or the year after. . . . Dobyns is one of our most original, daring, and gifted writers.--Robert Boswell Stirs together Nietzschean philosophy, professional wrestling, fairy-tale scenarios and Gnostic speculation to produce what is at once a darkly humorous and gravely unsettling work of imagination.--Sven Birkerts **Kurzbeschreibung** Wrestling, kidnapping, subplots from the Brothers Grimm, and a young man's search for his missing fiancée are only some of the elements of Stephen Dobyns's dazzling new novel. Fun and puns mingle with daring make-believe. Larger-than-life characters play out the crucial human questions: How do we live? How do we handle our demons?