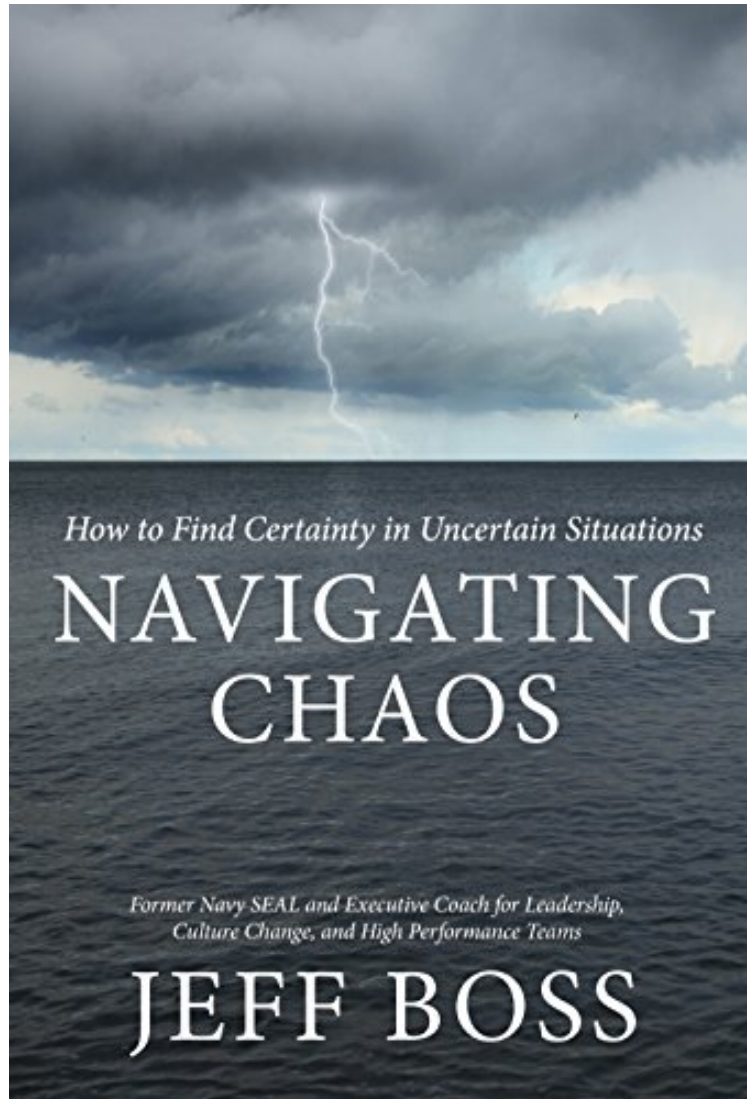


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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. On my favorites list!By CustomerI have just finished reading "Navigating Chaos" and I must say that it was well worth its time!I found it extremely helpful at times when I really need it and I believe it will serve me way beyond that.Through it I could feel author's love for his profession and his passion for it, and I felt inspired and motivated to go for the things that are connected to my values and purpose in life.I think that what resonated with me the most were his vivid descriptions of his missions in Iraq and Afghanistan,

and the leadership lessons he took from those experiences. I truly believe that such situations are probably the best test for someone's passion and values towards the work. And I would underline passion and values, because as he says in the book, both go hand in hand. This is what struck me the most. I think that everything else builds on this, such as teamwork and performance. If one is really pursuing the true passion, then everything else would come easier, rather than the opposite way. The bad news is that most of us are still searching for our true passion, or maybe sometimes we are not brave enough to go for it. However this book might serve us as a wake-up call. Why? His thoughts on teamwork and improvement made me feel that I already know this in theory, but doing it in practice comes a little bit harder. Then it came the part of passion, purpose and values (accompanied by his experiences) and this is where I understood why putting things in practice is not as easy as it seems to be. Hopefully, this book will serve as food for thought and will provide answers for everyone who is feeling stuck in a way both personally or professionally!

3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. An excellent book! By Jason Lewis Jeff brings to the business world lessons learned from one of the world's most elite groups. Incorporating stories from his time in the SEALs and the lessons learned from those he provides a clear path and direction on how entrepreneurs, leaders and managers can take their performance to the next level. It wasn't a dry book because he mixes in humor and personal stories. He ties those in with leadership, problem solving and personal development. I've read a number of books dedicated to management, personal development and leadership and I would consider Navigating Chaos as one of the best because the lessons he teaches comes from personal experience.

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Do not miss this book! By Justin Edwards Navigating Chaos by Jeff Boss will open your eyes to methodologies which in practice will drive high level performance in any team or individual. Jeff applies the PAL Model (c) and his 5 Cs of Chaos to prove the benefits of being a Perpetual Learning Organism, adapting for continuous improvement, to stay ahead of your closest competitor. Organizations, teams, and individuals must define their PURPOSE (or strategy), design their organizations to have the tools and resources to visualize that purpose (top-down, under more general terms), and then empower the local, boots-on-the-ground to adapt that general design using their more specific experiences to accomplish that purpose. The most agile organizations and teams will practice knowledge sharing to empower the bottom-up decision-making ability necessary to remain viable in today's world, to set their organizations apart from the rest. True and unbounded collaboration across the organization leads to a culture of transparency and builds enlightened relationships with influential relevance. Jeff combines his military and civilian experiences, spiced with just enough of his wry wit, to present this book to each of us as a valuable tool in our professional and personal toolbox.

Jeff Boss has faced and overcome uncertainty in the most tumultuous circumstances. As a Navy SEAL, he worked in some of the most unforgiving environments on earth and faced enemies that constantly changed, much like today's business landscape. In a world of chaos, how do individuals and teams stay together to find certainty in a world where there is anything but? This book reveals how. Using anecdotal experiences from both the military and business worlds, Boss highlights the mindset and practical steps of how people and organizations can forge certainty amidst inevitable chaos.

"NAVIGATING CHAOS is one of the best leadership books you are ever going to read. Told with wit, charm, and intelligence - it is a must for every business person serious about success. Mix Sun Tzu's THE ART OF WAR with Covey's THE SEVEN HABITS OF HIGHLY EFFECTIVE PEOPLE and you only begin to scratch the surface of Boss's engaging and exceedingly well-written NAVIGATING CHAOS. Boss went to hell and back to procure the leadership insights contained within NAVIGATING CHAOS. What he delivers is beyond anything you will read this year!" - Brad Thor #1 New York Times bestselling author of CODE OF CONDUCT