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## **ABOUT *BOSWELL SPEAKS: VOLUMES 1, 2, 3, 4* BY RICHARD GROSSMAN**

*Boswell Speaks* is a hilarious, illustrated Twitter novel in four short volumes, available as Kindle eBooks for \$1.99 each. Based on @BoswellSpeaks, the popular Twitter feed of Richard Grossman's real-life Australian Terrier pal, the illustrated eBook series follows the faithful, fun-loving canine and his magical friend, StuffToy, on a mission to discover the secret meaning of the universe in the pattern of kibble in his bowl.

As Volume 1 opens, Boswell finds himself unable to control his appetite and repeatedly wolfs down his kibble before he can receive the inspirational messages that are being served up at mealtime. Adding to his frustration is his failure to have his way with the alluring Lulu, a neighbor's white Standard Poodle, who won't give him the time of day. But when his worldly pal, Stuffy, advises Boswell to recite the Kibbilosity Prayer and develop a belief in his Higher Poocher, the wisdom of the ages becomes available to the adorable dog—and to all of us who read his tweets. Boswell's love affair with Lulu is another matter: the terrier knows that his short legs will thwart the realization of his carnal fantasies about the towering beauty down the block.

In between meals and naps, Boswell reports on the antics of the other colorful characters in the neighborhood—including a left-wing Labrador and his screenwriter owners, a Maoist Shih Tzu, a cadre of Bolshevik squirrels, and a surfeit of right-wing vigilante skunks—leading the pup and his sidekick to tweet about things far beyond the confines of their kitchen. Revealing the surprising thoughts that may go through the minds of our furry companions, their conversations provide raucous commentary on current events, politics, institutions, mores and personalities, among them the Occupy movement, Hollywood culture, Lady Gaga, gay rights, Jim Cramer, reality TV, lap-band surgery, Fox News, twelve-step programs, and Arnold Schwarzenegger.

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