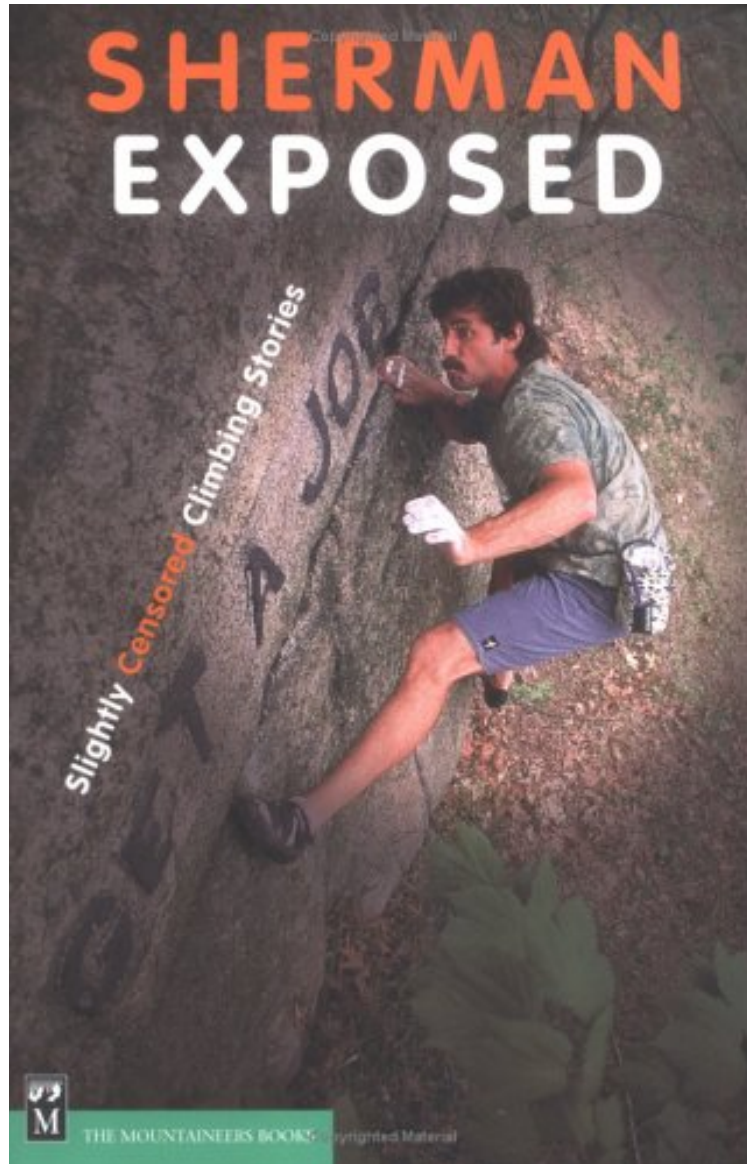


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Sherman is the avowed enemy of sanctimony and the freest of free spirits, and *SHERMAN EXPOSED* is a fun collection. -- *The Oregonian*. About the Author: Nicknamed Vermin by his high school biology teacher, John Sherman has spent twenty-odd years at the forefront of bouldering. In addition to his "Verm's World" column, he is the author of *Stone Crusade*, *Better Bouldering*, and *A Boulderer's Guide*, among others. He lives with his dog, Thimble, in Estes Park, Colorado.