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Going Solo: The Extraordinary Rise and Surprising Appeal of Living Alone

By Eric Klinenberg

Gerald Duckworth & Co Ltd. Hardback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, Going Solo: The Extraordinary Rise and Surprising Appeal of Living Alone, Eric Klinenberg, In 1950, only 22% of adults were single. Today, more than 50% of adults are. Eric Klinenberg explores the dramatic rise of solo living, and the seismic impact it's having on our culture, business and politics. Though conventional wisdom tells us that living by oneself leads to loneliness and isolation, most 'solo dwellers', compared with their married counterparts, are more likely to eat out and exercise, sign up for art and music classes, attend public events and lectures, and volunteer. Drawing on over three hundred indepth interviews with men and women of all ages and every class, Klinenberg reaches some startling conclusions. With eyeopening statistics, original data and vivid portraits of people who go it alone, Going Solo upends common preconceptions to provide the definitive take on the rise of this major trend and how it is transforming modern society.



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