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**WHO'S AFRAID OF THE
BIG, BAD BOSS?**



How to Survive 13 Types of
Dysfunctional, Disrespectful,
Dishonest Little Dictators

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UNDERCOVER RESEARCHER REVEALS MANAGEMENT MISBEHAVIOR AND EMPLOYEE SURVIVAL STRATEGIES IN NEW BOOK

(Peoria, AZ, September 16, 2005) There are 127 million employees in the United States according to the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, and many of them report to bad bosses—bosses who intentionally harm their employees and employers. Organization Development consultant and behavioral researcher, Marilyn Haight, M.S., M.A., went undercover to spy on bosses while working as an employee in their organizations. Her study resulted in an employee survival guide entitled *Who's Afraid of the Big, Bad Boss? 13 Types and How to Survive Them* (Infinity Publishing).

Drawing on her background of over 30 years in business and behavioral science, Haight profiled 13 bad-boss types. The book explains what each type wants from you—beyond job performance. An online search for "bad bosses" returns over 8,000 references to web sites that offer reports, advice and opportunities for employees to vent. Cartoons about bad bosses appear in newspapers across the country daily. You may recall a bad boss from your own experience or know someone who reports to a bad boss. Bad bosses are a serious problem, not only in hurting employees, but also in driving customers away by reducing the effectiveness and efficiency of the organizations that employ them.

Other career books tell you to learn how to manage-your-manager, but Haight says: "That won't work with a boss who doesn't want to get along with you, who wants to dominate you, or who wants to get away with something inappropriate. And besides, it's not *your* job to manage your manager, that's your boss's *boss's* job—and he or she might be a bad boss, too." Real-life stories illustrate the points throughout the book.

Straightforwardly written, *Who's Afraid of the Big, Bad Boss? 13 Types and How to Survive Them* puts knowledge and power in the hands of employees whose bosses punish them for doing a good job. It offers practical advice you can act on right now—and you don't need any degrees to understand it.

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