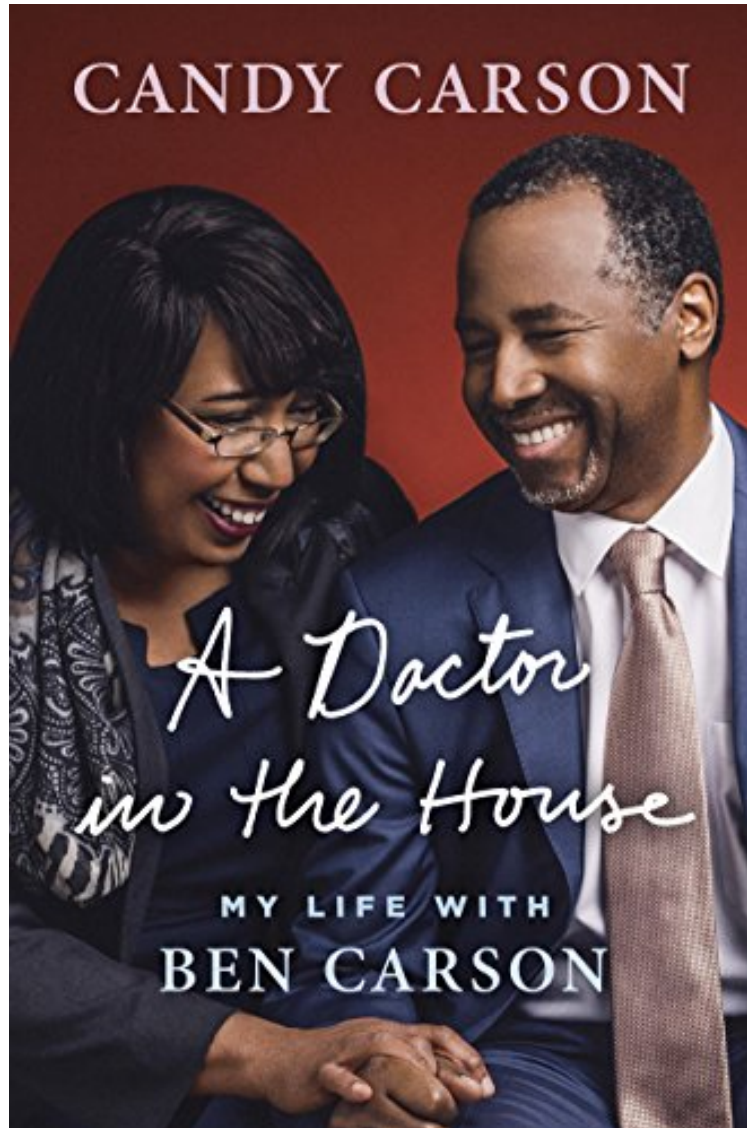


## A Doctor in the House: My Life with Ben Carson

Von Candy Carson

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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Candy schreibt wie sie sprichtVon sariLetzte Woche kam das Buch "A Doctor in the House" von Candy Carson raus. Ihre Lebensgeschichte. Aber das Meiste ist doch Ben und Ben und nochmals Ben. Er ist ja ihr Leben... was soll sie denn sonst schreiben. Ja, sie schreibt schon was sie gemacht hat, vor allem mit der Musik und mit ihren Kindern. Ich hab's

gelesen - sie schreibt wie ihr der Schnabel gewachsen ist. Am Ende sagt sie, dass sie das Buch innerhalb von 4 Wochen geschrieben hat... Dafür ist das Buch bertrieben teuer. Aber das Geld spendet sie ja an Wohlttigkeit, wahrscheinlich dem Schlerfonds Carson Scholars Fund. Das ist schon eine sehr gute Sache. Wer erwartet hat, etwas wirklich Neues über Candy und Ben zu erfahren, wird enttuscht. Ben ist wie immer der so nette gute Arzt und sie seine treu-sorgende Ehefrau. Aber so sind sie eben. Ich habe beide persnlich kennen gelernt, als sie mal in Deutschland waren, und sie sind wirklich ganz bescheiden und lieb.

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