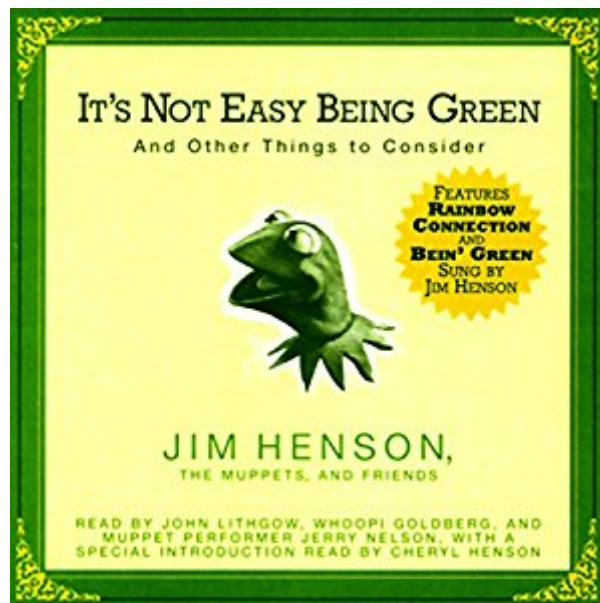




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# It's Not Easy Being Green: And Other Things To Consider (Unabridged Selections)



## Synopsis

“The words say ‘It’s not easy being green,’ but the song is about knowing who you are. And in it you hear Jim’s message most clearly. He believed that people are good and that they want to do their best and that no matter how or why we might be different from anybody else, we should learn to love who we are and be proud of it.” —Ray Charles

In the tradition of *The World According to Mister Rogers*, a timeless collection of wisdom on life, friendship, individuality, creativity, collaboration, and more -- from Jim Henson and *Friends* — There are few things that evoke such a universal feeling of warmth and humor as the work of Jim Henson. In his own words, as well as those of some of his best-known characters like Kermit the Frog and Ernie, we get a glimpse of the philosophy and humor that was so essential to Jim’s creations. We also get a behind-the-scenes glimpse of the collaborative spirit of this gentle artistic genius from the people Jim knew, loved, and inspired. This uplifting collection of quotes, stories, anecdotes, songs, and insights gives new life to Jim’s magical world. With chapters titled *Dynamite Determination*; *Listen to Your Heart*; *Together We Can Do It*; *It Starts When We’re Kids*; and *A Part of Everything and Everyone*, *It’s Not Easy Being Green* is by turns entertaining, inspiring, and laugh-out-loud funny, reminding us that every day counts. Readers young and old will cherish this collection. Culled from The Jim Henson Company archives, program transcripts, personal letters, and interviews, along with some of Jim’s never-before-published writings, *It’s Not Easy Being Green* is a testament to the legacy of a man who changed the way we see the world. --This text refers to the Hardcover edition.

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## Customer Reviews

A neat volume, but the seller sent me a "new" copy lacking the dust jacket. As I intended to give it as a gift, I could not accept this and had to send it back. Good for fans of Jim Henson.

My buddy had a drunken one night stand with a chick who looked like Miss Piggy. We've been calling him Kermit ever since. Bought him this for Christmas last year. He hated it. It was worth every penny.

Henson was a genius at creativity. To me, he and Disney share the top spot in crafting cartoon characters and stories. This book offers some insights into how he built his comic universe and how his family helped. He died too young.

Cute little sayings that you can pick up and put down throughout the day. Probably better bought as a stocking stuffer than anything else.

The loss of Jim Henson greatly diminished the world. "It's Not Easy Being Green: And Other Things to Consider" gathers together some of Henson's thoughts on a variety of topics. What comes through is an individual who was deeply concerned with making a contribution to the world, and how we can all live a life in harmony with ourselves, with other people, and the world around us. This is a short read, a book for keeping in the bag on the way to work and other times when losing yourself in pleasant thoughts and deeper private reflection is appropriate.

I love the book so very much and the packaging that it came in was quite clever!

I was very pleased with the book itself, but I am only giving it 4 stars because of the condition I received it in from .com. The front of the dust jacket looked dirty and had marks on it even though I bought the book new. I was disappointed, especially because I gave it as a gift

It is a good but for people who sometimes have a hard time with life.

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