I thoroughly enjoyed this book. It gives a lot insight into being retired, being unemployed or being overworked and how to handle leisure time. This is definitely inspirational for anyone not in the working world which is where I intend to be in a couple of years! I am looking forward to putting a lot of what is in this book to practice. Many of my friends have also expressed an interest in reading this book. I wish to thank Ernie for showing us that making a living by not-working an ordinary 9-5 jobs is not only possible but also rewarding. To the frustrated employees (or ex-employees), The Joy of Not Working is truly a pioneer work. Ussi-Indy Indianapolis, USA. Helpful? The Joy of Not Working: A Book for the Retired, Unemployed and Overworked Paperback â€” 1 September 2003. by Ernie J. Zelinski (Author). Visit Amazon's Ernie J. Zelinski Page. Find all the books, read about the author, and more. The book needs editing down, in my opinion. There are lots of positive testimonials in the latter chapters, which I felt should have been the part of the book that gave you concrete advice. Nevertheless, a feel good book for when your job is making you feel gloomy. Read more. 4 people found this helpful. Report abuse. Rachel Taylor. 5.0 out of 5 stars A brilliant book to make you change your whole attitude to work, and what life is like beyond work. Reviewed in the United Kingdom on 7 December 2019. Great book. A book review of the book "The Happiness Project - Or Why I Spent a Year Trying to Sing in the Morning, Clean My Closets, Fight Right, Read Aristotle, and Generally Have More Fun" by Gretchen Rubin. Cabin Porn, Inspiration for Your Quiet Place Somewhere by Zach Klein. Cabin Porn by Zach Klein. From the creators of the hugely popular tumblr site, "Cabin Porn", comes this collection...Â The Joy of Not Working: A Book for the Retired, Unemployed and Overworked- 21st Century Edition, The Joy of Not Working: A Book for the Retired, Unemployed and Overworked- 21st Century Edition [Zelinski, Ernie J.] on Amazon.com. *FREE* shipping on qualifying offers. The Joy of Not Working: A Book for the Retired, Unemployed and Overworked- 21st Century Edition. Help! The Joy of Not Working: A Book for the Retired, Unemployed and Overworked- 21st Century Edition.Â He has taught more than 300,000 people what The Joy of Not Working is about: learning to live every part of their lives - work and play, employment, and retirement alike - to the fullest. In this completely revised and expanded edition, you too can join the thousands of converts and learn how to thrive at both work and play.Â His signature book The Joy of Not Working has now sold over 310,000 copies and has been published in 17 foreign languages. His flagship book How to Retire Happy, Wild, and Free has sold over 400,000 copies and has been published in 10 languages.