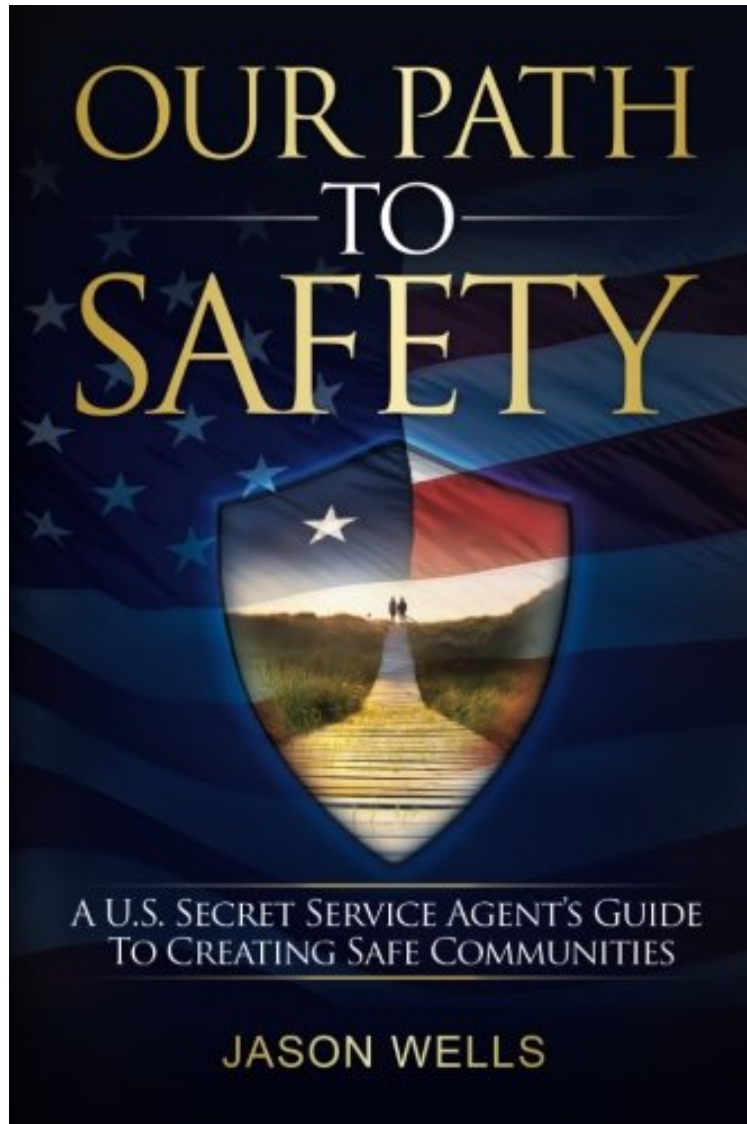


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devoured a non-fiction this fast since Freakonomics. Enjoyable, yet frightening. I had goosebumps the entire read, and because of my physical reaction, I have to give it FIVE STARS. That's an honest and well-earned review. When former Secret Service Agent, and "Good Guy" Jason Wells wrote "Our Path To Safety", he penned a thought-provoking, stimulating, and well-informed book relevant to YOUR security (as well as mine.) But I should warn you: It's both heartbreaking, as well as disturbing to read the true accounts of rampage violence occurring throughout the book...By page 3, I had tears streaming down my face after reading the heartbreaking account, and personal interview which Mr. Wells conducted himself. At page 122, I was taking notes from the important bullet-points so I could memorize them, and be prepared. And I am confident that I am. I am now a more informed (if not enlightened) individual and will never go into a public place seeing things the way a civilian would, but the way I've been taught to recognize them after reading Our Path To Safety, and having some basic knowledge of Mr. Wells' OA2 formula. (Observe, Assess and Act.) Today is day three after I've wrapped the book, and I am still thinking about what I have read, who I need to recommend it to, and how I can get the word out to people to read it. I want to shake them and yell, "WAKE UP! THE WORLD IS CHANGING! WE NEED TO BECOME AWARE OF OUR SITUATION AND REFUSE TO BECOME VICTIMS OF RAMPAGE VIOLENCE!" But the first step is recognizing the signs and the environment which leads to the behavior in the first place. Please read the book. You won't be disappointed.

2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Recommended for all first responders, teachers and parents

By earl lingerfelt Mr. Wells does an excellent job of breaking it down to the average American just how delicate our safety is and how our society needs to turn up the "situational awareness" when it comes to personal protection and the prevention of violent actions. I recommend that anyone who works with large numbers of people in an "unvetted" way read this book. What I mean is that law enforcement, high school and college teachers/instructors/professors, direct contact medical professionals such as hospital staff and EMT's and of course parents will all benefit from this book. I think that all of our own personal safety and the safety of our children is our own responsibility, and the first step to being safe is understanding the threats and dangers that we all may be exposed to.

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Very impressed with the content of this book. Don Bengtson

By Customer After reading this book like the book indicated I would be very surprised if everyone that read it could not relate to the information given in this book. I was very impressed with the content and would recommend every parent to read it. I would recommend everyone read this book, given the condition of the country and the uncertainty with the Terrorist threat we are living with everyday. This book will make you take a step back and look at your life and family and experience moments in your life that it is possible if you had done things a bit different some of your friends or family would still be with you. The author of this book has opened his heart and shared his precise training with everyone that reads this book and believe me when I say you will be educated in areas that you may have felt you were before but realize you may not be at all after reading it. I am very impressed with its content and I am not an avid reader. If the first three chapters do not grab me I lay the book down. I did not on this one.

What if there was a way to identify a threat to a school, a business or a community before it happened? What attackers who target innocent people have in common is not their psychological conditions nor their social upbringing, but rather their behavioral actions prior to their violence. These behaviors have been studied at length for years, and are now available to the public. Former U.S. Secret Service Agent Jason Wells outlines these behavioral conditions, which have been used by the federal government for decades to protect leaders of the world, to include the President of the United States. With this guide, members of the community can learn what kinds of behaviors should be of concern, and how society can act in a safe and proactive manner to address them. With analysis into behavioral indicators and real-world examples in the stories of some of the most prolific attackers in U.S. history, Jason Wells sets out to empower the reader to understand that it is the national community who will protect itself from future acts of active shooter attacks, domestic terrorism, and random violence in our country. Our Path To Safety is filled with compelling true stories, gripping analysis and outlined solutions to addressing violence through behavioral interventions and positive action.

About the Author Jason Wells is a father, husband, former federal agent, and distinguished officer having served honorably in the United States Armed Forces. During his tenure as a Special Agent with the U.S. Secret Service, Mr. Wells was charged with protecting the lives of distinguished individuals such as Presidents Obama, Bush (41 and 43), Clinton and Carter, as well as their families and numerous other V.I.P.s. Mr. Wells left the agency in 2014 to form the National Advancements for Proactive Safety (NAPS), a federally-recognized 501(c)3 non-profit organization committed to training members of the community in identifying and addressing threat-related behavior in others, and to do so in a safe manner. In addition, Mr. Wells trains our community in developing reporting systems in our schools and businesses to deal with behavioral issues. Mr. Wells has just completed his first book, Our Path To Safety: A U.S. Secret Service Agents Guide To Creating Safe Communities which outlines how citizens can identify and assess threat-related behaviors. Jason has a B.A. in English and a Minor in History from the Virginia Military Institute, and holds an M.S. in Strategic Security and Protection Management from Henley Putnam University (Magna Cum Laude). During

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