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**Ira Tabankin : We Knew They Were Coming** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised We Knew They Were Coming:

5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. Readable but RepetitiveBy WineguyMinor Spoilers:As far as the story goes it was enjoyable enough to keep me reading to see where it was going. I also purchased the second follow-up book. With that said the author had a secondary story of making a not-so-subtle subplot of Trump as the next president. This in itself isn't a big deal except it forced him to also handle the Alien situation as he thought Trump would instead of how a fictional president might..making the storytelling a bit awkward.The main issue with both the books is that THERE...IS...SO...MUCH...REPETITIVE...NARRATIVE!!!If half a page is devoted to a conversation or explanation of a situation you don't need to repeat that dialogue again and again. This added to the feeling that the wait for the aliens to arrive was so much longer than it was.In other cases so much detail was put onto paper and yet things like the first lady and the president's family are barely even mentioned. in fact Melania isn't even really mentioned until the second book as a passing "I hope she and my children got out." Seriously? In fact many of the characters seem to forget they have families once the "you know what" hit the fan.Overall not a terrible read if you can get past the fact the book would be 1/3 shorter if excess dialogue was left out.5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. You've Been Here BeforeBy JC1969This novel disappointed me...The disappointment rests in the characterization that seemed flat. The plot, noticing an alien craft approaching the earth, is a good one. The action of the characters in reaction to the situation introduces a serious implication: anyone approaching earth is assumed to be hostile, and humans react defensively. The novel echoes "The Day the Earth Stood Still," an episode in the original "Star Trek" television show...and remember "Independence Day?" The plot even possesses a scene in which one of the characters asks this basic question--he is nearly "hooted" out of the novel. The author could have taken us in an original and mysterious direction if he had decided to develop the possibility that the aliens did not have hostile intentions. Instead, the reader is treated to another impending alien invasion with governments scrambling to keep it a secret so that "the few, the chosen"....may be saved. I highly doubt I will read the sequel.2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Dark SideBy Richard SchwartzStory makes use of implausible alien technologies. The scenario has a breakdown of society with rape, pillage, and plunder. If you don't want to be raped, pillaged, and plundered when the aliens arrive, don't do it to others! The possibility of an alien invasion mandates that every American male make maximum contribution to a sperm bank that will be on the "dark side of the moon".Author needs to take a course in basic astronomy and study a few things in orbital mechanics. The 'dark side of the moon' is why I gave the work two stars instead of four. Clearly the author is not a scientist or engineer.

Note, this is not a politically correct novel. Mankind's oldest question is, 'Are we alone' has been answered. A typing error changes the area of space NASA's Kepler probe searches for Earth-like planets. It records a very bright light, an anomaly that doesn't match anything in NASA's files. It records something heading towards Earth at a speed so high as to be unbelievable. Earth has just over four years to prepare. The outgoing US President spends months before he believes there really is something heading to Earth. NASA's code word for the object is unicorn. The mythical horned horse is coming. The President forms a committee to figure out what to do, he hands the hot potato to his successor who takes the leaders of only six other countries into his confidence. The unicorn committee begins preparations, they decide to build shelters and arm the military with the most advanced weapons they can design and build in four years. Supply shortages ripple through the economy, rumors spread across the web. The government decides to take a drastic act in order to control the flow of information. As the unicorn speeds towards Earth, the government tries a unique way to spread what they hope is lifesaving information to the population, they hire survivalists, without telling them why, to spread information that something is coming and everyone needs to prepare. An amateur stargazer captures the bright light heading towards the planet. As the object draws closer, it begins to slow down, the bright light becomes additional lights, more than a single ship is coming. Panic spreads across the world. Everyone with a grievance attacks their enemies. When the objects arrive at Jupiter to refuel, their first act is to clear everything orbiting the planet, increasing the stress when GPS, communications, intelligence and debris is destroyed, leaving everyone on Earth without a lot of their toys. Their second act is to turn the world's grid off. The United States President decides to attack the aliens with ground-based rail guns, striking a couple of the ships orbiting the planet, the aliens respond by shutting off all electrical energy, including batteries. Earth is slapped back two hundred years. A small group of survivalists tries to apply their knowledge to build a new life. This is book 1 of a new series. It tells the story of the unicorn sighting, arrival, attack and the beginning of the rebuilding.

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