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## IED TO PUBLISH ***THE GOOD AMERICAN***

SHOWS WHY 3rd-PARTY VOTES ARE *LEAST* WASTED.

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In a startling analysis, mathematician B. Sidney Smith reveals that only a renewed patriotism grounded in civic duty and that rejects the partisan dynamic of the two-party system can meet the challenges threatening Americans' economy, their environment, their liberty, their civic commons, and their capacity for self-government.

Dr. Smith's *The Good American* offers first an exhaustively-sourced review of five grave threats under-reported by big-media and undiscussed by big-party politicians: our out-of-control militarism and security establishment, the sabotage of public discourse by propaganda and commercial culture, the destruction of our economic infrastructure by financial elites, the already-unfolding crisis of human overshoot that can destroy the very foundations of human existence, and the capture of democracy itself by an integrated, oligarchic duopoly. Firmly rejecting cynicism and resignation, Smith next charts a course for American renewal at home—and renewed American leadership abroad—a course whose first step is not just to vote, but to *vote for* rather than to *vote against*.

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