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The only item with more wear than my Hellhammer tee.

maria says

love/hate.

Anatolikon says

A marvellous and necessary text, although it lacks extended material on Koine or Byzantine Greek. Don't buy any of the dozen crappy reprints available, as they are from earlier editions. This is the most recent.

Maria says

A fascinating bedtime story. Good for insomnia too.

L S says

Come on, I had to include it! I haven't read through Smyth cover-to-cover; so, the date-read bit is when I got my first copy.

Now, it has to be said, Smyth is antiquated and in desperate need of revision; come on, though, it's still the book of which we all have extra copies on the bedside and in the can.

Liam says

Perhaps the best single source in English of the ancient Greek language.

James says

A true classic. Excellent reference grammar. The only complaint is that it seems to assume that Attic Greek from the Classical period is "real" and everything else is some sort of derivation or dialect. Scholars of other Greek literature (e.g. Biblical, Early Christian, Neo-Platonic, Byzantine, etc.) will need additional grammars specialized to that literature.

Cassie says

I actually use the 1920 edition, and it's very good. It's very comprehensive, and written in as straightforward a manner as is possible. It's a great reference book when dealing with tricky grammatical constructions.

Jared Saltz says

The standard of Greek reference grammars.

Vikram Kumar says

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