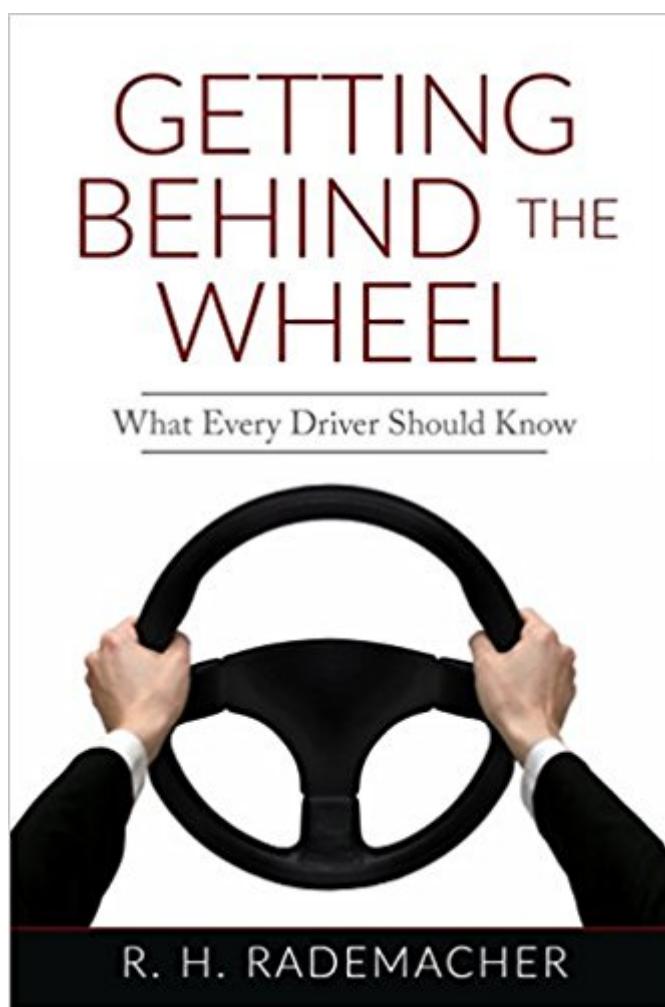


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# Getting Behind The Wheel: What Every Driver Should Know



## Synopsis

Who doesn't wish they knew a little bit more about their car? We depend on our vehicles to get us to and from work, to transport our children safely to school and college, and to enable us to do the shopping and all the other chores that keep our lives running smoothly. But most of us wouldn't know where to begin if we were asked to take a look at the spark plugs, or to change a filter. Given our dependence on our vehicles, and the investment we put into them, an accessible and easy-to-read guide on everything involved in choosing, driving, maintaining and repairing a vehicle would give every driver greater peace of mind when faced with problems, and greater confidence in getting them addressed. My book, *Getting Behind the Wheel*, provides exactly this. Far more than just a technical explanation of mechanical matters, *Getting Behind the Wheel* covers everything from selecting and buying the vehicle through to routine annual maintenance. In an engaging and jargon-free style, it leads the reader through the major aspects of vehicle function and maintenance, giving them a general idea of how things work and what to look out for when things go wrong. My more than thirty years of experience working as a vehicle technician also means I am able to give drivers many handy pointers on a range of related topics, including what factors to consider when choosing a vehicle, how to find the right technician, where to go to find important information, and more. The book also includes a handy troubleshooting guide that lists common symptoms and what they mean, and a wealth of advice based on knowledge garnered over a long career helping people with the problems that most frequently arise. The app that goes along with the book means that readers can have the relevant info with them at all times, referring to their phone to find out what that pinging sound might mean. *Getting Behind the Wheel* would be suitable for anyone who has or is thinking about acquiring a car. It would be especially valuable for teenagers who've just gotten their drivers' license, or college students moving a long distance from home – and would go a long way toward allaying parents' concerns in connection with these! While there are many car repair and maintenance guides available on the market, I'm not aware of any book that combines such material with the sort of practical information *Getting Behind the Wheel* provides on, for example, how to identify the best make and model for your needs, how to get the best value from your warranty, and how to assess the reliability of a technician. This will allow it to occupy a unique space in the market.

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