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quickly!! But I got over my pettiness quickly - while I'm sorry that ANYONE else has to suffer with this disease, it does indeed make me feel exactly what the title says - I am NOT alone. And if these people can get through it, so can I. Thank you, Joanne, for this book, and for your other books on Behcet's - YOU are the one who has truly made me feel less alone. And because of your books, my doctors have some clue of how to proceed - without you, I'd be worse off WITH the diagnosis than I was without it!! Thank you, you beautiful, WONDERFUL woman. If you have Behcet's, or if you know someone who does, buy this book - you will be very glad that you did!! 3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. Great Book on Behcet's By Stev-o I thought the book was very well put together. The purpose of me buying the book was to learn more from other experiences about Behcet's since I was experiencing it right now and was only recently diagnosed. After reading the book from cover to cover the first day I got it I learned several things. 1) I don't have Behcet's as bad as some others in the book. 2) Everyone is different so what works for one may not work for another. 3) I learned more about drugs and prescriptions that I feel I can now be a trained pharmacist. 4) Hope and faith is going to be needed now more than ever to get through the lows of this disease. The book was easy to read, captivating and a must have for anyone going through BD or any similar ailment.

"You Are Not Alone: 15 People with Behcet's" is a book where men, women and children from the US and Canada share their experiences living with Behcet's Disease. This publication has the support and approval of the American Behcet's Disease Association. Each person's first symptoms and disease progression are covered, as well as treatments in use, and other medical problems that may be related to this chronic illness. This is the only book available on Behcet's to describe symptoms and treatments in language easily understood by the layperson.

From the Author Twenty years of personal experience dealing with Behcet's and mis-informed medical personnel led me to spend a year researching and writing this book. The contents have struck a responsive chord with readers, who have filled my mailbox with comments such as: "An excellent job compiling so much data and presenting it in a very readable and easily comprehensible way." (Lisa Mooney, MD) "This book provided more insight into Behcet's Disease than any medical articles or abstracts." (Joanna Prentice) "'You Are Not Alone' is wonderful. I have recommended it to many people." (Hilda Harting, President, American Behcet's Disease Association) "This book is being passed from one friend to another and one relative to another. I can't get it back. Through the years, I have tried to explain to my family and friends just what Behcet's is and what it can do to those who have it. I would tell someone, and a year later, that same person would ask again. It has been like this for 20 years. This book is helping my family and friends finally understand." (Paul Van Ersvelde) "I read 'You Are Not Alone' in two sittings, and could not put it down. What a help to others with Behcet's." (Fran Putnam)