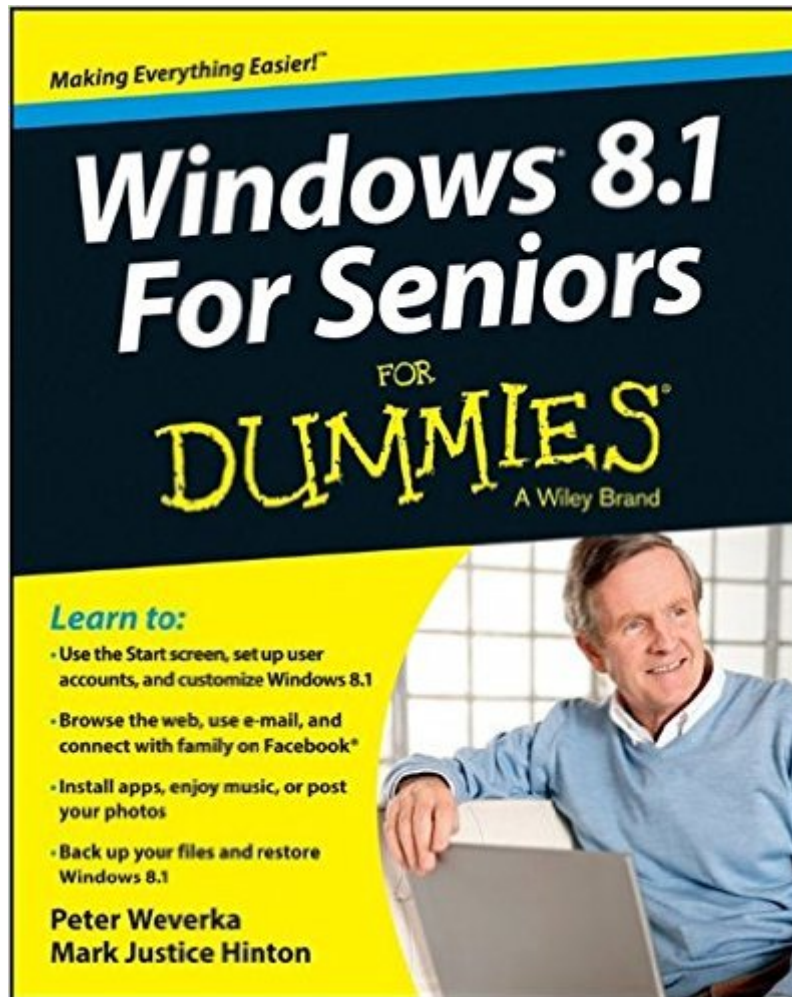


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# Windows 8.1 For Seniors For Dummies



## Synopsis

Seniors, here's what you need to get up and running on Windows 8.1 Microsoft, now a little older and wiser, is back with Windows 8.1, the revamped version that brings fresh changes and welcome improvements to the Windows 8 operating system. And now you savvy seniors can get the very most out of this easier-to-use Windows 8.1 with our friendly new guide. Using large print that makes the book easier to read plus magnified screen shots to help make Windows less intimidating, this book walks you through common tasks and show you how to get things done in fine style. Helps you get to know Windows 8.1, including the basics of PC hardware, the return of the Start screen, the desktop interface, Windows 8.1 applications, customizing, and more Explores how you can best use the Web, including directions on connecting to the Internet, using the e-mail app, connecting with social networks, and messaging Puts the fun in the fundamentals of how to find and install new apps, work with digital photos, and play music and videos Offers practical steps on troubleshooting and maintenance, connecting other devices, storing and organizing files, and backing up your computer Uses straightforward explanations, minimal chit-chat, and easy-to-read large print - perfect for seniors Work faster and smarter " and enjoy yourself, too " with Windows 8.1 and Windows 8.1 For Seniors For Dummies.

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I am a Senior and I couldn't manage Windows 8.1 without it!! Do I like 8.1, NO, even though better than 8.0!! I am slowly figuring out this computer with the Book. It isn't written in "technical" stuff I

can't understand! Thank goodness! If You are struggling this is the book for You!

I downloaded Windows 8.1 before I realized it and the new computer and Windows 8 book that was 2 weeks old had to be replaced. Enjoyed following the exercises page by page, even a dummy can follow the instructions. Very good guide for those that needs lots of help with Windows.

I was surprised there was no glossary of terms. The index seems woefully inadequate. A big part of the problem for beginners such as me, is trying to understand the instructions when you don't have even the foggiest notion what the words mean. I realize that in a book such as this there are serious limits on what details can be included, but the author makes the same mistake that many do---writing from his state of knowledge, rather than from the reader's state of ignorance. Ignorance of terminology is the single greatest impediment to learning a new discipline. Why doesn't the author offer a new book which is a dictionary of computer terminology. If a novice had that, he could---even though slowly--interpret and learn from the instructions.

I'm another long time holdout on using Windows 8. I have become firmly attached to Windows 7. Guess wht, I learned from this book how to setup a desktop that loos and acts like Windows 7. This book is really sweet. I think I just might like Windows 8.1. Br'er Ray said that.

This is perhaps the best laid out and in depth user reference manuals I have had the pleasure to read. The windows 8 operating system release has caused some very mixed reports (plenty of negatives) and I did have some concerns when I upgraded to win 8 with a new computer. This user manual solved all of those issues .This book is Well laid out and I might be wrong but it looks like the print is a little larger, anyway I recommend this reference to all that read this review, Young, or old like me!!!

My aging eyes like the larger print. This is a typical Dummies Book - a good intro to the Windows 8.1.

Am now enjoying Windows 8 thanks to this book & have been customizing away.. easy to understand and very highly recommend

help me fix most of my problems I was having with 8.1, only thing that I didn't get much help with

was e-mail.

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