People always ask me for reading suggestions, so here are 2 very simple ones:

The first is one of the best stockmarket columns available. This guy doesn't get the credit he deserves, but in my opinion his column is a must read. His name is Chris Byron, and he writes about stocks and the markets for The NY Post.

Chris unlike many has no problems taking on issues that aren't popularbut that protect the individual investor. His <u>column today</u> should be required reading for any small investor thinking of investing in penny stocks. He nails the problems with Reg D offerings, gives examples and most importantly follows up to confirm just how slimely some companies are that are using this instrument.

The SEC might not watch out for small investors, but it's great to know that Chris is. Read his column!

Switching topics to career advice. The book is called "Going Corporate: Moving up without ScrewingUp." If you are just getting out of school and already in the corporateworld, this book probably isn't for you. You already know what's in it.

For those new or about to be college grads whowant a funny, laugh out loud catch up on the things your future co-workers will be doing for you, with you and to you when you start your new job, buy this booknow.

This book isn't just for new entries into the workforce.

If you run a company, manage one, or are the CEO of any company with cubicles or rows of desk anywhere you pay rent, this book is definitely for you. You have no idea what is happening next to and on all those computers humming away in the office. This book will give you the rundown on all the things you never had the guts to do when you started out in the business world. Read this book as a primer, and a good laugh on just what runs through the minds of those twenty somethings that call you sir to your face, and something completely different behind your back. Good things of course:).

Read 'em and have fun!