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The new seventh edition of *Generation X: Americans Born 1965 to 1976* tells the story of the small but vital generation spanning the ages of 36 to 47 in 2012. Although their numbers are small, lifestage dictates that Generation X is a vital part of the nation's commerce and culture. People in their thirties and forties are in the crowded-nest years. They are supposed to be advancing in their careers, their incomes should be growing, and their spending should climb because of the expenses of children and teens. *Generation X: Americans Born 1965 to 1976* shows how Gen Xers are coping with these de
