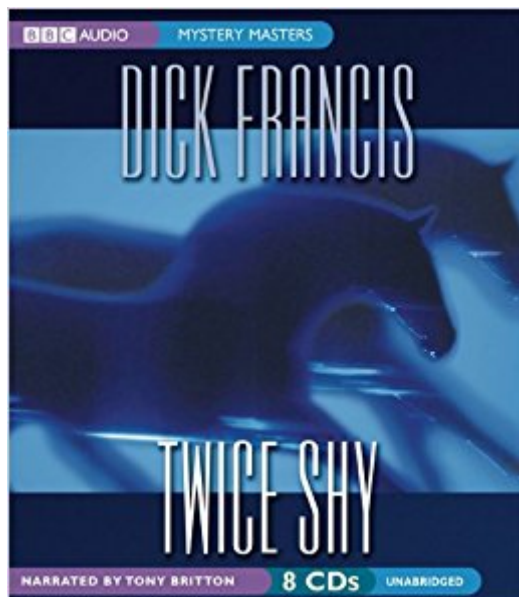


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# Twice Shy



## Synopsis

Physicist Jonathan Derry is given some musical tapes by a friend. But the tapes are really an elaborate computerized horse-betting system that can make the owner a rich man or a dead one if the wrong people know he has possession of these tapes. Unfortunately, they find out. Thriller master Dick Francis weaves together a wicked villain, nonstop action, and an explosive showdown in a superb audiobook that races to the finish line.

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## Customer Reviews

Physics teacher Jonathan Derry inherits trouble when his friend Peter gives him three innocuous-looking musical tapes that contain the computer language version of the betting system of a professional gambler named Liam O'Rourke. Unfortunately, Angelo and Harry Gilbert also know about O'Rourke's system and nothing will stop them from getting it. As usual, Francis will keep listeners enthralled as the menace and destruction associated with this system change the lives of everyone who touches it; from quick-witted physicist Jonathan to his younger, horse-loving brother William, everyone pays a heavy price. Tony Britton's performance is perfect. A guaranteed winner; highly recommended for all public libraries. Theresa Connors, Arkansas Tech Univ., Russellville  
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title.

This is not my favorite Dick Francis book, but it is good. Although I've read it at least twice before over the past two decades, I still was surprised a couple of times. It's very strange to have two consecutive protagonists in a Francis book, especially since they have very different views of the world.

Very interesting. Great characters and a nice twist. I had to keep reading because I was hooked! Dick Francis at his best!

I have read every Francis book at least twice....he (and his son) are/were unbeatable story writers.

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Twice Shy (Dick Francis) - Great story spread over several years between two brothers. Sounds complicated, but it's not. Along with his other books, it's a great read. Good story, good bad guys and good guys who are just your average person. Definitely worth the read.

Dick Francis is predictably a good read and this was no exception. Only caution, why does the brother give the 'bad guy' additional chances at freedom and therefore danger to himself and the community?

Dick Francis was incapable of writing a bad book.

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