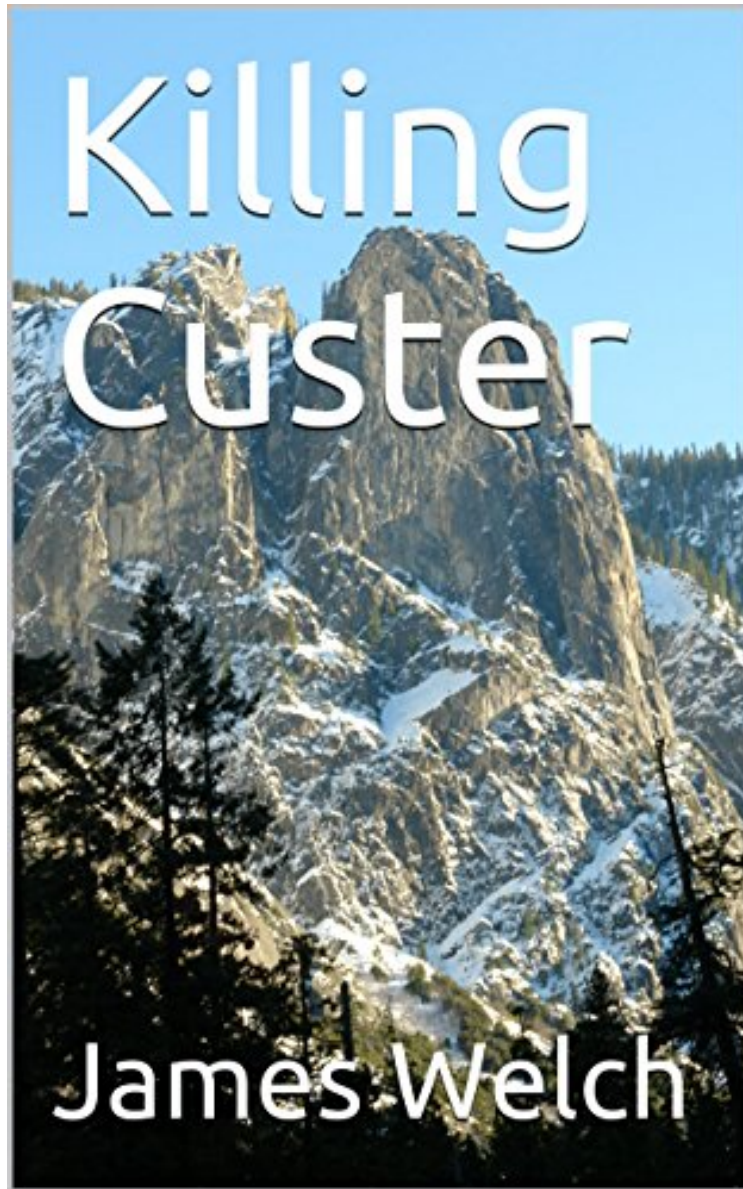


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Von James Welch : Killing Custer (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Killing Custer (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Totally lacking of any worthwhile information on the battle.Von jw tucker (alamo6@pdq.net)Until the author mentions that he is a native american I thought he was just ignorantly biased. He laments the tourism of the Black Hills and Mt.

Rushmore while complaining and totally ignores the Crazy Horse Memorial which will dwarf Rushmore when completed. He concludes that it was just fine for Means to block access to important segments of "Custer Battlefield National Monument" while ignoring the rights of other Americans to visit the battlefield. (My family came all the way from Texas and were unable to see the Reno site because of the illegal blockade which had nothing to do with the Sun Dance.) Who wants to hear the usual park service inaccurate litanies when the real 'mccoys' is outside the door. There should be a rating lower than 1 star for tripe such as this book. Of the more than 97 books I have on the Custer Battlefield and Indian wars, this one is the second worst. The author omits anything that would detract from his agenda and ignores countless resources that would prove his hypothesis wrong at many key points. He doesn't even believe the winter count records apparently. I was most disappointed in this book. The title should be "My views on A Midsummer Night's Dream". I wonder how much of his royalties the author has donated to the Northern Cheyenne or to the various Sioux councils.

0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Another Ghost Dance? Von Glenn Killing Custer starts out lame and limps along like a horse with three shoes! The Author has a good opportunity to present a Native American viewpoint on a great battle (Native American vs the White Anglo) but choose to wander and bounce from personal grudges to mythical happenings to political agendas! As this book progresses, the reader is left with the feeling that the material being presented is inadequate to make a complete book and that the author adds side-bars to flesh out the copy. Little new information is added to the existing knowledge and most of the material presented is tainted with the political subtones of the author. Too bad... as this book could have been a good one for the library!

1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Geschichte spannend. Von Sven Schnell erhalten, sogar schneller als angekündigt. Titel entspricht der Beschreibung. Sehr gut. Buch: Wer wissen will, warum die Amis auch heute noch am laufenden Band andere Völker unter irgendwelchen Vorwänden berfallen, dem sei dieses Buch empfohlen.

Kurzbeschreibung: A classic account of Custer's Last Stand that shattered the myth of the Little Bighorn and rewrote history books. Custer's ill-fated attack on June 25, 1876, has gone down as the American military's most catastrophic defeat. This historic and personal work tells the Native American side, poignant revealing how disastrous the encounter was for the "victors," the last great gathering of Plains Indians under the leadership of Sitting Bull. Telling of the pride and desperation of a people systematically stripped of their treaty rights, hounded from their ancestral hunting grounds, and herded into wretched reservations, Killing Custer reveals how this defining moment in American history was no more a "Last Stand" than a final celebration of waning power and freedom.

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For those who many wonder about the 'Custer Had It Coming' bumper stickers they see in the West, James Welch provides the answer, in a book which reads with the same poetic prose that has made his novels American classics. --Tony Hillerman

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