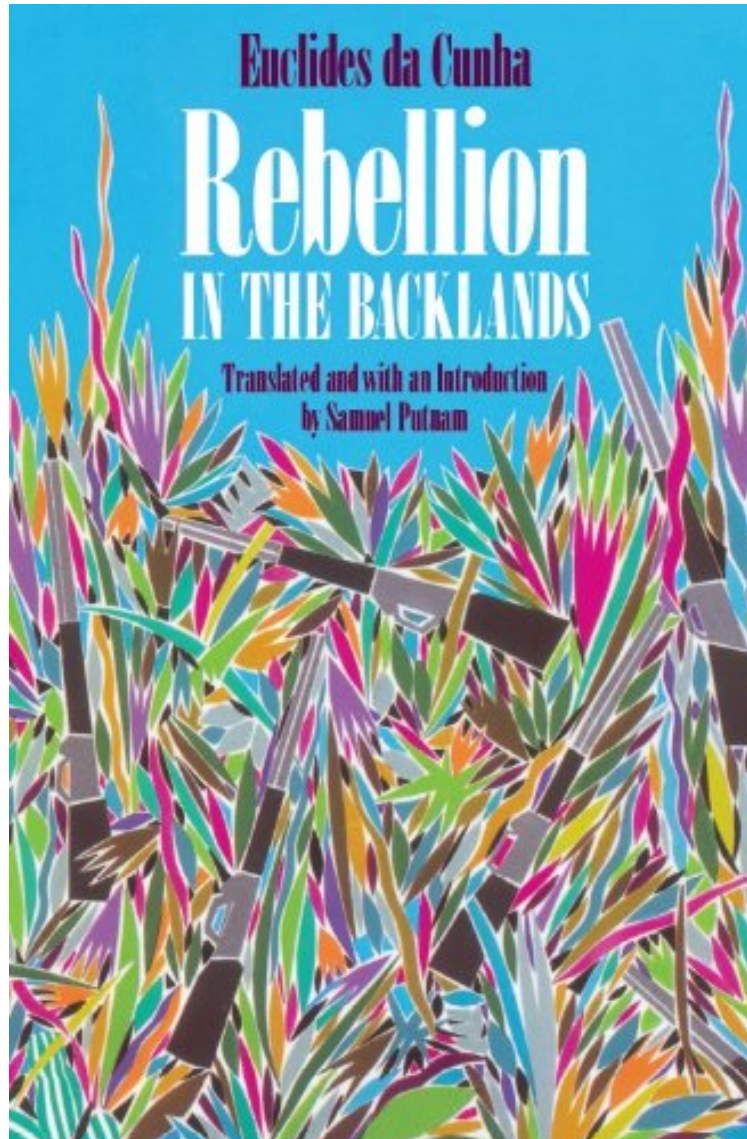


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*Von Euclides da Cunha*

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Kundenrezensionen Hilfreichste Kundenrezensionen 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. The best of Brazilian literature Von Ein Kunde Euclides da Cunha was a journalist who witnessed the aftermath of the Canudos war. The book tells the story of the creation of the Canudos community by Antonio Conselheiro, a mystic figure whose family was killed by landowners in one of the poorest quarters of Brazil, and its destruction by the Brazilian

army. Da Cunha's prose is addictive. Once you start reading you won't be able to put the book down. I advise you, however, to skip the first part, a boring description of the region's geography. I know more than one person that dropped this wonderful book because of this introduction. For those of you interested in Brazilian literature I would also suggest reading Machado de Assis (*Memórias Postumas de Bras Cubas* is a fine example of his work), Erico Verissimo (*Incidente em Antares*, *Ana Terra*, *o Tempo e o Vento*) and Clarice Lispector. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. The Work of a Genius Von Ein Kunde Literally, this is the work of a genius. the author was the very definition of genius, a journalist, anthropologist, geologist, engineer, etc. But most important, he was an eyewitness of Canudos, the village in the backlands of Brazil that resisted four army expeditions until the very last survivor, commanded by their religious leader, Antnio Conselheiro. A sociological treatise crucial to understand Brazil beyond samba, soccer and Carnaval. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A MASTER PIECE Von Ein Kunde MAYBE "OS SERTÕES", THE TITLE IN PORTUGUESE ,IS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT BOOKS EVER WRITTEN BY A BRAZILIAN AUTHOR. THE AMAZINGLY POWERFUL HISTORY OF " THE WAR AT THE WORLD'S END" MUST BE READ . AFTER 100 YEARS , CUNHA HAS BEEN RECOGNIZED IN SEVERAL EUROPEAN CENTERS AS A GENIUS AND HIS UNIQUE BOOK CONSIDERED A MASTER PIECE, AFTER DECADES OF PREJUDICE AND INJUSTICE EVEN IN HIS OWN COUNTRY.

Kurzbeschreibung Euclides da Cunha's classic account of the brutal campaigns against religious mystic Antonio Conselheiro has been called the Bible of Brazilian nationality. "Euclides da Cunha went on the campaigns [against Conselheiro] as a journalist and what he returned with and published in 1902 is still unsurpassed in Latin American literature. Cunha is a talent as grand, spacious, entangled with knowledge, curiosity, and bafflement as the country itself. . . . On every page there is a heart of idea, speculation, dramatic observation that tells of a creative mission undertaken, the identity of the nation, and also the creation of a pure and eloquent prose style." Elizabeth Hardwick, *Bartleby in Manhattan*