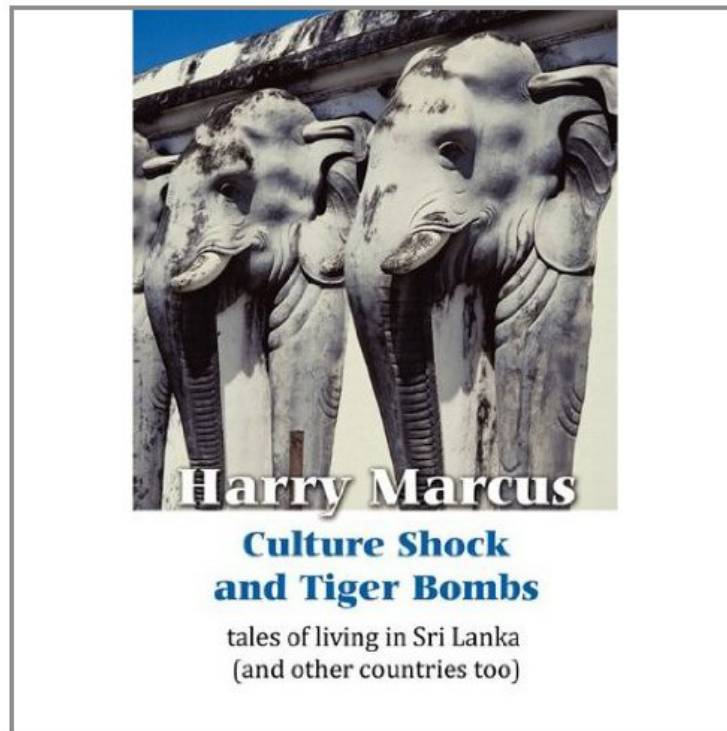


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Der Titel weckt falsche ErwartungenVon Charles GeigerIch dachte, es sei ein Buch aus der Serie "culture shock". Mitnichten. Es ist die Erzhlung eines ehemaligen Angestellten des Foreign Office, der aufgrund der Arbeit seiner Frau temporr in Colombo als Hausmann wohnte und uns sein Leben als Expat whrend der Zeit der Brgerkriegs in Sri Lanka erzht. Informativ betreffend die damalige Zeit, aber der Brgerkrieg ist nun zu Ende und Sri Lanka versucht einen Neustart (zumindest seit den Wahlen vom 8. Januar 2015). Dem Buch fehlt heute die Aktualitt, aber als Zeugnis einer (hoffentlich) vergangenen Epoche (die Zeit luft ja so rasend schnell) interessant.

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