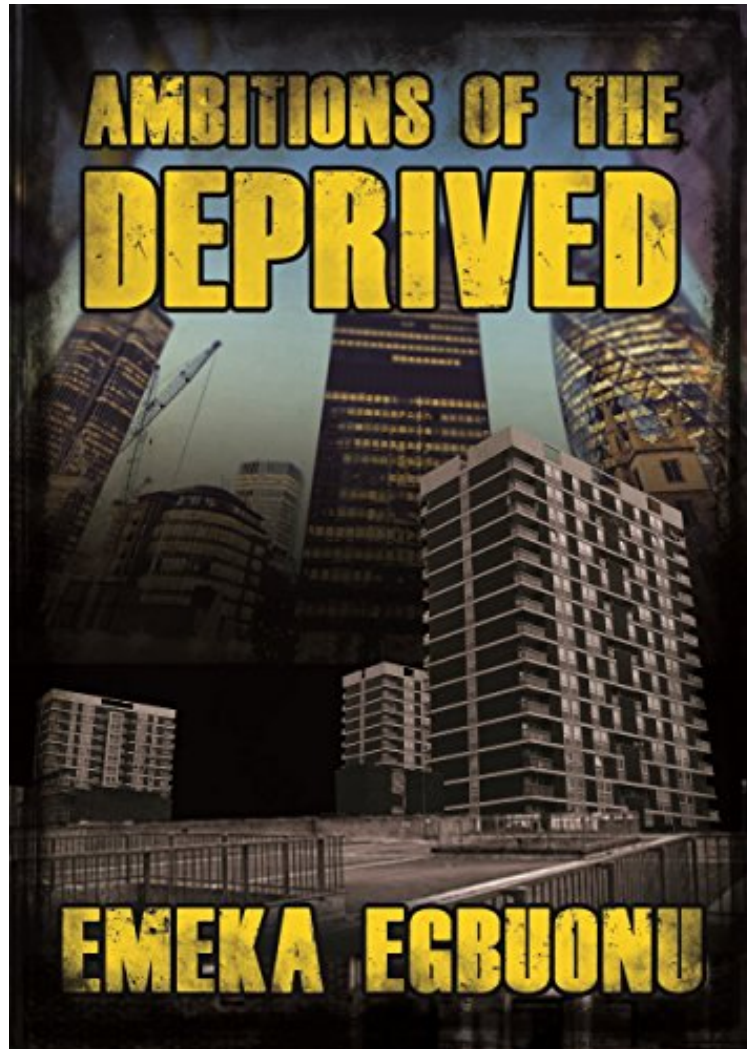


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Kundenrezensionen Hilfreichste Kundenrezensionen 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Convincing portrait of real life on the street Von Helpful Advice I heard about Emeka Egbuonu from a media this young man from London works as writer, movie director, radio host and most importantly, as a youth worker. His mission is to help young people keeping them off the street, teaching them in workshops how to make and edit their movies encouraging those young women and men to think about a future career and their own businesses. He started working with young people back when he was teenager himself, as football coach - the period that helped him to learn how to build relationships and use the trust in order to support others. Since then he actively volunteered in the

community helping young people not educated or employed and in 2009 he founded the Consequences program that since then has been delivered to young people all over London. Emeka is the director of two feature documentaries London to LA, about the gangs in London and LA and a stop and search documentary about the relationship between the police and young people in London. The logical continuation of his work was writing of novel - Ambitions of the Deprived speaks about the four friends in teenage years, following them through troubled period of growing up, through the struggles and conflicts while searching for their identity and space in world. I was given a copy of this book by the author for the purpose of unbiased review, while all the presented information is based on my impressions.

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ber den Autor und weitere Mitwirkende Emeka Egbuonu has always been interested in writing. He started by writing spoken word poetry while he was in secondary school. Egbuonu's first book Consequences was well received by Social science scholars and casual readers alike. Since then Emeka has written articles for the Huffington post, directed two documentaries; London to LA a gang intervention documentary in Los Angeles and Stop and Search, through the eyes of the child, a documentary analysing the relationship between young people and the police. He has also sat on a panel for the Future Spaces Foundation Report a report on future of the high street. Egbuonu, a former football coach and youth worker of 10 years is now a Lecturer at Barking and Dagenham College.