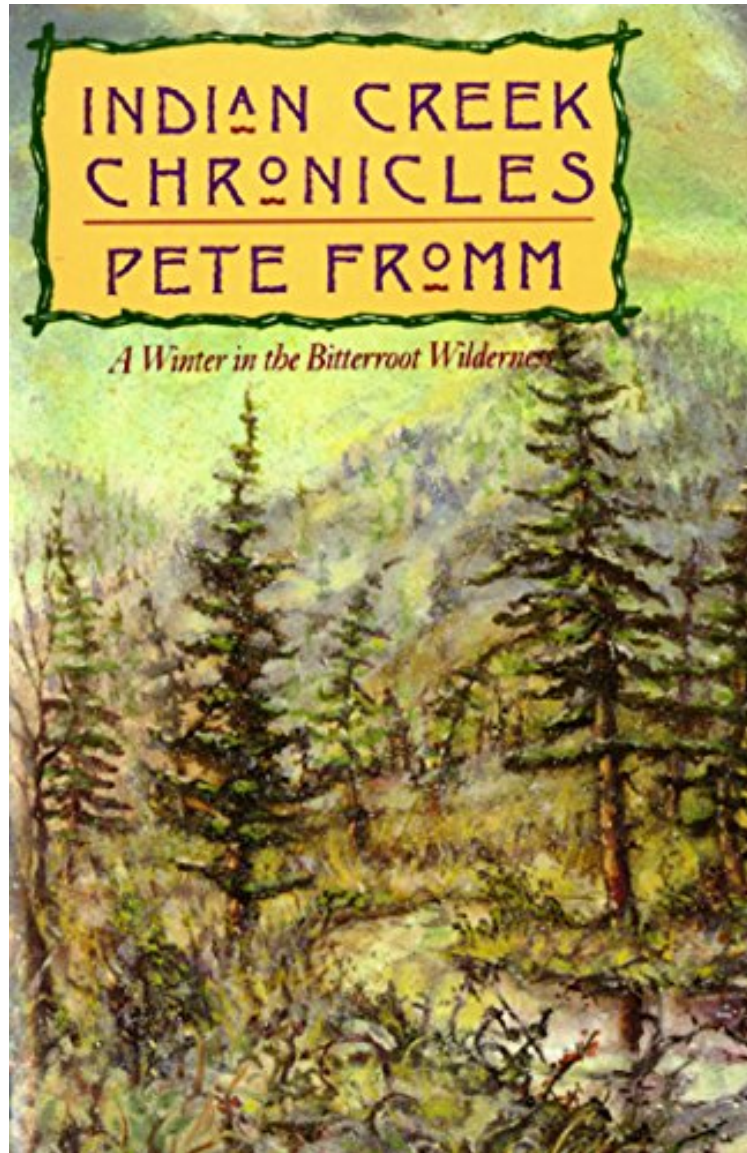


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. lacking in soul and high in the "celebration" of huntingVon Ein KundeThis book started out with some humor and potential, but ended up becoming an increasing celebration of drunken hunters and killing animals. The graphic description of

steel-jaw trapping a raccoon and STOMPING it to death leaves me sickened to this day. The deeply insensitive and callous nature of his "good-old-boys" hunting buddies left me disgusted. As someone who works in wildlife rehabilitation and veterinary related fields, I find it ironic that I have probably HAD to kill more animals than most hunters could hope to kill in a lifetime. The only difference is that I never enjoyed it. I work very hard to repair the damage that people like this author do to wildlife and the whole wilderness setting. I neither like nor admire this man and his ilk. This book may appeal to the immature, callous men who are still trying to prove their "manhood" with a gun, but for those looking about a book that appreciates and understands nature, this one isn't it. 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Wilderness adventure in a first-person perspective Von Ein Kunde I found this book a nice easy read in general. My main reason for picking it up is because this true story takes place within minutes of my residence. It was interesting to read about another person's adventures in the same wilderness that I hike, hunt, camp, and explore in on a regular basis. It is honest in that the author is not constantly glorifying himself or trying to prove that he was an expert mountain man. He also shows the reader the harsh, unforgiving environment that this area can become during the long winter months, and the dangers of not being prepared. Since it is a true story told in first-person perspective, it is more of a journal or autobiography than escape literature. 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Makes me want to head for the mountains! Von Ein Kunde What an incredible story! Much of the emotion I felt was created by the descriptive nature of the author's experiences. It was a difficult book to set down once I got into it...wanting to learn more about this "greenhorn" and how he was going to make it through 7 months of living in solitude. A MUST READ!

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