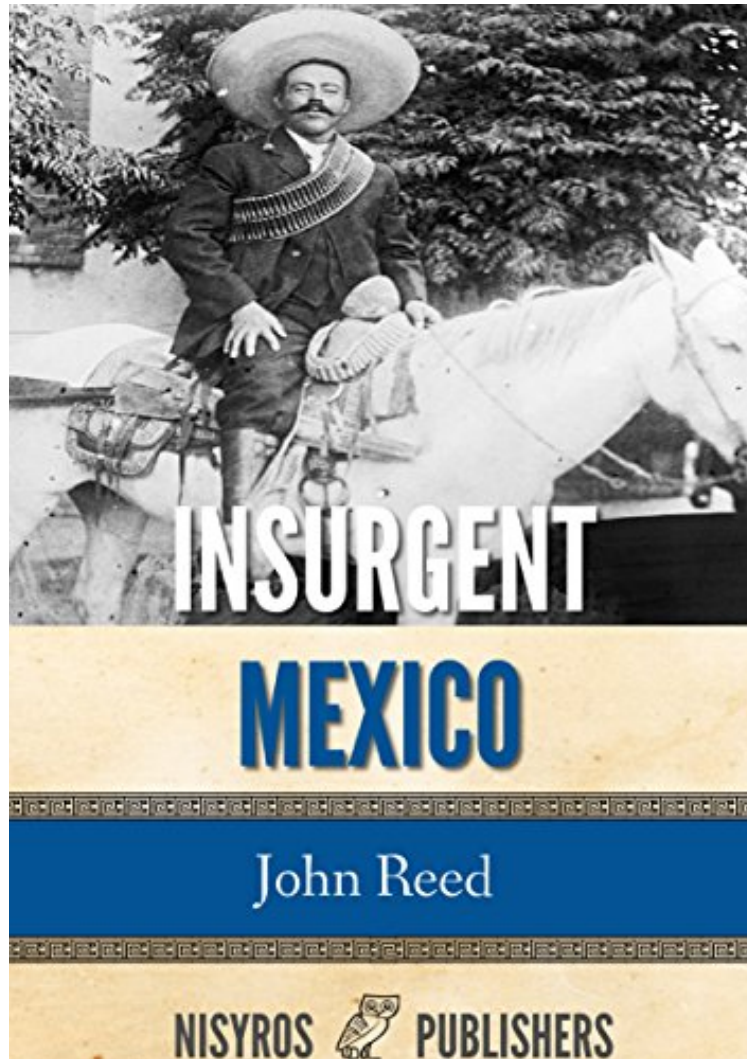


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Von John Reed

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Von John Reed : Insurgent Mexico (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Insurgent Mexico (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Revolucin or muerteVon BorgesThis short book is one of the wonders of journalism of all times. John Reed takes us into a journey of Revolutionary Mexico and we end up enjoying every minute of it. The description of the "hombres" is touching and Pancho Villa is great. Very recommended! But when you buy it, be sure you will have time to read it, because you won't be able to put it down.0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Classic Work on its EraVon El CutacheroThis book has been notorious since its publication in 1914. The author was a reporter for the

American radical press, but rather than go to Mexico in relative comfort with the press train which accompanied the Constitutionalist General Francisco "Pancho" Villa's Division del Norte on its successful campaign southward against the Federalista forces of the usurper General Victoriano Huerta, who had murdered president Madero and his vice president, and taken over power in Mexico City, Reed, instead, in keeping with his common man leaning, lived among the "grunts", the Mexican campesinos who made up the bulk of Villa's forces. There are incisive pen portraits of the Constitutionalist leaders, descriptions of the wretched living conditions of the people, and observations on the siege of Torron, N.L. and Gomez Palacio, neighboring key strategic cities on the railroad south from Juarez to Mexico City. This is not history or reporting but a collection of impressionistic and justifiably biased essays. Still very valuable for the feel of the times and has been translated into many languages. The author later went to Russia and wrote "Ten Days That Shook the World." (c.f.)
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Von E. Eggen
This book was written over 80 years ago, so as military journalism it is quite dated. However, the author's portraits of people and places are so vivid that the characters and events seem to come alive. The author displays a novelist's talent for description. It is a very sympathetic portrait of Pancho Villa. I don't know how historically accurate it is, but it is certainly interesting reading.

Kurzbeschreibung
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Synopsis
An eyewitness account of the Mexican Revolution follows the campaigns of Pancho Villa.