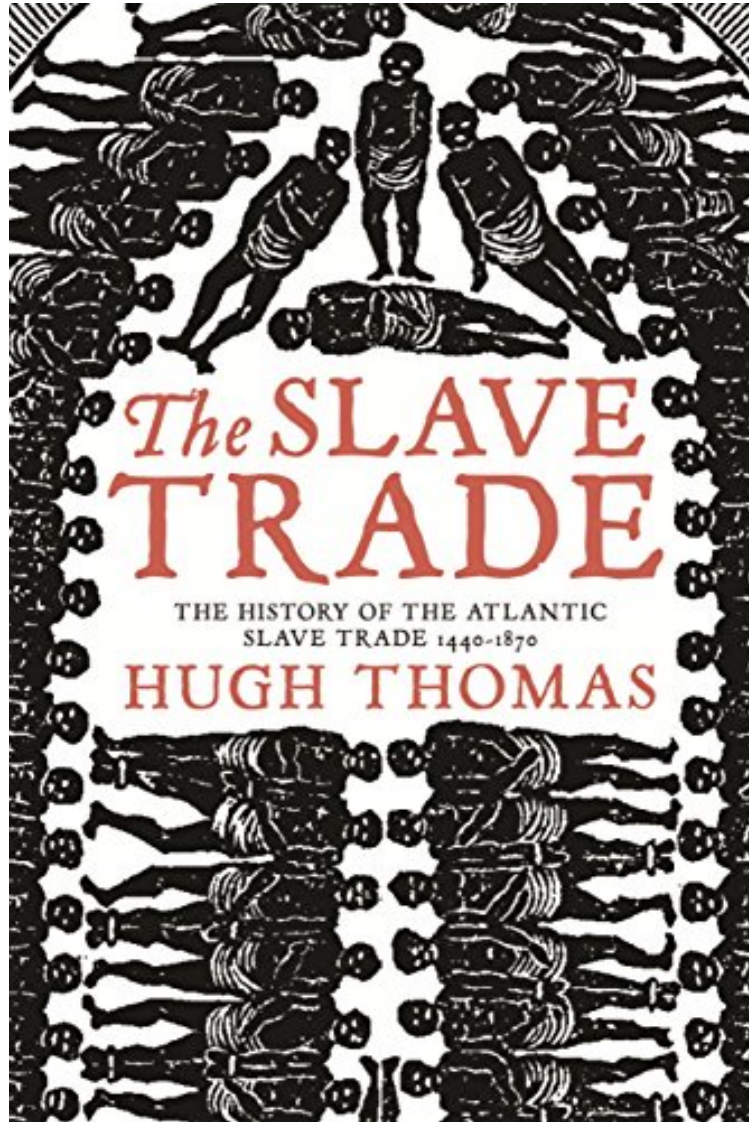


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Excellent research sorely in need of editingVon Ein KundeThis lengthy book is almost unreadable. Topics are treated

in seemingly random order, sentences are tortured, and where meaningful chapter titles could have helped the reader navigate the 900+ pages, Thomas chose odd quotes as chapter titles which actually detracted from the reading experience. I made it through the book only because the information was so riveting. If only greater care has gone into editing it!

1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. The Slave trade by Hugo Thomas -A perspective Von Olumide Ogunremi As a Nigerian currently in the U.S i am indeed deeply interested in slave trade,slavery and colonialism and it's effect on African people,s in Africa and the diaspora.Although it is a bulky book it is well researched and detailed giving an excellent perspective from a european historian's point of view.It starts from the first tentative contact between Africans and Europeans in the 15 th century to the gradual and then escalating involvement of various european countries and of course their few African collaborators in this heinous and repugnant crime to humanity,it also gives exacting detail about the gradual halt of the slave trade that is the trans atlantic because even today pockets of this still exist in Africa.In Conclusion there are no complete saints in this compelling narrative bur various degrees of villainy from severe to lesser forms.The victims were of course the slaves sold by a few of their fellow Africans the mordern Equivalent of which are the rulers of recent memory such as Idi Amin Dada,Bokassa ,Abacha.However there is hope with Obasanjo,Mandela ,Mbeki,Museveni.The heroes if i may say of this rupugnant,Humiliating practise include the Quakers,Oluadah Equiano,Frederick Douglas,La Rouché Foucauld,Pitt,William Wilberforce,Clarkson,Harriet Tubman,Lord Palmerston,Sojourner Truth,montesquieu to name a few.This is a welcome addition to my library.

1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Nine Months Von I. Ranovos Arghhhh! This book took me nine months to get through! Still, this super-detailed, eye-opening account of the slave trade should be required reading for every high school senior in the world. I was suprised not only by the culpability of the Africans themselves but by that of Hume, Swift, Voltaire...the greatest champions of liberty our civilization has known! I can't believe I didn't know this stuff!I hope there will be a second edition that takes us up to the slavery currently going on in Mauritania and the Sudan.

Kurzbeschreibung The Atlantic slave trade was one of the largest and most elaborate maritime and commercial ventures. Between 1492 and about 1870, ten million or more black slaves were carried from Africa to one port or another of the Americas. In this wide-ranging book, Hugh Thomas follows the development of this massive shift of human lives across the centuries until the slave trade's abolition in the late nineteenth century..de The Slave Trade is a massive (900-page) book that attempts to document the entire history of the Atlantic slave trade, a sordid business that somehow prospered for more than four centuries. As the sheer heft of the book might indicate, the story is complicated. Much of the extensive research conducted by Hugh Thomas relates to rivalries both in Europe and Africa. Those who wonder how slavery could have existed in the United States may find revelatory the moral ambiguity of how the business of transporting slaves was conducted. Pressestimmen A 'darkly compelling history of the trade'. (MAIL ON SUNDAY) The most impressive single volume history of the subject. Combining grand narrative sweep with vivid, telling detail, Thomas provides an elegant synthesis of contemporary accounts and modern scholarship (LONDON REVIEW OF BOOKS)