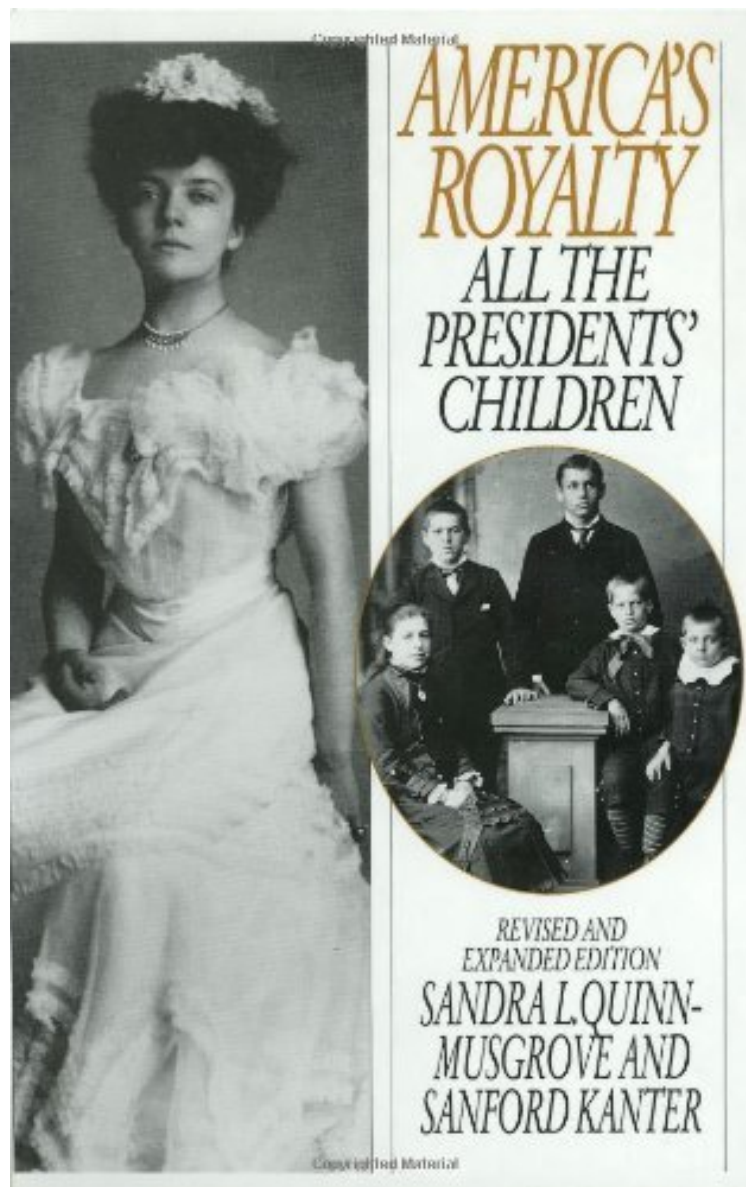


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. ber die Kinder amerikanischer PrsidentenVon H. BeckerThematisch befasst sich diese Buch mit Menschen, die in ihrer berwiegenden Zahl sonst eigentlich nur in den Funoten der Geschichtsbcher erscheinen. Hier aber stehen sie im Mittelpunkt des Interesses und es lohnt sich, einen genaueren Blick auf ihre Persnlichkeit und ihren Lebenswandel zu werfen.Sehr bersichtlich und akribisch werden alle Kinder amerikanischer Prsidenten von George Washington bis Bill Clinton aufgefhrt und ihr Leben kurz umrissen. Es wurden weitestgehend sowohl Geburtsdatum und -ort als auch Sterbedatum und -ursache ermittelt, ebenso die Namen der Ehepartner sowie die Anzahl der Ehen und Kinder. Meist sehr ausfhrlich werden schulische Ausbildung und beruflicher Werdegang geschildert. Zweifellos liegt dem hier zusammengefhrteten Datenmaterial eine aufwndige Recherchearbeit zugrunde, hufig jedoch kommen dabei Charakter und Privatleben dieser Abkmmlinge von Amerikas "First Families" meines Erachtens zu kurz. In einigen Fllen mag dies sicher daran liegen, dass entsprechende Informationen nicht berliefert oder zugnglich sind, oftmals htte man jedoch aufgrund der zur Verfngung stehenden historischen Quellen ein wesentlich lebendigeres und einprgsameres Bild dieser mehr oder weniger im Licht der ffentlichkeit stehenden Shne und Tchter der Herrscher im Weien Haus gestalten knnen.Beigefgt sind dem Buch 15 Fotografien in miger bis schlechter Qualitt. Angesichts seines hohen Preises htte man meiner Meinung nach mehr und qualitativ bessere Abbildungen darin erwarten drfen.Insgesamt jedoch handelt es sich um einen in dieser umfassenden und detaillierten Form bisher wohl noch nicht existierenden berblick ber einen eher weniger bekannten Personenkreis, der uns die verschiedenen amerikanischen Prsidenten, ihre Lebenswelt und ihre Zeit aus einer ungewohnten Perspektive sehen lsst.

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