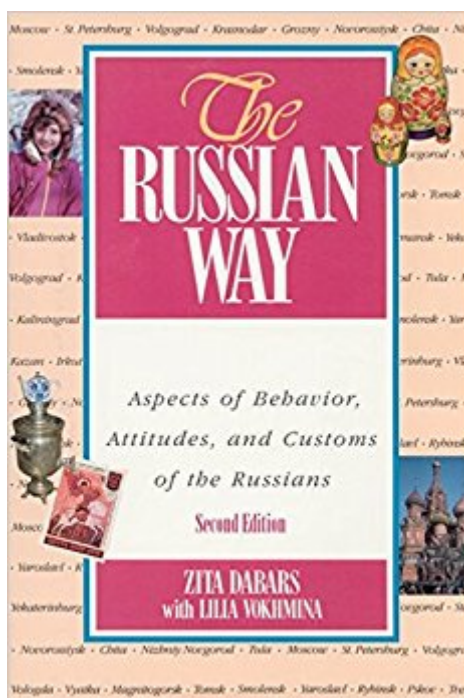


The book was found

The Russian Way, Second Edition: Aspects Of Behavior, Attitudes, And Customs Of The Russians



Synopsis

Fully updated to reflect the rapidly changing cultural climate in today's Russia, *The Russian Way* is indispensable for understanding the Russian way of life and for communicating with the Russian people. It is not only fascinating but also invaluable to businesspeople, travelers, and students. Organized alphabetically, the book answers questions such as: How do Russians celebrate holidays? How do Russians think, do business, and act in their daily lives? What do Russians enjoy eating?

Book Information

Series: NTC Foreign Language

Paperback: 144 pages

Publisher: McGraw-Hill Education; 2 edition (January 4, 2002)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0658017969

ISBN-13: 978-0658017964

Product Dimensions: 6 x 0.4 x 8.9 inches

Shipping Weight: 9.6 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.1 out of 5 stars 17 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #350,441 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #63 in [Books > Travel > Asia > Russia > General](#) #554 in [Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Social Sciences > Customs & Traditions](#) #935 in [Books > Reference > Foreign Language Study & Reference > Instruction](#)

Customer Reviews

Here's an up to the minute, insider's look at how Russians live and work and how they feel about everything from family to religion to entertainment. Explore *The Russian Way* of doing things, and you'll uncover a fascinating world imbued with kindness, generosity, superstition, and surprises. Russian character comes to life as you follow favorite pastimes such as communal baths, the circus, mushroom gathering, and watching television--especially soap operas. View life from the perspective of average Russians ("poor man's caviar" and flea markets) and "new" (rich) Russians (international dining and upscale shops). Historic background, evolving changes, and Russian words and phrases are woven into every chapter. Find out how Russians feel about advertising (suspicious), clothing (conservative), "gifts" and bribes (necessary), dating (not until college), and appropriate behavior (bring flowers to dinner, always check your coat at the theater, and don't compliment a new baby to avoid the "evil eye"). *The Russian Way* is brimming with practical and

lively facts on: Home life, meals, and housing Healthcare, education, politics, religion, and professions Hotels, dining, shopping, and entertainment Language, gestures, literature, and the Russian soul The creative community, including controversial artist Tsereteli This handy guide will help you understand and appreciate Russian way from Arkhangelsk to Vladivostok.

Zita Dabars, Ph.D., is an experienced academic, teacher, and author. She is president of The American Council of Teachers of Russian and has visited Russia more on more than thirty occasions. Lilia Vokhmina has authored over sixty books and has taught for many years at the Pushkin Institute of Russian Language, Moscow.

Bought this book in an effort to understand my wonderful Russian husband's heritage and culture a little better. Mysteries such as, "My goodness! This Russian drinks more tea than an Englishman!" and "Why the obsession with mushrooms?" have been solved. Knowing a bit more about my husband's culture than what he has let slip has enabled me to redesign our daily schedules to include and celebrate such traditions as afternoon and evening tea and setting aside part of our backyard to simulate a dacha. I think he's a happier, more settled man for it and I am a happier wife for understanding my husband better.

There were a lot of facts within the book that were informative regarding culture and history. However, the book is 12 years old and much has changed in Russia since then. Great for historical and cultural insights. For current conditions and perspectives in Russia I do not recommend this book.

No student of Russian should be without this extremely entertaining and thoroughly accurate assessment of the many cultural peculiarities of Russian life that remain puzzling if one simply knows the language.

Now I can understand why my friends enjoy walking through the woods so much, among other things.

good reading

I'm writing a novel inspired by a true story a lot of which takes place in Russia. Found this book

invaluable for research.

Very intriguing and useful information about Russian culture. Easy to read and prepare for a trip abroad. Know all the Russian little quirks.

A very boring book. It goes into the very basics of Russian culture. It only had a couple pages about dating a Russian. I have been there twice in the last year, and didn't find the book useful at all. Find another book to read about Russian Culture and social dynamics.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

The Russian Way, Second Edition: Aspects of Behavior, Attitudes, and Customs of the Russians
Russian picture books: Learn Russian (Counting book 1-20): Children's English-Russian Picture book (Bilingual Edition) Russian Learning. Russian books for children (Russian Edition), Russian Bilingual I Love My Dad (Russian kids books, English Russian book): Russian childrens books, bilingual russian books, russian books for kids (English Russian Bilingual Collection) (Russian Edition) learn animals in russian, Russian Children's Picture Book (English Russian Bilingual Books): russian for children ; Russian Children Books ; Russian Books for toddlers ; russian kids books Children's Russian book: Counting Fun: Russian kids book. Russian books for kids. Children's Picture Book English-Russian (Bilingual Edition), Russian ... Picture books) (Volume 2) (Russian Edition) The German Way : Aspects of Behavior, Attitudes, and Customs in the German-Speaking World I Love to Eat Fruits and Vegetables (english russian children's books, bilingual russian books): russian bilingual books, russian kids books, russian ... Bilingual Collection) (Russian Edition) I Love My Mom (English Russian Bilingual books, russian childrens books): russian kids books, english russian children's books (English Russian Bilingual Collection) (Russian Edition) I Love to Share (russian kids books, bilingual russian english): russian childrens books, kids books in russian (Russian English Bilingual Collection) (Russian Edition) I Love my Mom (Bilingual Russian English, Russian childrens books): russian kids books, bilingual russian books, ESL for kids (Russian English Bilingual Collection) (Russian Edition) I Love My Dad (russian kids books, russian bilingual): Childrens Russian books, russian for kids, detskie knigi (Russian English Bilingual Collection) (Russian Edition) Children's books in Russian: Peekaboo baby. Ã•Ã¡Ã'Æ'-Ã•ÃºÃ'Æ', Ã•Ã Ã•Ã Ã•Ã»Ãâ Ã'Ë†: Russian kids book, Children's Picture Book English-Russian (Bilingual Edition), Russian English ... (Bilingual English-Russian Picture books 1) Babushka: Russian Recipes from a Real Russian Grandma: Real Russian Food & Ukrainian Food (Russian food, Russian recipes, Ukrainian food, Polish recipes) Russian childrens books: I Love to

Keep My Room Clean (Bilingual): English Russian Bilingual Book Children's Book (English Russian Bilingual Collection) (Russian Edition) Childrens Russian books : Jojo's Playful Day - Cute Russian book for children (Kids ages 3-6) bedtime reading (bilingual Russian): Elephant book for children ... - Bilingual Russian books for kids 1) Learn Russian language with Matreshka #2: an audio magazine for Russian learners in Russian language about Russian culture Learn Russian: 300+ Essential Words In Russian - Learn Words Spoken In Everyday Russia (Speak Russian, Russia, Fluent, Russian Language): Forget pointless phrases, Improve your vocabulary Low Volume 4: Outer Aspects of Inner Attitudes Practical Aspects of Interview and Interrogation, Second Edition (Practical Aspects of Criminal and Forensic Investigations) Russian Slanguage: A Fun Visual Guide to Russian Terms and Phrases (English and Russian Edition)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)