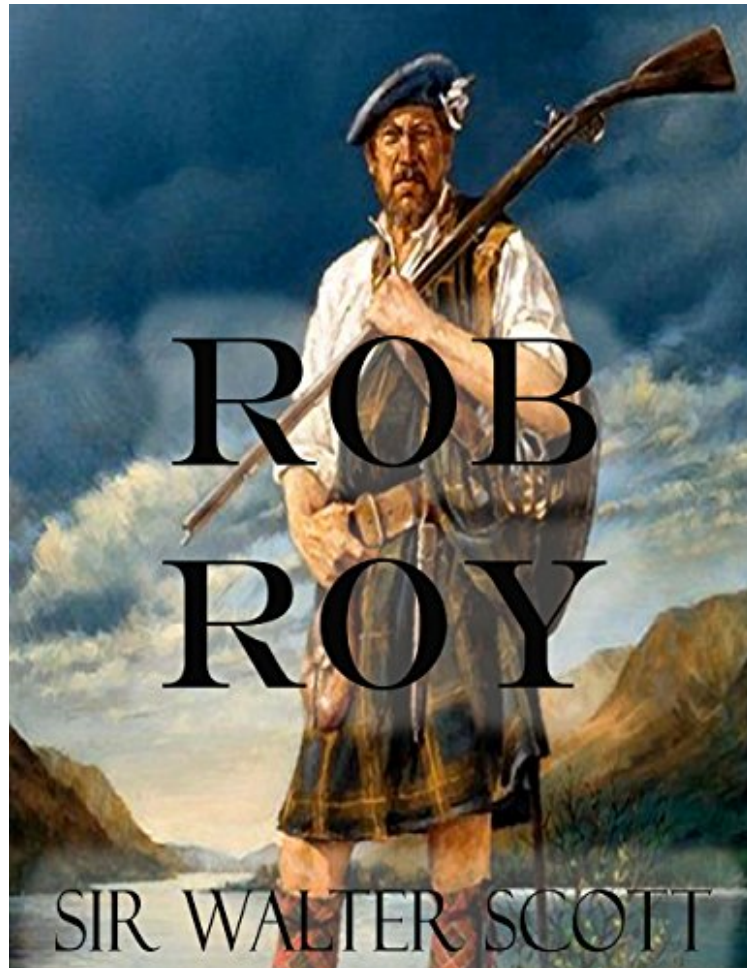


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 4 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Der Robin Hood EnglandsVon faustino888Rob Roy ist das fuer Schottland, was Robin Hood bedingt fuer England war. Walter Scott, der bereits Verfasser von Ivanhoe war, setzt hier dem schottischen Nationalheld ein literarisches Denkmal. Anfang des 18. Jahrhunderts geraet der bis dahin unbescholtene und dennoch leicht reizbare Rob Roy in Konflikt mit den gesandten Soldaten der englischen Krone, die in den Highlands Schottlands durch ihre Praesenz fuer Ruhe und (englische) Ordnung sorgen wollen, Als die Situation eskaliert, Rob Roys Fraudurch englische Soldaten geschaendet wird, wird Rob Roy zum Rebellen, der fortan nur ein Ziel kennt: Rache und Vertreibung der Englaender aus Schottland, wo sie nichts zu suchen haben. Charismatisch, wie ihn Scott darstellt, gelingt es Rob Roy, seine Landsleute hinter sich zu bringen und der gerechten Sache den Sieg zu bescheren. Historienroman, der dem realen

historischen Hintergrund durchaus gerecht wird.

Kurzbeschreibung Rob Roy is a historical novel written by Sir Walter Scott. The action is narrated by an Englishman who travels to the Scottish Highlands. This popular book was adapted into a movie in 1995 that starred Liam Neeson. When Frank Obaldistone is sent, disinherited and in disgrace, to live with his uncle, Sir Hildebrand, he meets and falls in love with the beautiful Diana Vernon. But, when his cousin Rashleigh steals documents that are vital to his fathers livelihood and reputation, Frank has no choice but to pursue him to restore his fathers honour and his familys good name. Along the way, Frank crosses paths with the legendary Rob Royan infamous Scottish folk hero who has information of benefit to Frank and his family. The year 1723 saw the publication of a fictionalised account of his life, The Highland Rogue. Rob Roy became a legend in his own lifetime, and George I was moved to issue a pardon for his crimes just as he was about to be transported to the colonies. The publication of Rob Roy, by Sir Walter Scott in 1817, further added to his fame and fleshed out his biography. Hector Berlioz was inspired by the book to compose an overture. William Wordsworth wrote a poem called "Rob Roy's Grave" during a visit to Scotland. Adaptations of his story have also been told in film including the 1922 silent film Rob Roy, a 1953 film from Walt Disney Productions Rob Roy, the Highland Rogue and the 1995 Rob Roy directed by Michael Caton-Jones and starring Liam Neeson. Set against the backdrop of the 1715 Jacobite Rising in Scotland, Sir Walter Scotts Rob Roy is both an epic tale of adventure and romance, and a realistic reflection of the brutal living and social conditions present in Scotland during the early eighteenth century.

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