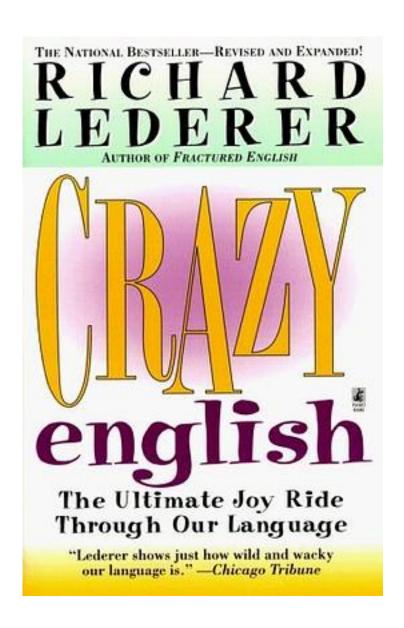
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我们常常会对英语中特定的说法感到奇怪。语言中的无常,通常会让我们对常规产生怀疑。老外说英语的人为什么这么说,不那么说,是为什么呀?没有为什么,约定俗成,大家就这么说的,你模仿了,记住了,就完了。不是你完了,是你和规则的摔角中,规则完了。语言学家Richard Le...

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