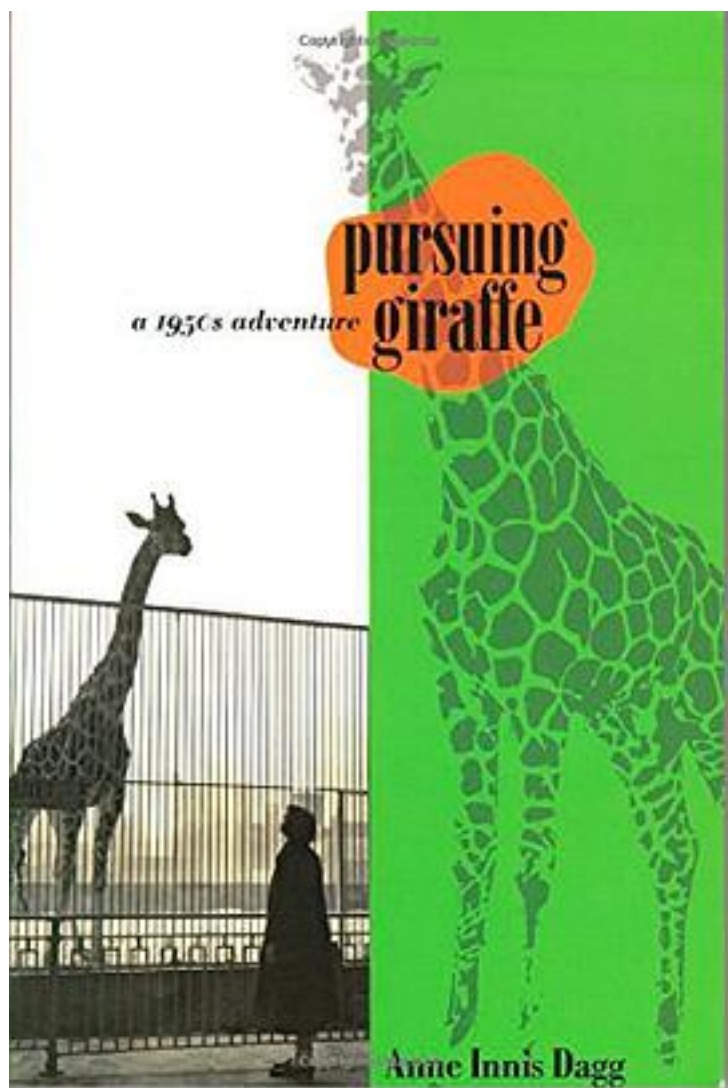


Pursuing Giraffe



[Pursuing Giraffe_ 下载链接1](#)

著者:Anne Innis Dagg

出版者:Wilfrid Laurier University Press

出版时间:2006-1-25

装帧:Paperback

isbn:9780889204638

In the 1950s, Anne Innis Dagg was a young zoologist with a lifelong love of giraffe and a dream to study them in Africa. Based on extensive journals and letters home, *Pursuing Giraffe* vividly chronicles the realisation of that dream and the year that she spent studying and documenting giraffe behaviour. One of the first zoologists to study wild animals in Africa (before Jane Goodall and Dian Fossey), her memoir captures her youthful enthusiasm for her journey, as well as her naivete about the complex social and political issues in Africa. Once in the field, she recorded the complexities of giraffe social relationships but also learned about human relationships in the context of apartheid in South Africa and colonialism in Tanganyika (Tanzania) and Kenya. Hospitality and friendship were readily extended to her as a white woman, but she was shocked by the racism of the colonial whites in Africa. Reflecting the twenty-three-year-old author's response to an 'exotic' world far removed from the Toronto where she grew up, the book records her visits to Zanzibar, Victoria Falls, and her climb of Mount Kilimanjaro. *Pursuing Giraffe* is a fascinating account that has much to say about the status of women in the mid-twentieth century.

作者介绍:

Anne Innis Dagg graduated with a biology degree from the University of Toronto and earned her PhD in animal behaviour from the University of Waterloo – before many women made careers in science. She has published numerous books and articles on animal behaviour and on feminist issues.

目录:

[Pursuing Giraffe_ 下载链接1](#)

标签

评论

[Pursuing Giraffe_ 下载链接1](#)

书评

[Pursuing Giraffe_下载链接1_](#)