

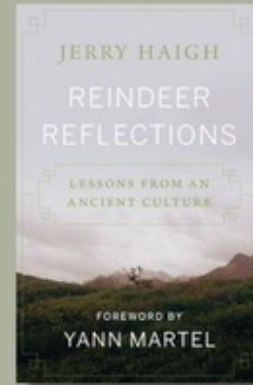
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Reindeer Reflections...is an invitation to accompany the author on a series of revelatory cultural **expeditions** as he uncovers and investigates the impacts of natural **evolution**, disease, predation, and our modern world on caribou/reindeer populations and domestic reindeer **herding** cultures. From suffering the effects of a bad meal of tsuivan, to making an unlikely **connection** between marmots and cowpox, and sleeping in yurts, this is a **passionate**, educational, colourfully recounted tale that no one but Dr. Haigh could tell.

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TONY BIDULKA,

award-winning author of mystery, suspense, and thriller novels, including *Amuse Bouche*; *Aloha*, *Candy Hearts*; *Set Free* and many others, including the forthcoming *Going to Beautiful*



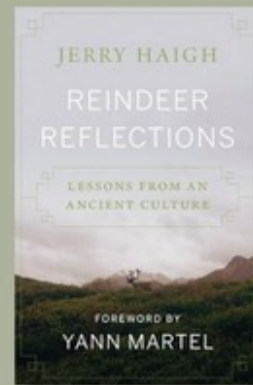
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I thoroughly enjoyed reading about Dr. Jerry Haigh's **adventures** in remote places studying and caring for reindeer (**caribou**), and learning about the cultures of the various 'people of the reindeer', all told in his **engaging** and congenial voice. His endless curiosity and gusto for life are **infectious** and carry the reader along. From myth, to **folklore**, to veterinary medicine, who knew reindeer/caribou lore could be so fascinating?

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SHARON BUTALA,

Officer of the Order of Canada, inductee into the Saskatchewan Order of Merit, multiple award winner, honorary doctorate of letters, author of many novels and works of non-fiction.



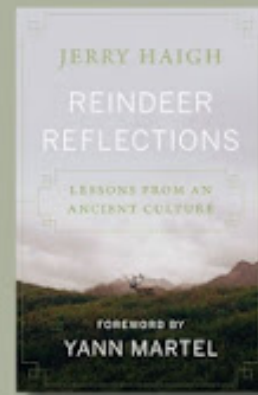
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Jerry Haigh is one of those rare authors – a scientist who is an enthralling **storyteller**. Like all his books, *Reindeer Reflections* is packed with fascinating information about the **animal** world and shrewd, **humorous** insights into the people who live off it and those, like him, who study it. An **absorbing** look at nature and culture.

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ROBERT CALDER,

professor of 20th-century British literature; author of, among many others, *Willie: The Life of W. Somerset Maugham* (Governor General's Award for English-language Non-fiction)



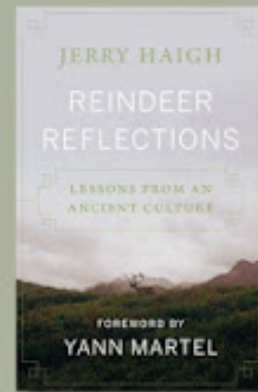
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Reading Jerry Haigh's **tales** is second only to listening to this ultimate **storyteller** spin one in person. For those not having had the pleasure of the latter, take the opportunity of *Reindeer Reflections* to be **warmed** and informed.

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DR. WILLIAM B. KARESH,

executive vice-president, EcoHealth Alliance



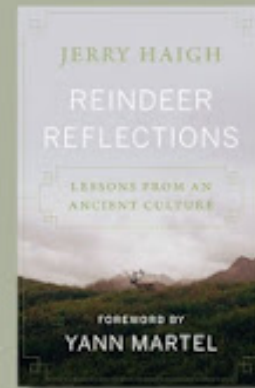
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...a vivid voyage to **fascinating** places with a warm-hearted, jovial companion. It is also greatly educative, summing up different reindeer **cultures** and their current challenges, the similarities and differences of the **animals**, developments, and threads between reindeer habitats all over the world. Not only **reindeer** species but also the **ancient** cultures and livelihoods intertwined with these beautiful animals are struggling to **survive** all over the northern hemisphere.

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ANNE OLLILA,

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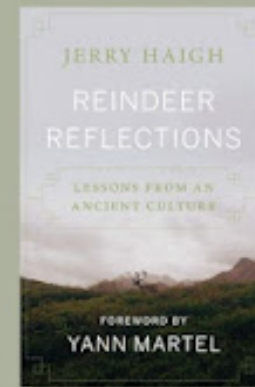
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Jerry Haigh's depth of knowledge and vast personal experience as a **wildlife** veterinarian shines in *Reindeer Reflections*. Filled with compelling, thorough research, touches of **humour**, biographical anecdotes, and photographs, he takes the reader on an enjoyable journey into the world of **reindeer** past and present and into the fascinating culture of the Mongolian reindeer herders. In sharing his **passion** for wildlife and his work, Haigh has created a lively, entertaining, and valuable resource well worth a read for **everyone**.

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JUDITH SILVERTHORNE,

Multiple award-winning author and former executive Director of the Saskatchewan Writers Guild



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Haigh has written a real winner: wonderful **storytelling**, wry **humour**, and tasty educational tidbits. This book is jammed with the kind of 'so that's how they do it' **detail** that'll keep you reading right to the end.

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ARTHUR SLADE,

author of 25 novels, including *The Hunchback Assignments* (TD Canadian Children's Literature Award) and *Dust* (Governor General's Award for Children's Literature)

