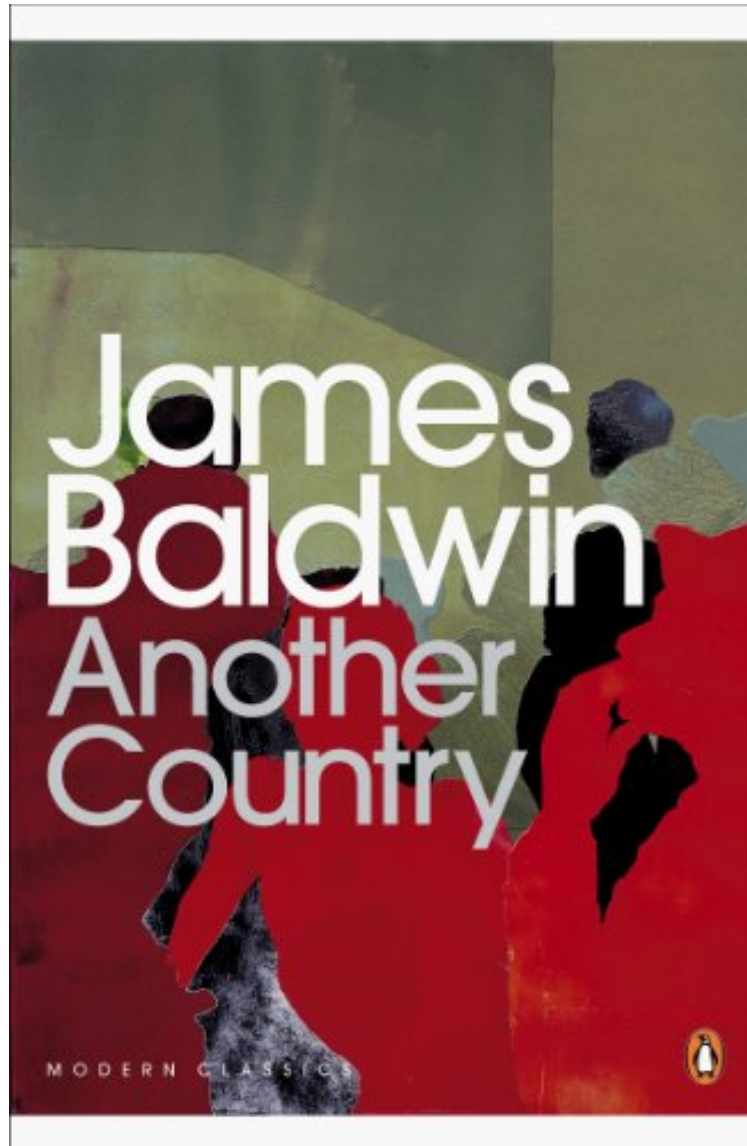


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Another Soliloquy of woeVon supastarFirst of all, I could not really put this book down while reading. I did get lost in the lives and the time and the city of the characters. I cared for them and understood the phacades they felt they had to put on, however, I often found it too over-emotional. Baldwin does make you uncomfortable with his brutal honesty, the

horror of existing as an outsider always travels with the reader. That's good, and I do enjoy the book. But it takes away after a while. The dialogue becomes very rhetorical and forced. Everything is just laid out, instead of kind of put through with some drama. Now I'm not saying you always have to hide your message in some hemingwayish way in the dialogue, but I find it hard, at times, to believe that these characters are real people because of the stuff they say. Overall, I loved the book, though. It is timeless, yet it paints a picture of a particular time in NYC that is vivid and brilliant.0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. It will change the way you think about relationshipsVon Ein KundeThis book is one of the finest pieces of literature I have read. Baldwin makes his characters come alive in a truly profound way exposing the underlying motivations for their actions. It made me look introspectively at the way in which I treat others and the reasons for my actions. A book not to be read with a light heart. The 400+ pages will fly by.2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Eins der besten Bcher der amerikanischen LiteraturVon Ein KundeJames Baldwins Roman "Another Country" dreht sich um den arbeitslosen, afro-amerikanischen Jazz Musiker Rufus Scott und seine (weien)Freunde. Obwohl Rufus die Weien hasst, ist er doch sehr abhngig von ihnen und besonders verrgt darber, dass viele Afro-Amerikaner wegen den Weien zu wenige Mglichkeiten haben, gesellschaftlich aufzusteigen. Besonders interessant ist, wie die Charaktere versuchen, ihre wahre Identitt zu finden, und zwar durch die Verbindungen miteinander. Rufus hat Beziehungsprobleme mit seiner Freundin Leona; Vivaldo Moore und Richard Silenski versuchen erfolgreiche Schriftsteller zu werden; Richards Frau Cass und Rufus Schwester Ida werden nach einem tragischen Ereignis Freundinnen;der homosexuelle Schauspieler Eric Jones versucht, berhmt zu werden. Sie alle suchen nach dem Sinn des Lebens und mssen feststellen, dass auch Freunde einander ausnutzen... Baldwins Schreibstil ist fantastisch, das Buch ist so spannend, dass man es nur schwer zur Seite legen kann. Auerdem portrtiert der Autor das Leben in der amerikanischen Gesellschaft der 60er Jahre und zeigt dem Leser, wie intrigant und rassistisch das New Yorker Leben zu dieser Zeit war.

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