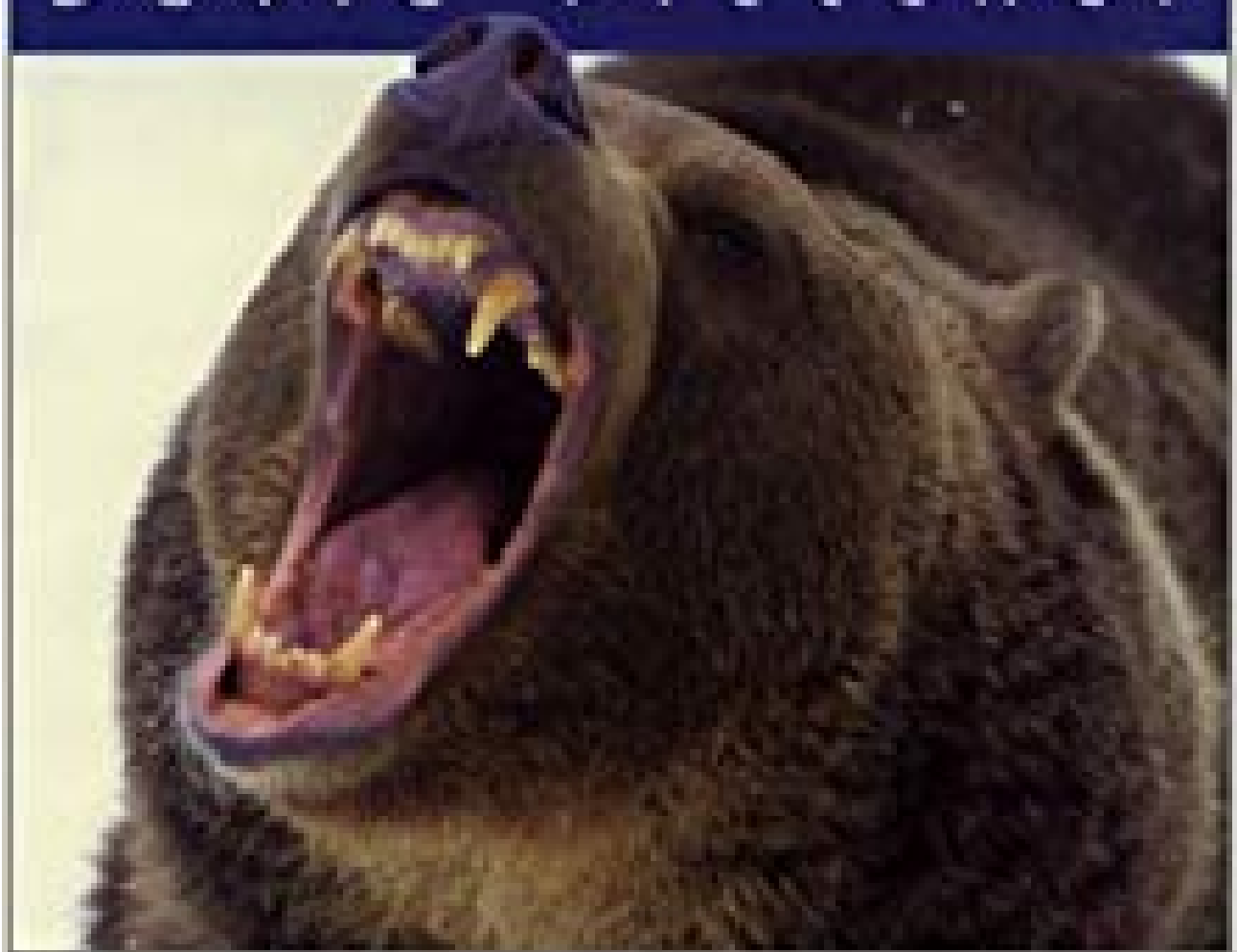




HUNTED

A true story of survival

D a v i d F l e t c h e r



David Fletcher

Hunted: A True Story of Survival



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A noted mountaineer and veteran climber describes how a solo climb up Alaska's Mount Hess became a horrific ordeal whenever a feminine grizzly bear with cubs stalked, hunted, and viciously attacked him.



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Great read!! (IN TO THE Wild is another great exemplary case of that attitude). Great publication! Couldn't put it straight down.), stashing food anywhere and everywhere, tempting death again and again in the most unbelievable methods (how do those snowshoes hang up the phone in that crevasse anyway? I gave that copy to my Dad several years back, therefore I purchased another copy. I sat right down to read it one Saturday afternoon. Later that night time, I was performed. My just break in reading was to consume. Once I began reading, I got to continue to discover what would happen. Excellent read! Maybe it's best to simply suspend disbelief and complement for the thrill ride. I enjoyed every phrase in this book. I would caution anyone who is dumb enough to get into grizzly country with out a high powered rifle An incredible story -- probably TOO amazing? Was this bear "vengeful"? . The last 60 pages, especially, certainly are a gripping page-turner as author David Fletcher battles for his life against a grizzly bear. He provides no information regarding his family or family members. First away, it's an amazing story. Still, two issues put some shadows more than this book. Initial, Fletcher was at least partly to be blamed for his problems. He ventured off on his climb of Alaska's Mt. Yes, it's an "adventure" tale-- the friend who lent it if you ask me cherished it (hey, maybe he's five-star guy!). And he appeared to have little consciousness going in about the possibility of a bear encounter. When you combine these components with the organic perils of the Alaska wilderness you have a recipe for things going wrong.) Among the best Books I've Ever Browse and I've read hundreds ! Readers should also be aware that as the bear encounters dominate the title and cover descriptions of this book, at least fifty percent of the book is about mountain climbing. Yes the bear was trying to harm him, but he appeared to have forgotten that HE was in the BEAR's house, and HE KILLED HER CUB! The fact that he waited 22 years to place this story to paper also cause you to wonder about how much could be accurately remembered. And where will be the pictures? There are no photos in the book and Fletcher makes no reference to a taking a video camera. But wouldn't you think that someone who had lengthy planned this kind of trip would have brought one, if only to record the look at from the summit? It's impossible, really, to learn if this is reality or fiction. Fletcher was alone, so we need to go by his term. In his defense, I'd explain that he carries a lot of odd details in the story -- random adjustments in the elements, quirky equipment problems, even litter in a glacier lake -- that you wouldn't think would just be made up. I recommend it. The book gives no clue how previous he was when he did this climb. (True, you might find the tale dragging a little bit midway through, but simply hold on -- it gets better). I read it in two seated and enjoyed every minute of this fantastic experience. The escalating battles with the bear grow in strength and build to a big climax -- just like in a film. I cannot help but believe the loss of two bears in trade because of this particular human was not a fair trade. bears are not. True or not, an excellent story. True story about a Grizzly mom who misplaced her baby This was a true to life thriller. I just wish I could know for sure. I actually rooted for the bear (...) Who is he? From all of the books I have ever find out about bears, this would have to be 1 amazing bear to work as it did. I read this in the past and remembered it had been good. I buy into the various other reviewers that elements of this seem made up out of whole cloth, or at least greatly exaggerated. This book leaves me with mixed emotions. Or a bear exploring badly hidden food stashes, dealing with a stumble-bum individual in a remote area as a potential meals source. Further, he previously purposely avoided learning very much about the climbing route beforehand therefore he could have a "pure" climbing experience..) and couldn't put it down-- but non-fiction? I have also read many accurate "survival" stories and each one contains many "hard-to-believe" conditions. This book is ridiculous.)-- I must say I did root for the bear, page after web page. Hess alone, by itself a risky move. etc. I believe not. I have read hundreds and a huge

selection of books and I must say this a single is one of the best. others may wish to skim through. Climbers may enjoy these parts;(.. While I really do have doubts about the veracity of the tale, I still liked the narrative.Second, a tone of voice in the rear of my mind is saying that Fletcher's tale is just TOO amazing to end up being true.!! STRONGLY SUGGESTED.Humans certainly are a species who are doing incredibly good; I could not put it down.. Too much on the author. This story could possibly be true and isn't ridiculous.I desire Fletcher had put in more personal history. I browse it in one sitting. Great Book !! This book is a genuine page-turner! I think it could be true. Exciting survival story If you have spent amount of time in the wilderness, in case you are a hunter and fisherman, hiker or mountain climber; you shortly learn that actually the most apparently implausible stories can be true. Ascribing human being feelings like rage or desire for revenge to a bear is like contacting a storm "furious. I want to preface my evaluate by saying that We was raised in Alaska, only an hour and a half from where all this supposedly took place. He tells a whale of a tale. Grizzlies will stalk human beings plus they do get especially upset whenever a person kills their youngsters. Plus they are persistent predators. Therefore read this exciting tale and revel in the thrills whether someone happens to trust it's "true" or not really. Those type of details would have helped circular out a fuller picture of him and just why he was undertaking this experience.therefore i would recommend it for anyone who likes adventure writing. So give the author a break." It places a human encounter on a natural force, but it doesn't tell us anything true or useful. Also if all the occasions did happen, the author clearly will not remember things accurately.. The author's descriptions of the bear's behavior is usually appalling. He helps it be look like bears are only killing machines and that everything they perform is evil. Bears have become important to ecosystems and I'm disgusted that man is indeed biased. I cannot help but question if elements of this story are made, or at least exaggerated. I'd be quite upset too if I was the bear.and that is all that issues for me personally.Loved it! Alaska differs than anywhere on the planet, and David Fletcher experienced ample warning from almost everyone he told his plans to. Ridiculous I couldn't even read all of this book it was so ridiculous. I acquired about 50 pages into it and began to feel I was wasting my time with this "true" tale.. Lying in his sleeping bag in bear country eating a meats sandwich without a treatment, toppling rock spires for fun, finding a lovely "crystal cave" and then knocking pieces of crystal off along with his ice axe (do he also carry them all just how out? I wasn't aware that bears carry personal vendettas!! I want to believe this tale holds true.....! I skimmed through to the end merely to observe what would happen. I believe the people on this website giving evaluations are being downright indicate.but also if it isn't I enjoyed to reserve... This is obviously another case of a person not really from Alaska who thinks that because they hike around somewhere else, Alaska will be easy. Like a prior reviewer wrote, grizzlies do not charge while standing up up- standing up on hind legs is their way inspecting and assessing a situation.. Horrible for bears!



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