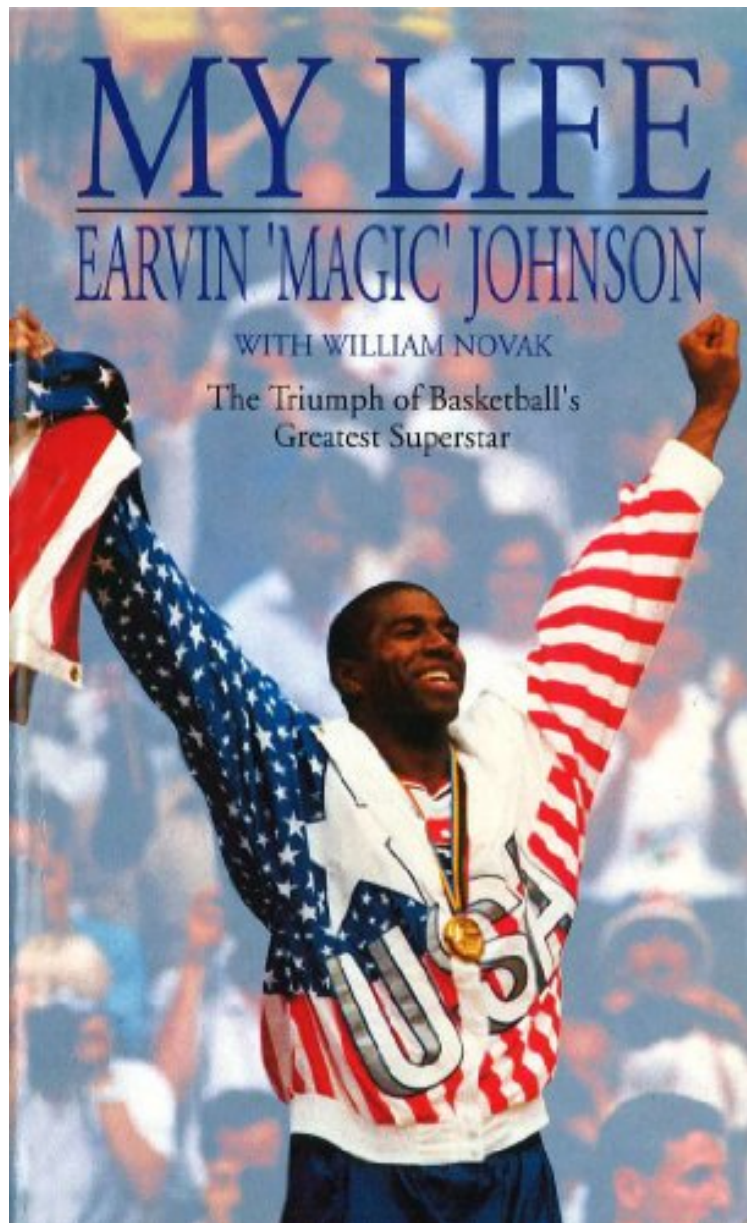


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Absolut Lesenswert. Von Lionheart14My Life ist ein wirklich tolles Buch ber einen der besten Spieler in der Geschichte der

NBA. Obwohl diese Biographie schon ein paar Jahre alt ist (erschienen 1993), konnte ich mich kaum von Ihr trennen. Das Buch wirft einen wirklich tollen Rückblick auf die Karriere von Earvin "Magic" Johnson. Angefangen von seiner Kindheit in Lansing (Michigan) über seinen Werdegang bei Michigan State bis zu seiner großen NBA Karriere bei den Lakers. Seine großen Duelle mit Larry Bird und den Celtics, seine NBA Championships, sein vorzeitiges Karriereende und seinen Kampf mit seinem größten Gegner dem HIV Virus. Bewundernswert auch wie er den Kampf mit eben diesem Virus aufgenommen hat und sich selber zu einem großen Kopf im Kampf gegen Aids gemacht hat. Es ist mehr als eine Sportler Biographie. Dieses Buch skizziert auf spannende Art und Weise Magic's Leben. Johnson kommt dabei immer sehr ehrlich und äußerst sympathisch rüber, vor allem dann wenn er über seine Niederlagen auf und abseits des Basketball Courts spricht. Interessant auch seine Sicht auf die NBA und seine Mitspieler und Gegner. Wenn man ein Buch über einen großen Sportler und einer tollen Person lesen will, ist man bei Magic Johnson's My Life genau richtig. 2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A Class Act Von MAXIMILLIAN MUHAMMAD Magic without a doubt is Something Special. He was The Last Complete Player in the Game. He Could Play Position. but he Proved Himself even Bigger after He Found out he had HIV. He became an Even Bigger Winner Giving Back Building a Bigger Foundation. this Book Deals with His Days at Michigan State, The L.A. Lakers His Views around the League. The Man is a Champion on off The Court. His Smile is Timeless. A Class Act. 2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. The Magic will never vanish!! Von Ein Kunde A great autobiography!! Magic Johnson proved in his book that despite contracting the HIV virus in '91, his life would not stop because of it. A great life story of one of my all-time favorite pro players and one of the most charismatic basketball players ever!!

Kurzbeschreibung My Life is the inspirational autobiography of Magic, the top-class athlete whose astonishing career is already a legend. He reflects on his boyhood in Michigan, his college career, his meteoric rise to basketball fame, the women he has met along the way and his most recent triumphs in the 1992 Olympics in Barcelona with the larger-than-life 'Dream Team'. My Life is the deeply personal account of Magic, the exuberant personality who is one of the most beloved sports figures of our time. He talks movingly of his college sweetheart and his wife Cookie, his hopes, fears, and regrets, and now his brave fight against the HIV virus and for AIDS awareness. A remarkable story, My Life captures the strength of Magic's character, his dazzling career and his equally dazzling smile. From Publishers Weekly Basketball superstar Johnson's straight talk on AIDS gives his autobiography its thrust and power. Born in Lansing, Mich., son of an hardworking auto assembly-line worker and a pious Seventh-Day Adventist, Johnson comes across as a modest, straightforward, upbeat guy in this high-spirited if sanitized self-portrait. Fans will enjoy his replays of key games and seasons, as well as his frank impressions of his former Los Angeles Lakers teammates, coach Pat Riley, the Boston Celtics' Larry Bird and other players. Johnson discusses his on-again, off-again relationship with his wife, Cookie, whom he married just a month before he tested positive for the HIV virus. The strongest sections describe his retirement, his coming to terms with his condition and return to play, his role as an AIDS activist and the birth of his second son earlier this year. An epilogue contains the rousing speech "A Message for Black Teenagers." Coauthor Novak has collaborated on "autobiographies" with Lee Iacocca and Nancy Reagan. Photos. Author tour. Copyright 1992 Reed Business Information, Inc. From Library Journal This is the latest of several books about Johnson, the Los Angeles Laker star who stunned the entire country last year when he revealed that he had tested positive for HIV. Johnson here recounts his life, culminating with his now well-known participation as a member of the "Dream Team" at the Barcelona Olympics. Since this book was written, Johnson has announced that he will rejoin the Lakers for the 1992-93 season. Not the typical ghetto athlete made good, Johnson comes from comfortable--albeit not luxurious--surroundings and did not have to deal with much tragedy until his HIV diagnosis. Of note in this autobiography is a relatively candid (no names) description of Johnson's involvement with women, which may have led to his infection. This is not a "no holds barred" biography, but it will nevertheless be of interest to public and school library patrons. Previewed in Prepub Alert, LJ 6/1/92.- William O. Scheeren, Hempfield Area H.S. Lib., Greensburg, Pa. Copyright 1992 Reed Business Information, Inc.