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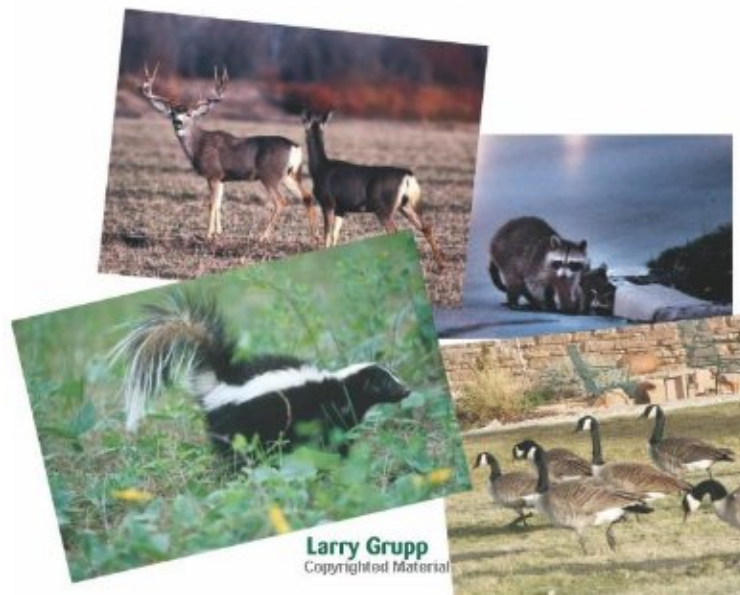
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painful..By Mari MMy biggest problem with this book is poor/false information. His statement that snakes "eat two or three times a year at most" is so far from the truth that it is laughable. It is usually two or three times A WEEK , except during cold weather.Having myself been bitten many time by "large nonpoisonous snakes" I can assure you that it is NOT painful... it feels like someone has slapped you with velcro. Since their bite is so not painful, when i'm trying to catch a black snake or a king snake, I worry more about grabbing the snake before it escapes than worrying about that little slap. Wash the very shallow bite with good disinfectant soap and your are good to go.The chapter on turtles is almost as bad. He is confusing box turtles (a land tortoise) with red-eared sliders, an aquatic turtle. Lots of incorrect info.His comment on why one does not need protection from owls and hawk "When, for instance, have we last seen free-run chickens?" Oh, let's see, today in my back pasture...as in pastured poultry. Where has this guy been????3 of 4 people found the following review helpful. When to simply remove the threat, and when to take a more violent approachBy Midwest Book ReviewThe world is not inhabited solely by humans - and some humans live closer to the neighbors in the world than others. "Critter Control: A Homeowner's Guide to Getting Rid of Rodents, Deer, Bears, Foxes, Skunks, Birds, Snakes, and Other Pests" is a guide for those who happen to live very close to their inconsiderate animal neighbors who commonly find them invading their own homes. Countless suggestions to manage these pests themselves without seeking professional help - when to simply remove the threat, and when to take a more violent approach. "Critter Control: A Homeowner's Guide to Getting Rid of Rodents, Deer, Bears, Foxes, Skunks, Birds, Snakes, and Other Pests" is essential to any who seem to have to deal with these problems on a everyday basis.

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About the AuthorLarry Grupp has lived around animals all his life. Raised in the rural Midwest, he now makes his home in Moscow, Idaho. He has written numerous books and articles on hunting and trapping.