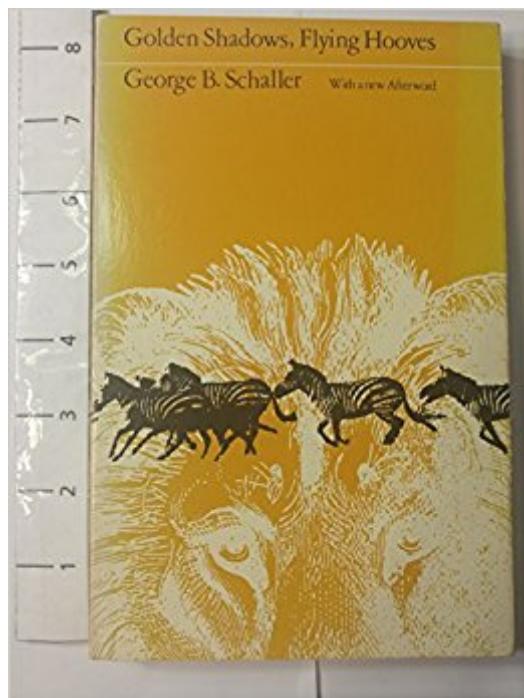


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I received this book just before the lion Cecil was killed and the news was full of reports regarding the status of lions. This made the book even more interesting and have enjoyed comparing the stats from 1973 to today's numbers. The information about how lions live and their habits gave me some added insight into the problems regarding Cecil. I wonder if much has changed except for the loss of lion surviving and the knowledge of the conservationist. A darn good read and lots of information. I have enjoyed reading other books by George Schaller - his writing style makes the information interesting and clear. He and Alan Rabinowitz are favorites on my book shelf.

I was interested in knowing more about African wildlife especially predators. Mr. Schaller starts his book with a narrative that describes his family settling into a life of studying wildlife in the Serengeti. As the book progresses he shares more information on lions and other predators based on his research and in collaboration with other scientists. His information is shared with a hope (I assume) that the reader is capable of digesting the material as it presented. I enjoyed this aspect of his book and it encouraged me to think as well as just read the information provided. I would recommend this book to people that want to learn more about African wildlife.

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