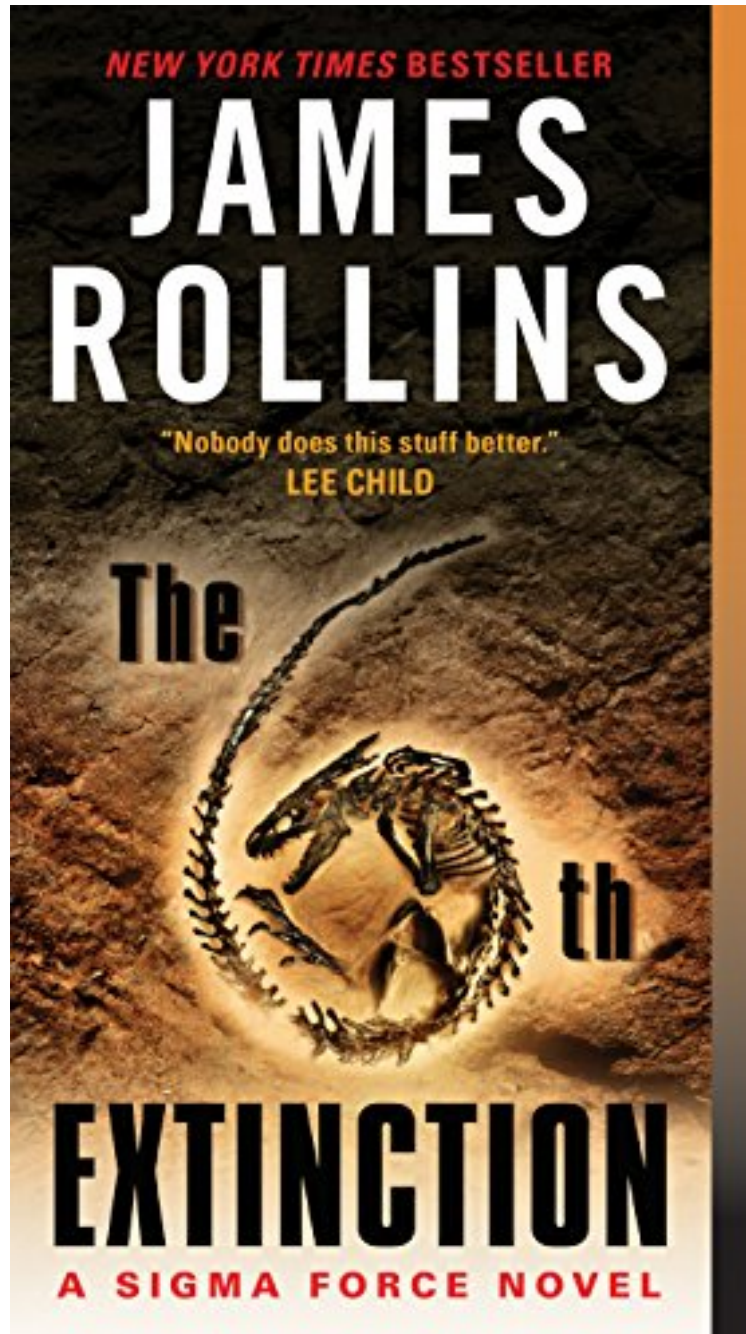


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before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The 6th Extinction: A Sigma Force Novel (Sigma Force Series Book 10) (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Wissenschaft und AbenteuerVon GrnspechtWie bei hnlichen Romanen, z.B. von Clive Cussler, ist hier eine Gruppe tapferer Menschen - die SIGMA-Force - unterwegs, um Geheimnisse zu ergrnden, bsen Mchten das Handwerk zu legen und die Welt zu retten. Wenn wahnsinnige, geniale Wissenschaftler ihre Plne verwirklichen knnten, etwa auf dem Gebiet der synthetischen Biologie, dann bedroht das smtliches Leben auf der Erde. ...Die Erklrungen hierzu sind recht anspruchsvoll, und die Handlung weist einige Lngen auf, dennoch eine fantasievolle, spannende Story.0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Wrdiges SIGMA-JubilumVon Arno GndischPnktlich zum 10 Jahres-Jubilum des ersten SIGMA-Romans "Sandstorm" liefert James Rollins seinen besten Thriller dieser Serie. Nach der Sabotage eines geheimen Forschungslabors verwstet ein knstlich erzeugtes Virus die gesamte Natur in einem kalifornischen Nationalpark-die Wissenschaftler stehen dieser neuen Bedrohung hilflos gegenber. Kurze Zeit spter wird eine britische Forschungsstation in der Antarktis von einem schwerbewaffneten Kommando berfallen und dem Erdboden gleichgemacht. Das Ziel: die Bekanntmachung einer rtselfhaften Biosphre unter dem antarktischen Eis um jeden Preis zu verhindern.Mitten drin: die Agenten von SIGMA. Allmhlich kristallisiert sich ein Plan hinter dem zerstrerischen Wahnsinn heraus. Ein genialer , schwerreicher Psychopath plant, das existierende Leben auf der Erde durch seine "Gegenschpfung" zu ersetzen, in der der Mensch nicht mehr die erste Geige spielt. Kann SIGMA ihn stoppen, bevor es zu spt ist, und nebenbei das entfesselte Virus neutralisieren?Grenzwissenschaften, historische Rtsel, rasante Cliffhanger-Action-besser wurden diese Elemente durch James Rollins nie kombiniert. Wer "ia", "Subterranean", bzw. "The Last Oracle" mit Vergngen gelesen hat, wird auch diesen Roman nicht eher aus der Hand legen, bevor die letzte Seite erreicht ist.Eine beunruhigende Tatsache, auf die der Roman anspielt, sei hier auch erwht: Genetische Manipulation und die Schpfung neuer Gene sind bereits so fortgeschritten, da eine "Frankenstein-Kreation" aus dem Labor jederzeit eine unvorhersehbare Kettenreaktion auslsen knnte ...Wenn schon das Bekannte derart erschreckend ist, um wieviel mehr mssen wir dann das (noch) Unbekannte frchten?0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Lots of funVon Jamie V.What I truly enjoy on the Sigma series is the characters. One does develop a connection to them, although, if you exactly dissect, they are not all that complex. What makes the team work is the diversity and missing self-analysis so many authors feel obliged to expound upon. Rollins allows the reader to use their imagination. He avoids the too-much-information trap so common these days. Typical Rollins, we have a mix of science and wild fantasy, which works. Constantly changing backdrops, adventure and thought in the right mix, plus an almost tongue in cheek manner. Enjoyable and does get the grey cells active.

KurzbeschreibungA remote military research station sends out a frantic distress call, ending with a chilling final command: Kill us all! Personnel from the neighboring base rush in to discover everyone already dead-and not just the scientists, but every living thing for fifty square miles is annihilated: every animal, plant, and insect, even bacteria.The land is entirely sterile-and the blight is spreading.To halt the inevitable, Commander Gray Pierce and Sigma must unravel a threat that rises out of the distant past, to a time when Antarctica was green and all life on Earth balanced upon the blade of a knife. Following clues from an ancient map rescued from the lost Library of Alexandria, Sigma will discover the truth about an ancient continent, about a new form of death buried under miles of ice.From millennia-old secrets out of the frozen past to mysteries buried deep in the darkest jungles of today, Sigma will face its greatest challenge to date: stopping the coming extinction of mankind.But is it already too late?PressestimmenThe science... reads like the best of Michael Crichton. The machinations of government read like the best of David Baldacci. And the action and thrills read like the best of Clive Cussler. Rollins takes the best of all of these and creates an amazing thriller unlike any other. (Associated Press on Bloodline on THE EYE OF GOD) . . . this is your summer beach read writ large. (New York Journal of Books on THE EYE OF GOD)Rollins has done it again. Real history and science play a key role in all of the action, which never wanes. Amid all of the chaos are some terrific characters who get a chance to shine. Definitely keep an eye out for this one. (Library Journal (starred review) on THE EYE OF GOD)The book has everything the genre demands: Nazis, ancient maps, alien life forms, a ticking nuclear clock, and exotic, deadly beasts. Rollins makes it all believable, and ties everything together in a satisfying climax that hints at more adventures to come. (Publishers Weekly on THE 6TH EXTINCTION)This is another fast-paced mixture of real science, real history, and wild speculation. For speed freaks (narrative speed, that is), Rollins always delivers the goods. Readers, start your engines. (Booklist on THE 6TH EXTINCTION)Adventure, history, science, and technology-sheer perfection from an author who is used to giving exactly that every time he tells a tale! (Suspense Magazine on THE 6TH EXTINCTION)Best-selling author Rollins has again crafted an excellent nail-biting thriller

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