

Unlocking the Secrets of Wild Cities: A Journey with Ben Lerwill

Have you ever stopped to consider the profound connection between nature and the concrete jungle we call cities? If you're wondering how metropolises can be home to an astonishing array of wildlife, then join us on a thrilling adventure as we explore the wild side of cities with renowned travel writer, Ben Lerwill. From the hidden habitats of urban spaces to the surprising stories of survival, Wild Cities is a mesmerizing journey that challenges our perception of wilderness and showcases the resilience of nature against the backdrop of skyscrapers and bustling streets.

The Urban Jungle Awakens

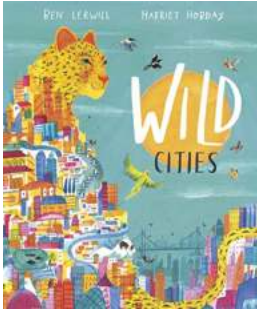
As we delve into the heart of cities, we are captivated by the sights and sounds that greet us. We might be accustomed to bustling crowds and honking cars, but beneath the urban façade lies an intricate tapestry of life, with surprisingly wild inhabitants. From the mischievous raccoons scavenging for food to the resilient birds serenading us at dawn, Wild Cities reminds us that nature is found even in the most unlikely places.

With over 50% of the world's population now living in urban areas, the influence of humans becomes impossible to ignore. But as we witness the adaptations and survival strategies of urban animals, we learn that wildlife is not merely surviving; it is thriving. Lerwill accompanies us as we witness the urban ecosystem coexisting with the human jungle harmoniously.

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Within these Walls: The Secrets of Urban Habitats

One of the most intriguing aspects of Wild Cities is the discovery of secret havens hidden in plain sight. From the rooftop gardens to pocket parks and community gardens, these urban oases provide shelter and sustenance for a remarkable variety of wildlife. As Lerwill guides us through the verdant enclaves that pepper the cityscape, we unlock the secrets behind these habitats and appreciate the value of preserving them.

But Wild Cities does not stop at exploring green spaces. It takes us deep below the asphalt and into the labyrinth of tunnels, sewers, and subway systems. Here, we unveil a parallel world that teems with life, where rats, mice, and even alligators thrive among the concrete veins of the city. The resilience and adaptability of these creatures are nothing short of astounding.

Survival of the Fittest: Tales of Urban Wildlife

In Wild Cities, Lerwill introduces us to a timeless cast of characters that have defied the odds to survive in the city. From the legendary peregrine falcons nesting atop skyscrapers and hunting down pigeons with unrivaled precision to the resourceful foxes that roam the streets under the cover of darkness, we witness stories of resilience, survival, and adaptation that leave us in awe.

Coyotes are reclaiming their territories, while beavers reshape urban waterways. Squirrels navigate complex aerial highways, and bats take refuge in forgotten corners. Wild Cities delivers a comprehensive account of the urban ecosystems, revealing the diversity and tenacity of the animals that share our urban dwellings.

Rediscover Nature in Unexpected Places

As we conclude our wild journey through cities with Ben Lerwill, we are left with a profound appreciation of the wonders that lie at our doorstep. Wild Cities inspires us to rediscover nature in unexpected places, to look up at the sky and down at the cracks in the pavement and notice the thriving ecosystems that silently coexist with us.

So, whether you're a nature lover, an urban dweller, or both – join us on this captivating adventure through the urban jungle. Prepare to be amazed by the stories, marvel at the resilience, and embrace the unexpected wildness of cities!



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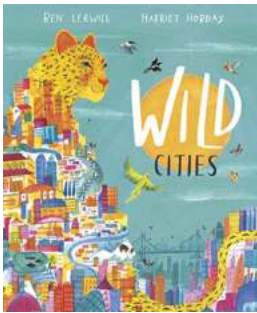
Picture a city. What do you see? Traffic and tower blocks? Or maybe you imagine something a little . . . wilder?

These are the astonishing stories of the animals who are adapting to live in our urban world - and how you can help them to thrive.

From the pitter patter of city penguins, to the screech of urban monkeys, the dive-bombing of a skyscraper hawk, to the splash of a nearby whale . . . discover the animals living alongside us, in our wild cities.

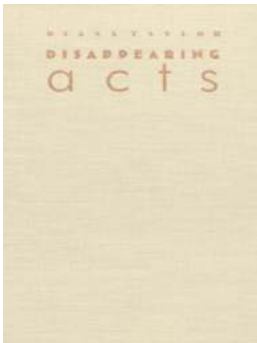
Join us as we travel the globe discovering animals in the most unlikely of homes. With magical illustration and beautiful storytelling, these incredible stories will fascinate every reader who has the travel bug, or is an animal fan, or has ever wondered what else exists in our big cities.

Featuring: London, Berlin, Paris, Warsaw, Calgary, New York City, Chicago, Sydney, Beijing, Tokyo, Mumbai, Singapore, Cape Town and Seoul.



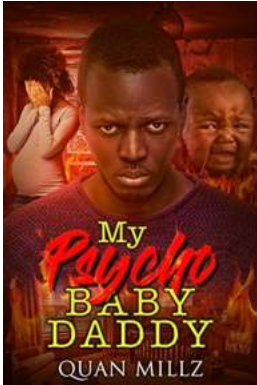
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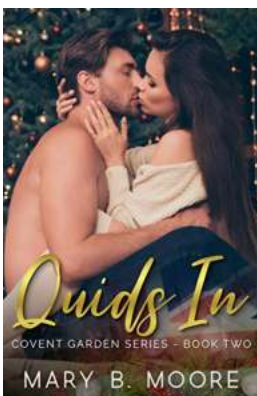
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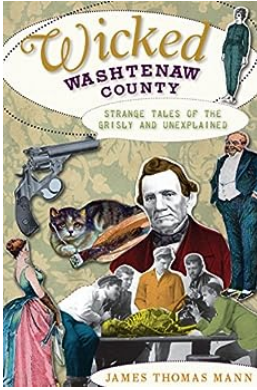
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