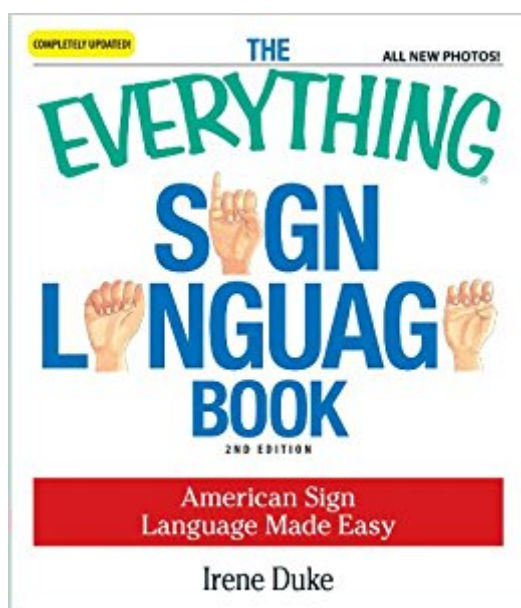


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The Everything Sign Language Book: American Sign Language Made Easy... All New Photos!



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Customer Reviews

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This is an excellent tool, a primer, and resource for those who want to get a concise and informative start in learning about Deaf culture and the beautiful language that is ASL. Each topical chapter progressively develops the reader into an advanced-novice signer, equipping the individual with practical and functional language skills. Though, more than that, the lessons place the language in a historical and cultural context that help the reader to grasp the culture of the Deaf community. I love

the fact that the author repeatedly encourages the reader to get involved with their local Deaf community and to take community ASL classes--learning a new language has no merit if one does not interact with the people group that uses it. Again, the lessons are excellent, but the synergistic approach of teaching language along with history and culture is what made this book so remarkable to me. I have longed to find a resource like this for nearly 30 years and I know I will return to it over and over again.

Bought as a review for my daughter and she picked it right back up.

Great for friend

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The book was easy to understand it makes the reader want to continue with quizzes and fun facts as well as history on sign language. The pictures make you feel that you have a teacher learning right along with you.

I was very happy with it. I purchased for one of our church youth who is very interested in learning sign language. I think it will continue to be valuable to her for a long time.

This is a great book! I already possess some ASL skills and find this book easy to comprehend and of a high quality. The format is just as good as a paper bound book, but obviously far more durable and available across all my devices because of my Kindle app. is a great go to place for electronic reading.

Very beautiful book and I am happy to learn a new way to communicate with one of my patients

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