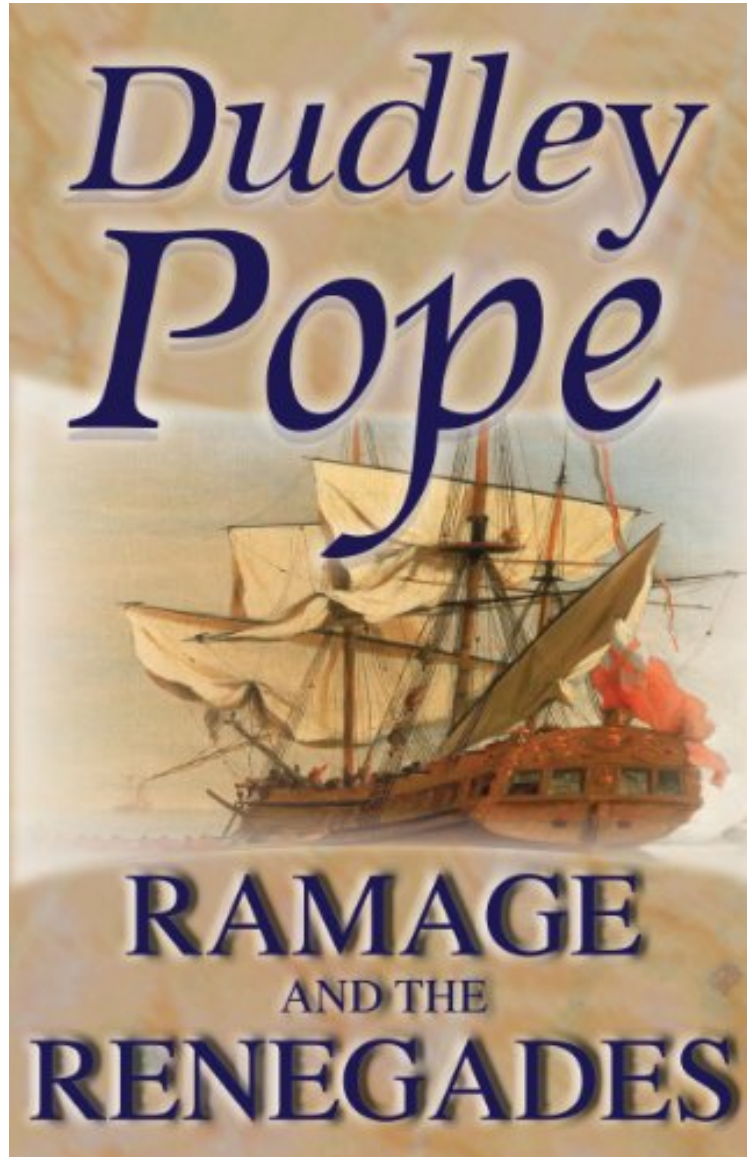


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Spannung, Romantik und gleichzeitig korrekt recherchiert Von Carsten Ponath Dudley Pope ist einer der Autoren, die die Atmosphäre jener Zeit heraufbeschworen und in eine interessante und spannende Geschichte packen können. So auch hier, man fühlt sich hineinversetzt in die Welt der tropischen Seefahrt, in eine Zeit, die trotz aller Härten Romantik sprengt. Für mich sind die Bücher von Pope so bildhaft geschrieben, dass ich praktisch "mit an Deck stehe". Ich lese sie auch lieber im englischen Original, da ich nicht die "Zwischeninterpretation" eines Übersetzers möchte, zumal mir oft in Übersetzungen mariner Themen sachlich/nautische Fehler auffallen, die mir dann den Spaß am Buch verderben. Nebenbei bemerkt: Wieso man ein Buch mit englischem Titel und englischer Beschreibung kauft und sich dann wundert, dass man ein "fremdsprachiges" Buch bekommt, wie ich es hier schon gelesen habe, verwundert mich sehr.

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