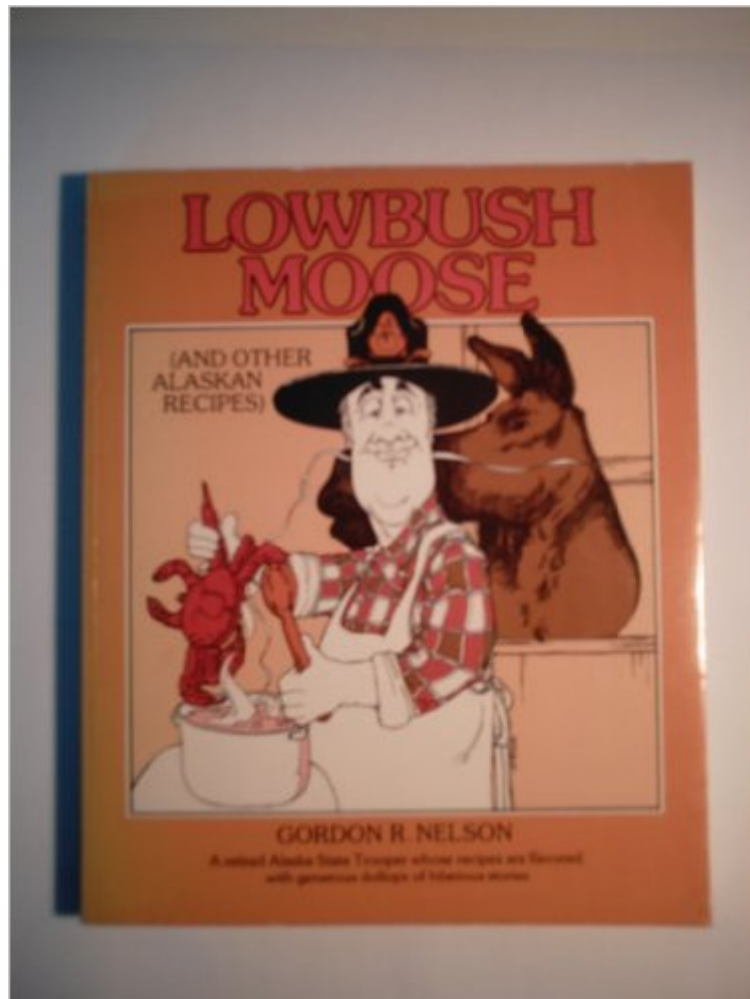


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Synopsis

A lifetime Alaskan resident, the author has spent much of that lifetime compiling a collection of recipes that ranges from depression-era beans to basic bachelor salad to crab with steak Bearnaise. Lowbush Moose is the result. Although many of the recipes are based on the foods of Alaska, he offers alternative ingredients for residents of the Lower 48. Mixed in with the recipes are the stories behind them.

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Customer Reviews

I recently found this delightful book in a used book store. The author is a retired Alaska State Trooper, and a lifelong fisherman, hunter, and cook. This cookcook contains many wonderful recipes including Nelson Clam Chowder, Deep-Fried King Crab Legs, Grouse and Noodles, Moose Sauerbraten, Corned Bear, Fancy Pickled Eggs (made with beets), Charlie's Apple Pie, and the Alaska State Fair award-winning Mug-Up Cake. Most of the game recipes can be made with beef or other more common meats instead. I can't wait to try these, although I must admit bear is unlikely to turn up on my menu soon. In addition his many mouth-watering recipes, Mr. Nelson shares wonderful stories about growing up in Alaska and later working as a state trooper. And in case you're wondering, a "low bush moose" is an artic hare, in contrast to a "high bush moose", which is the big brown deer with the scoop-shaped horns :-)

I grew up on these recipes and his stories. He always dreamed of writing a book and ended up writing a lot of books. We lost Dad many years ago but these books gave us a means to remember

his stories and recipes. We miss you Dad.

The book is worth it just for the narrative alone, not to mention the very tasty recipes (especially that clam chowder one... yummmmm!). I showed this book to a woman from Alaska who works for a local arctic museum and she knew the family. She confirmed that the stories were spot-on.

I've cooked from Mr Nelson's books for years and never had a bad recipe. Easy and to the point. I recently baked bread from his books and the result was outstanding. along with good recipes you also get some wonderful stories about his life policing and obtaining his recipes. Just for the stories it a thumbs up.

I originally bought this book several years ago on a visit to Alaska. The recipes in the book are good, old-fashioned home cooking. Nelson is a good story-teller. His stories are amusing, especially his many bear encounters.

I had one of these books and purchased two as gifts for daughter and granddaughter they love it

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