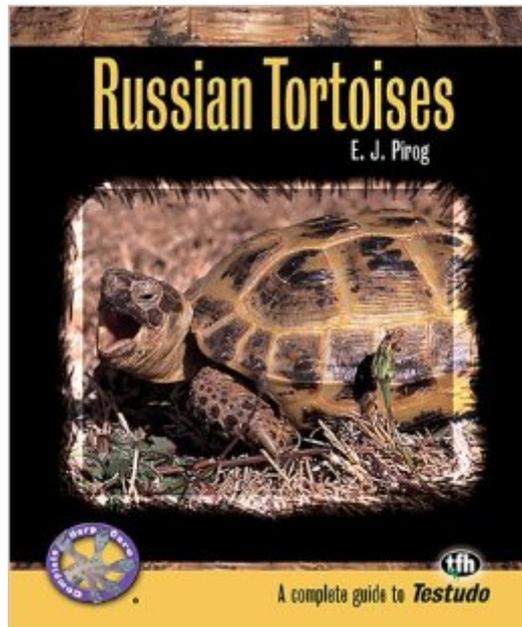


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I thought this book would be more detailed in scope than it was. In fact, I think the website [...] is in some ways more informative than this book. I would still recommend purchasing it if you want to absorb as many viewpoints as you can. I feel the author was writing a primer, and not an extensive book on the subject of tortoises. This would be an excellent book for the newbie to tortoises, but for one who has cruised the internet on the tortoises, it may be a disappointment, but it is still worth owning.

I really enjoyed this book! We have a new Russian Tortoise and needed a beginner's guide of how to house, feed and care for our tortoise. The pictures are wonderful in the book and the author took the time to point out different thoughts, controversial ways and the "why's" of caring for your tortoise when it's not in its natural habitat. I would recommend this book to those wanting to know more

about their new pet. My children enjoyed the pictures and the chapters are thorough, yet not exhaustive. For the family needing more than what the pet store gives you, this book is the perfect solution.

This is the type of book that rightfully belongs in the children's section of the public library, and is laid out simple enough that even a kindergartener should have no major trouble with it. On the other hand, for a serious student of herpetology, this book will be too simplistic, and it should be noted that much of the information is no longer particularly accurate. And, I want to stress to novice tortoise owners, due to the dated and less-than-accurate information, there are much better books on tortoise care available.

This is also a very good book on the Russian Tortoise. I always look at reviews before I buy and this book had some good reviews. I get so war out because on line you can get so many different answers to the same questions, You just don't know which one to go with. Great seller quick delivery. A+++++

I read the whole book in two days, I like to read so it didn't take me very long. The book had a lot of interesting facts and cool pictures and answered all the questions I had. It talks about all the things you need to know and touches on some information that has to do with other tortoises like the Hermann's, Greek and Egyptian tortoise because these tortoises are a lot like the Russian. I think this book is a good read for any person wanting info on these animals. But also reading other books that have to do with this topic would be a good idea besides this one, everyone has their own opinion on how to raise these creatures and should seek out as much information as possible and this book suggests that too!

I got this book, and found its information very basic, and the book very short. You can find all the same information via Google in about 15 minutes. It tends to repeat itself many times to try to reinforce the same points. Probably good for a child, but not worth buying for an adult looking to get into tortoise care. It also is not just about Russian tortoises, but rather the 5 tortoises of the Mediterranean group. It glances over all of them, and then adds a little more for Russian tortoises, but it's still extremely lacking.

I bought this book for my daughter who will be getting a Russian tortoise for her birthday this year

(yes, she is a big Elementary fan:). The book is incredibly informative and it was in pretty good shape when it arrived. The layout is colorful and easy to read. I would recommend this book for anyone who is interested in Russian tortoises.

This is a book for the real beginner, however it is written in a very distracting and abstract way that even a beginner would find very little substance in this book. It has repetitive and often incorrect information, very disappointing.

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