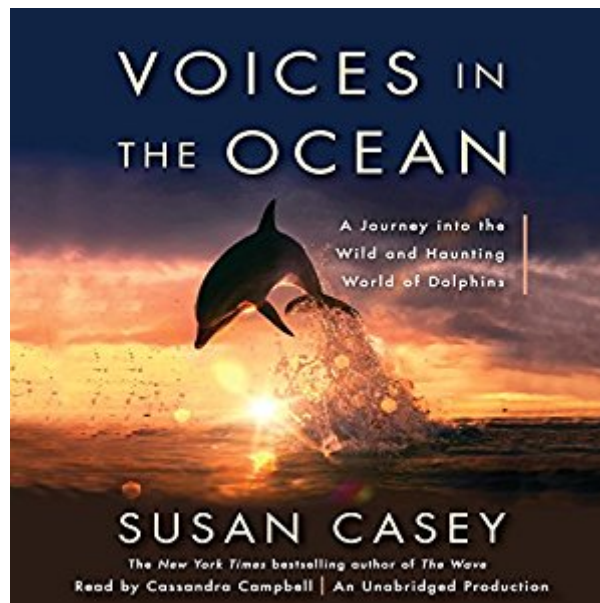




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Voices In The Ocean: A Journey Into The Wild And Haunting World Of Dolphins



Synopsis

From Susan Casey, the New York Times best-selling author of *The Devil's Teeth* and *The Wave*, a breathtaking look into the mysterious world of dolphins and their conflicted history with man. Since the dawn of recorded history, humans have felt a kinship with the sleek and beautiful dolphin, an animal whose playfulness, sociability, and intelligence seem like an aquatic mirror of mankind. In recent decades scientists have discovered dolphins recognize themselves in reflections, count, feel despondent, adorn themselves, rescue one another (and humans), deduce, infer, form cliques, throw tantrums, gossip, and scheme. Several native peoples trace their lineages to dolphins. They are the stars of multimillion-dollar aquatic theme parks, money that has fueled a sinister illicit trade as shown in the documentary *Blackfish*. The US Navy has a secret program using dolphins as undersea soldiers. The theory that they are a superior, extraterrestrial species is popular among the New Age fringe. They are the victims of brutal slaughters as depicted in the documentary *The Cove*. To swim with a dolphin is a transporting experience, an encounter with a being seemingly so like us yet so alien. No writer is better positioned to portray these magical creatures than Susan Casey, whose combination of personal reporting, intense scientific research, and evocative prose made *The Wave* and *The Devil's Teeth* contemporary classics of writing on the oceans. For two years Casey traveled the world, and now she has written a thrilling book about the other intelligent life on the planet.

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Don't look for a "feel good" read here, more a hard slap of reality of mankind's abuse and confinement of these amazing mammals. This is a great book. I hope we as a species come to our senses and protect dolphins and whales before extinction blots them from existence

book came in perfect condition, thank you so much !!!

Another author who feels ten words are better than two. A PC topic with lots of "stuff" wrapped around it. I enjoyed her Wave book. This one not so much...in fact, couldn't finish it.

wonderful book

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