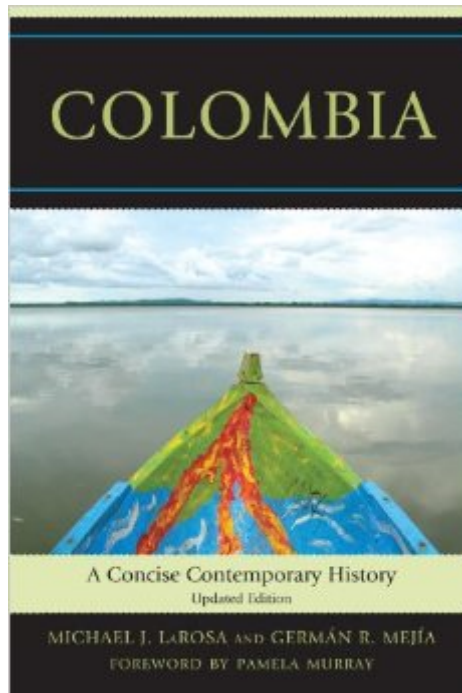


The book was found

# Colombia: A Concise Contemporary History



## Synopsis

Written by two leading historians, this deeply informed and accessible book traces the history of Colombia thematically, covering the past two centuries. In ten interlinked chapters, Michael J. LaRosa and Germán R. Mejía depart from more standard approaches by presenting a history of political, social, and cultural accomplishments within the context of Colombia's specific geographic and economic realities. Their emphasis on cultural development, international relations, and everyday life contrasts sharply with works that focus only on Colombia's violent past or dwell on a Colombian economy deeply dependent on narcotics—a tragic nation that barely functions. Instead, the authors emphasize Colombia's remarkable national cohesion and endurance since the early nineteenth-century wars for independence. Including a photo essay, detailed chronology, and resource guide, this concise yet thorough history will be an invaluable resource for all readers seeking a thoughtful, definitive interpretation of Colombia's past and present. This updated paperback edition addresses the current peace negotiations in an epilogue titled "Chronicle of a Peace Forestalled" •

## Book Information

File Size: 11355 KB

Print Length: 296 pages

Publisher: Rowman & Littlefield Publishers; Updated ed. edition (October 7, 2013)

Publication Date: October 7, 2013

Sold by: Digital Services LLC

Language: English

ASIN: B00FSFB4HU

Text-to-Speech: Enabled

X-Ray: Not Enabled

Word Wise: Enabled

Lending: Not Enabled

Enhanced Typesetting: Not Enabled

Best Sellers Rank: #110,943 Paid in Kindle Store (See Top 100 Paid in Kindle Store) #6 in Books > History > Americas > South America > Colombia #15 in Kindle Store > Kindle eBooks > History > Americas > Latin America > South America #170 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Social Sciences > Human Geography

## Customer Reviews

A great resource for learning about Colombia and provides a solid historical background for the ongoing conflicts that the country faces. This book was a required text for the contextual theology in Colombia course offered at Earlham School of Religion.

Excellent book. Well-written and comprehensive.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Colombia: A Concise Contemporary History De Los Maras a Los Zetas. De Colombia a Chicago: Los Secretos Del Narcotr fico De Colombia a Chicago (Best Seller (Debolsillo)) (Spanish Edition) Las Guerrillas del Llano: Una visi n de la violencia en Colombia (1948-1953) (Actores de la Violencia en Colombia) (Spanish Edition) Concise Guide to Child and Adolescent Psychiatry (CONCISE GUIDES) (Concise Guides (American Psychiatric Press)) A Concise History of the Caribbean (Cambridge Concise Histories) A Concise History of Bolivia (Cambridge Concise Histories) A Concise History of Australia (Cambridge Concise Histories) A Concise History of Sweden (Cambridge Concise Histories) Concise Guide to Child and Adolescent Psychiatry [CONCISE GT CHILD & ADOLESCENCE-4E] [Paperback] Principles of Remedies Law (Concise Hornbook Series) (Concise Hornbook) Concise Rules of APA Style (Concise Rules of the American Psychological Association (APA) Style) History: Human History in 50 Events: From Ancient Civilizations to Modern Times (World History, History Books, People History) (History in 50 Events Series Book 1) History: British History in 50 Events: From First Immigration to Modern Empire (English History, History Books, British History Textbook) (History in 50 Events Series Book 11) Between Legitimacy and Violence: A History of Colombia, 1875 2002 (Latin America in Translation) History of Modern Latin America: 1800 to the Present (Wiley Blackwell Concise History of the Modern World) A Concise History of Hong Kong (Critical Issues in World and International History) Magic and Superstition in Europe: A Concise History from Antiquity to the Present (Critical Issues in World and International History) The Food and Cooking of Colombia & Venezuela: Traditions, ingredients, tastes, techniques, 65 classic recipes Gold and Power in Ancient Costa Rica, Panama, and Colombia (Dumbarton Oaks Pre-Columbian Conference Proceedings) Our Guerrillas, Our Sidewalks: A Journey into the Violence of Colombia

[Dmca](#)