Cultural anthropology is a fascinating and important discipline, but it is not and never has been purely academic. Even in the 1800s, early anthropologist E. B. Tylor regarded the profession as a policy. This short book will aid you to learn how cultural anthropologists think and what we have discovered, as well as to ponder how cultural anthropology can be useful in your own personal and professional interactions.


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4. Cultural anthropology aims to know each particular culture or way of life in its entirety. Following from the seminal work of Boas and Malinowski, cultural anthropologists realize that each culture is an integrated whole, not static by any means and not always completely.