
The Way of a Naturalist

This delightful volume combines the best characteristics of an interesting book of travel, an authentic natural history guide, and an intimate and charming autobiography. The animal life and the people of the South Pacific, the Dutch East Indies, Latin America, Africa and other far-flung places unfold in a succession of amusing and whimsical anecdotes. The inner workings of a great museum are told in a way that is seldom vouchsafed the public. Many of the great biologists of the recent past are portrayed vividly by Dr. Barbour, whose pen moves with amazing facility from people to places, from museums to caves, from meals to scientific language.

—*L. H. Snyder.*

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