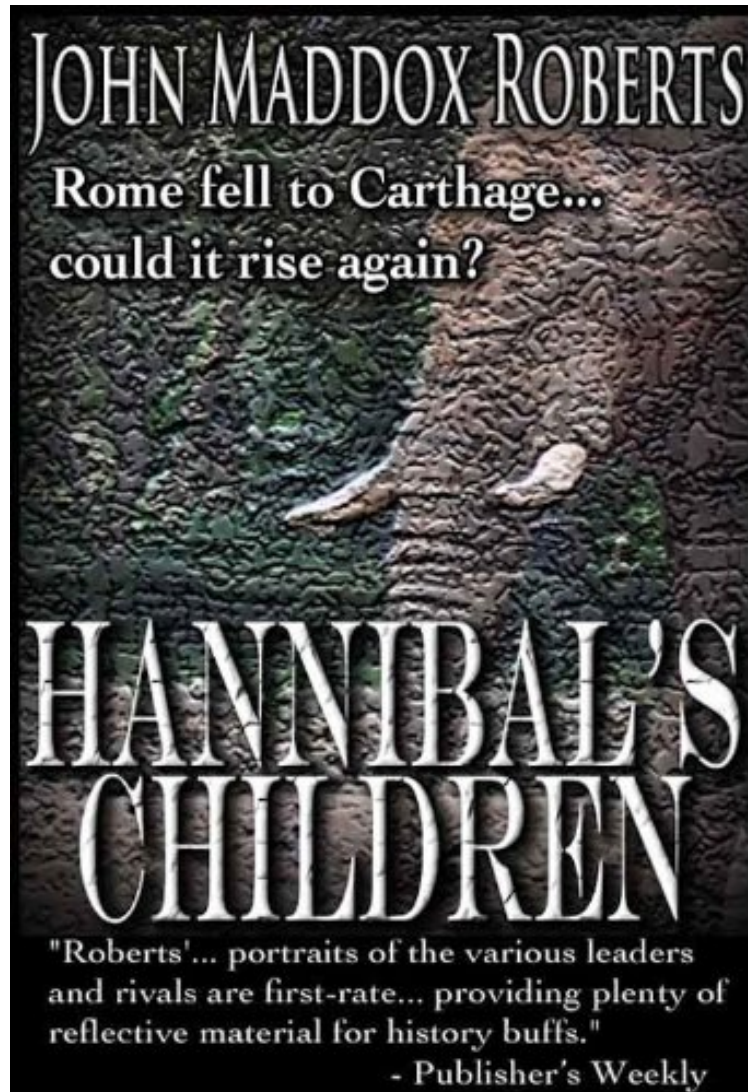


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen6 von 7 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Alternative History nearly at its best!Von Ein KundeJohn Maddox Roberts writes alternative history of high quality, presumably because he can use his previous experience in the setting (republican Rome). I only give this novel 4 sars

because of the Archimedean Schools way too modern tech. Mind, even though the tech is sometimes way too modern, the story doesn't slide into Fantasy. Another factor is that this novel has clear cut historical models for the characters, though some historical models are divided up between several novelized characters. Though it is all in all a very well written alternative history novel and I recommend it too every fan of the genre and of course to every SPQR fan. 1 von 5 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. robert.becker Von robert.becker Product well used - as expected. Priced reasonably. Shipping time-frame not met. Late delivery. Good reaction to complaint (friendly and polite). Will order anytime again.

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