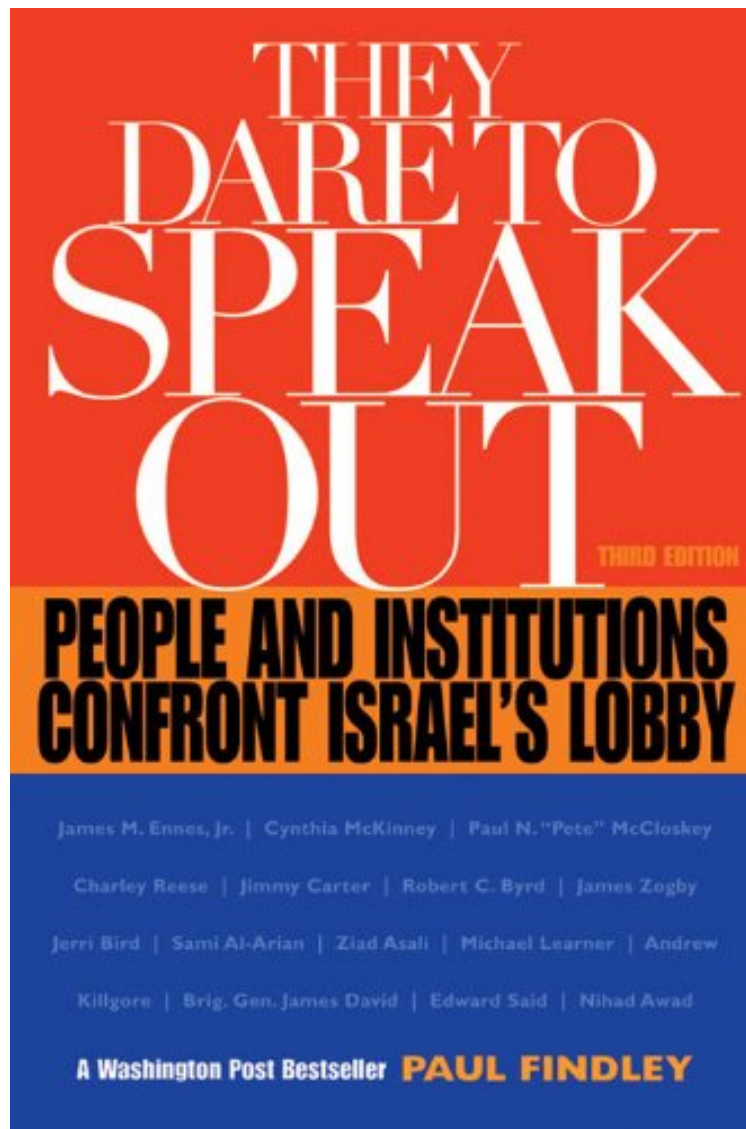


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen4 von 4 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Excellent Anti-revisionist accountVon Ein KundeExcellent novel... Very objective account.. No way possible can this

be a propaganda account. Findley warned about people who place the label of "Anti-Semitic" to those who QUESTION the hypocritical U.S. foreign policies towards Israel. Just simply questioning and raising awareness can lead to the destruction of one's professional and personal reputations with the label of 'anti-semitic' and 'nazi sympathizer' placed on them. This can be seen by the review below by the guy from Long Island, NY... Anyways, if u really want an excellent objective analyzation of how Israel has the US by the throat, please check out this book...By the way, only reason i gave this book 4 stars and not 5 is that usually people don't read the 5 star reviews..3 von 3 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. I found this book to be highly informative and objective.Von Srinidhi AnantharamiahI feel that this book is a must read for all Americans interested in U.S. - Middle East relations and the challenges to formulating a more balanced and just policies. Paul Findley, an Illinois Congressman for 22 years, examines the role of pro-Israel special interest groups in heavily influencing public officials and policy makers into making biased and counterproductive decisions impacting our relationship with the countries of an important region of the world. Findley has carefully researched and examined the extent of pro-Israel lobbying in this nation. While he defends the rights of American citizens to support causes they feel a moral obligation to, he argues eloquently that the interests of another country should never be placed above the interests of the United States.I highly recommend this book to anyone interested in understanding the importance of having balanced foreign policies, particularly at a time when the United States is trying to serve as an honest broker to resolving conflicts in the Middle East and elsewhere. It was educational and a real eye opener to me, a seeker of truth and objectivity.3 von 3 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A compelling book telling a story from an insider's viewVon Omar N. FarooqMr. Findley has done a wonderful job of revealing the level of organization and unity of the Zionist movement within the American Jewry. Although the qualities exhibited by those supporting AIPAC and other pro Israeli lobbies is commendable. The book systematically shows how such lobbies have leveraged their financial and media resources to out-manuever the American general public and legislators, while the rest of the nation is blissfully unaware of where their tax money is going. I would most strongly recommend this book to anyone wanting to understand the US and its inextricable ties to the Middle East in contemporary terms. The book also shows how the strength of the pro-Israeli lobby, combined with the historical persecution of Jews has practically eliminated the possibility of anyone openly criticizing activities of pro-Israeli groups for fear of being branded as an anti-Semite.

KurzbeschreibungThe first book to speak out against the pervasive influence of the American-Israeli Public Affairs Committee (AIPAC) on American politics, policy, and institutions resonates today as never before. With careful documentation and specific case histories, former congressman Paul Findley demonstrates how the Israel lobby helps to shape important aspects of U.S. foreign policy and influences congressional, senatorial, and even presidential elections. Described are the undue influence AIPAC exerts in the Senate and the House and the pressure AIPAC brings to bear on university professors and journalists who seem too sympathetic to Arab and Islamic states and too critical of Israel and its policies. Along with many longtime outspoken critics, new voices speaking out include former President Jimmy Carter, U.S. Representative Cynthia McKinney, Senator Robert Byrd, prominent Arab-American Dr. Ziad Asali, Rabbi Michael Lerner, and journalist Charles Reese. In addition, the lack of open debate among politicians with regard to the U.S. policy in the Middle East is lamented, and AIPAC is blamed in part for this censorship. Connections are drawn between Americas unconditional support of Israel and the raging anti-American passions around the worldand ultimately the tragic events of 9/11. This replaces 1556520735.