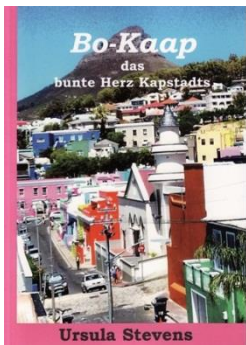




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BO-KAAP, das bunte Herz Kapstadts

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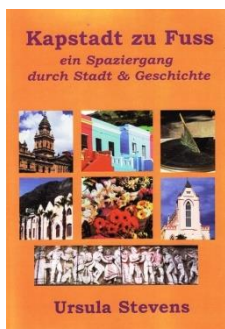
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Bo-Kaap, what is it? The name, to some, conjures up an image of a district of Cape Town with colourful houses, eastern cooking and music, though, there is far more to Bo-Kaap, and this book helps to explore this.

Firstly, who lives here today? Its earliest residents in the latter days of the 17th century were European tradesmen who could ill afford houses in the town centre; later, some of these properties were purchased by Muslims which explains the present day, predominantly Muslim population whose ancestors came, mostly, from the east. The book explores the intolerant attitude of the Dutch authorities towards Islam which took root at the Cape through banishment and slavery. With the advent of their religious freedom, mosques were built and the book explains and describes their history, as well as the turbulent history of the Muslim burial ground, the differences or divisions within the Muslim faith which helped shape the people of Bo-Kaap.

The reader enjoys an exploratory walk through the architecturally fascinating Bo-Kaap, learns about Muslim customs, religious schools, the meaning of a mosque, the Islamic calendar and even some basic greetings through the glossary.



KAPSTADT ZU FUSS, ein Spaziergang durch Stadt & Geschichte

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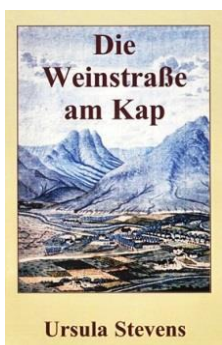
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Seven separately described routes guide the reader through the inner city, the historic Company's Garden and colourful Bo-Kaap. The focus is on the city's growth and its cultural diversity. An outline of the early history of the Cape to the end of the 19th century is included.



DIE WEINSTRASSE AM KAP Author: Ursula Stevens - published 2009

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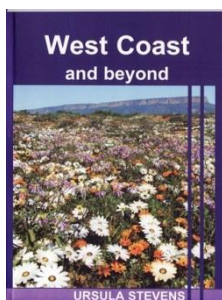
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This is the story of Stellenbosch, Somerset West, Franschhoek, Paarl, Wellington and Tulbagh, which developed from lonely outposts of the Dutch East India Company into thriving communities. Remote but fertile valleys attracted adventurous settlers who tamed the seemingly indomitable area. The book outlines architectural features, traces the growth of Afrikaans and education, shows how religion and politics influenced development, and, what the arrival of the Huguenots meant to the growth of these communities, the centres of the oldest wine route in the country.



WEST COAST and beyond Author: Ursula Stevens

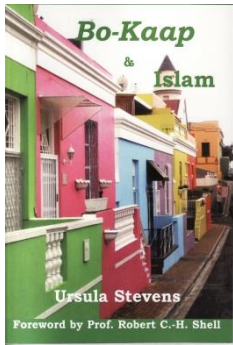
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The reader embarks on an incredible journey to the West Coast and the land beyond. Mamre, Darling, Langebaan and its lagoon, Saldanha, Hopefield, Paternoster, Aurora, St. Helena Bay, Elandsbaai, Leipoldville, Graafwater, Lamberts Bay, Lutzville, Vanrhynsdorp, Calvinia, Upington, Springbok – each town tells its own fascinating story. Magnificent countryside, vineyards, wheat fields, spring-flower carpets, jagged mountains, tranquil rivers and lagoons keep him enthralled on the journey north. The fate and fortune of explorers, steadfast missionaries, gamblers, adventurers, politicians and soldiers are brought to life.

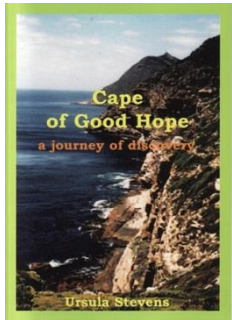


BO-KAAP & ISLAM, author Ursula Stevens 1st edition 2014

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Foreword by Prof. Robert Shell
ISBN: 978 0958495196
Cover: Paperback, gloss, full colour
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The book is not about the colourful houses but aims to achieve a greater understanding of the history of Bo-Kaap, and to discover how Islam and the first mosques helped to shape the community. Following an exploratory walk from the city centre to Bo-Kaap, the reader is introduced to architectural features and in subsequent chapters to the basic tenets of Islam; the function of a mosque, the meaning of Sunni, Shafee and Sufism and the role played by the religious schools. The similarities

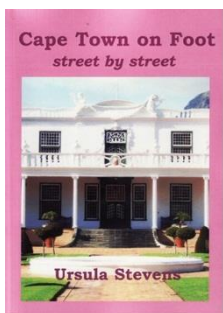
between the three Abrahamic religions, Judaism, Christianity, and Islam are highlighted. The arrival and consolidation of the faith in the Cape are fully explained as well as the early history of the suburb's several mosques. The book concludes with chapter on customs, the Muslim calendar, a glossary, and basic greetings.



The Cape of Good Hope, a *journey of discovery*

Author: Ursula Stevens, 2nd edition, 5th impression 2018
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Cover: Paperback, colour
Pages 136, with illustrations and colour photos,
Recommended Retail Price: R 250.00

The reader travels along the eastern and western coastlines of the spectacularly scenic Cape Peninsula. The book outlines history and culture, narrates legends and stories, highlights the area's natural beauty, and gives a full description of most of the hiking trails in the Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve.



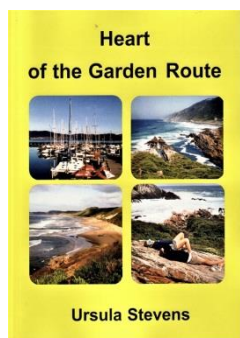
CAPE TOWN ON FOOT, *street by street* Author: Ursula Stevens

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Pages: 172, full colour, with street map, format A5
Recommended Retail Price: R 250.00

In this latest edition of *Cape Town on Foot* the reader is given a choice to explore the city in eight individual walks through the city centre, Company's Garden and Bo-Kaap.

Additional chapters outline the history of the Cape from the early days of settlement to the start of the Great Trek in the 1830s. A brief glossary explains architectural terms and the Notes provide

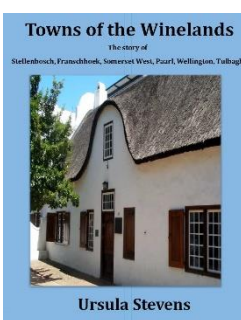
supplementary information on some of the important personalities that contributed to the growth of Cape Town.



HEART OF THE GARDEN ROUTE Author: Ursula Stevens

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Recommended Retail Price: R 250.00

The journey to the 'Heart of the Garden Route' begins at the coastal town of Mossel Bay, a perfect gateway to the exploration of this popular area. The town lies halfway between Cape Town and Port Elizabeth, renamed Gqeberha, an isiXhosa name for Walmer Township, one of the first and oldest townships of Port Elizabeth. The book retraces the fascinating history of the coastal towns, their people and ends with a description of the Otter Trail.



Towns of the Winelands

Author: Ursula Stevens
ISBN: 978-0-6397-6620-1
Cover: Paperback, colour
Pages: 147, photos and sketches
Rec. Retail price: R 250.00

The book tells the story of the towns of the Winelands to keep knowledge of the past alive. Man over time has left indelible marks upon the land; he brought his saw, mortar, and bricks - but also his energy, love, and creativity. The reader accompanies the men and women who long ago ventured out to tame this land where today natural splendour, quaint thatched-roofed houses, and magnificent estates stand side by side with drab buildings or impoverished communities.