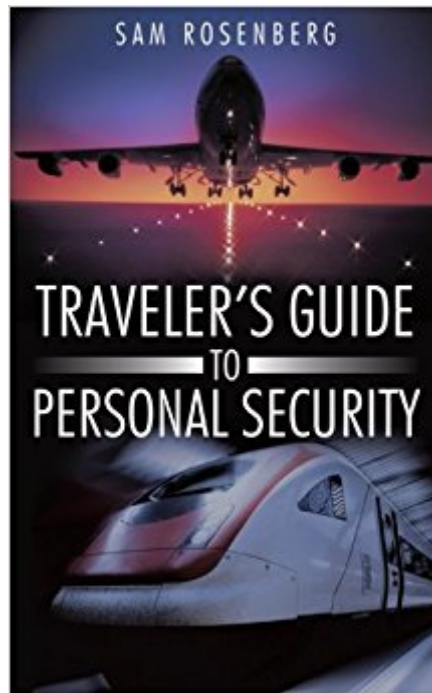




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Traveler's Guide To Personal Security



Synopsis

It's good to have a lifeguard, but it's better to know how to swim. Most of us can still remember a time when the most a traveler had to worry about was communicating with the cab driver or knowing when and whom to tip. Sadly, that age of innocence is long past. The globalization of crime and terrorism didn't begin, of course, with 9/11, but there's no question that the risks and uncertainties of travel-and all areas of personal security-loom far larger in its wake. Not only are longer lines at airport security a fact of life for most travelers, but we also experience greater anxiety about the people we encounter and the situations in which we find ourselves. The main goal of this guide is to replace this anxiety-much of which is likely unfounded-with a realistic understanding of what people and situations are (and are not) likely to pose a risk to your security and well being while traveling domestically or abroad. In its pages, you'll find most of the common situations in which you may be placed at risk and learn how to spot the warning signals of an impending attack or crime, and more importantly- what to do about it

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Western District, and director of CSI Global Protective Services. CSI provides a full range of investigative and risk management services for a worldwide clientele, including many Fortune 500 companies. Mr. Rosenberg, a former US Marine Corps officer, has written widely on the management of interpersonal aggression and his views are routinely sought by the news media.

Most people simply get on the airplane in one place, get off the airplane in another, and don't think about the realities of traveling to an unfamiliar place in the context of the modern world. Rosenberg brings his experience and expertise to explain the ABC's of travel security in his timely (and timeless) primer. Highly Recommended.

Being a former Marine and combat vet, I am always kind of leery as to the content of security books - I have read so many that are completely impractical for the every-day traveler and business person. This one was completely different. Sam Rosenberg put this informative book together perfectly. It gives you an awesome "insiders view" to the processing of the brain, how "bad guys" target their victims, and practical know-how on how to avoid becoming a victim. After reading my copy and making notes in all the margins, I had to buy a few more for my other family members who travel domestically and abroad. Best \$10 you can spend!!!

A great, easy to read overview of personal security that helps the reader understand what to do, both mentally and physically, to help keep them from becoming a victim. Starting with the basics of situational awareness and moving through to specific advice on how to keep yourself safe in unfamiliar situations, Rosenberg offers simple strategies that can be as useful to those staying close to home as they are to people traveling abroad.

This book is very easy to read and packed with excellent advice for the traveler. It is the most valuable travel security guide I've seen. As a security professional focused on travel issues, I'll be recommending this as a resource to all my clients.

I think this is an important book for any travelers to read. We all need to be more aware of our surroundings in our busy lives. I do wish the book covered more on packages received and that page 69 had clearer print to read usps warning signs. There are many good common sense guidelines.

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