

When most people hear of Overseas Aid perhaps the first images that spring to mind are those of countries in poverty and despair. Likewise, to hear the words Middle East might also conjure up thoughts of chaos, destruction and political unrest. But for the intrepid soul, the ardent traveller - they evoke thoughts of exploration, adventure, opportunity and work. George, a successful engineer, shares his experience of life as an expat working in several such countries, broadly speaking in the Middle East, following the end of World War II. Informative and witty, his tale is streaked with danger while he works on projects to improve the lives of those living through turbulent times. Replete with anecdotal humour and pithy observations, George skilfully evokes the sights, sounds, smells and colours of that uncertain part of the world and brings it to life for the reader. In areas where poverty is rife, George reveals the amazing and inspiring strength of spirit of both locals and the expats living amongst them. Prepare to be transported to another time, another place, another world!

“After WW2 and the subsequent end of the colonial period it was clear that the emerging independent countries would need assistance both technically and financially in their development. Western governments set up agencies for the purpose and, internationally, organisations such as the World Bank and the Asian Development Bank were created. Projects were identified and consultants hired for feasibility studies, design and the supervision of construction. Many of us who were involved will recognise the anecdotes in this book and, indeed, we could add some of our own had we the wit and industry of the author.” Roy Stoner, FICE, Emeritus Professor of Civil Engineering, Southampton University.

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Life threw a curveball at me, when I was offered the chance to spend three months living and working with other expats in the Middle East.

Marjory Woodfield shares her experience as a Kiwi woman living in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. What inspired your move, and how long have you. After seven years in the Middle East, Becky Lucas moved back to London “ and experienced some surprising bumps in the road along the way. expat tales from the middle east. 1 2 3 4 5. Published April 15, Author ackers, godfrey. Delivery Time 10 - 15 days. Binding Paperback. Publisher.

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