NEW BOOK MAKES LEARNING FOREIGN LANGUAGES FUN, EASY AND AFFORDABLE

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Do you wish you could speak a foreign language as if it were your own?

There is hope for those struggling to learn a new language and improve their accents while having fun at the same time.

<u>Language is Music</u>, by Soviet-born <u>Susanna Zaraysky</u>, shows how she learned English, Russian, French, Spanish, Italian, Portuguese, and Serbo-Croatian with perfect or almost perfect accents using music, TV, films, radio and free and low-cost resources.

Written in easy-to-understand English, *Language is Music* provides over 70 simple tips and 90 free or low-cost Internet resources to use for things you already do, such as listening to music, watching TV, and surfing the Web. You can experience the joy of "fluency" in any language without having to study abroad or spend money on private tutors.

Zaraysky explains the problems that exist in standard foreign language education methodology: "Traditional language lessons are better suited as remedies for insomnia rather than as effective learning strategies! People don't fail at languages because they are bad students, but rather because they are studying in a boring and ineffective way. Language instructors teach us to memorize words, rules and conjugation tables. I recall that while working as a high school ESL teacher, my students responded to their vocabulary and pronunciation lessons quite well when singing tunes from the Beatles, Frank Sinatra and other contemporary musicians. We must taste and experience a language to truly learn it."

The author has what you might call "an ear" for languages. She studied ten languages and used music to successfully learn seven. Born with a sight disability, she developed a hypersensitivity to sound and learned to listen to language as she would music, easily internalizing melodies and structures. Complimenting her grammar lessons, she made languages come alive by listening to music, radio programs and by watching television and movies in foreign languages.

"Learning foreign languages is like learning to sing a song or play music. I am sharing my tools because I want more people to be multi-lingual and to help them realize how much fun it can be to learn a new tongue" explains Zaraysky.

Language is Music is published as part of the Create Your World book series along *with* <u>*Travel Happy, Budget Low*</u>, a guidebook for traveling the world on a small budget. The books are available on Zaraysky's website, Amazon and in bookstores. The Spanish language version of *Language is Music* will be published in Spring 2010.

Susanna Zaraysky grew up in California, lived in nine countries and has traveled to over 50. She is passionate about sharing her experience and belief that one's economic status or past language experience does not matter. Anyone can train to become multi-lingual and enjoy the wonder of seeing and truly experiencing the magnificent world we live in.

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