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Synopsis

This expanded and updated third edition has new sections, and many revisions. This is the only general, comprehensive history of Abaco, Bahamas available; it covers from the geologic formation of the Bahama Banks to the middle 1990s. It is easy and interesting to read and reads more like a novel than a history text. Cover art by Randy Curry,; illustrations by Laurie Jones. 112 illustrations, photographs, and maps. Appendix on boat building in Abaco.

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Very interesting history, enjoyed reading

So very much enjoyed this historical recorded events; as a native son of Abaco, it was too short, a

great read!

A quaint history of a small place.

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