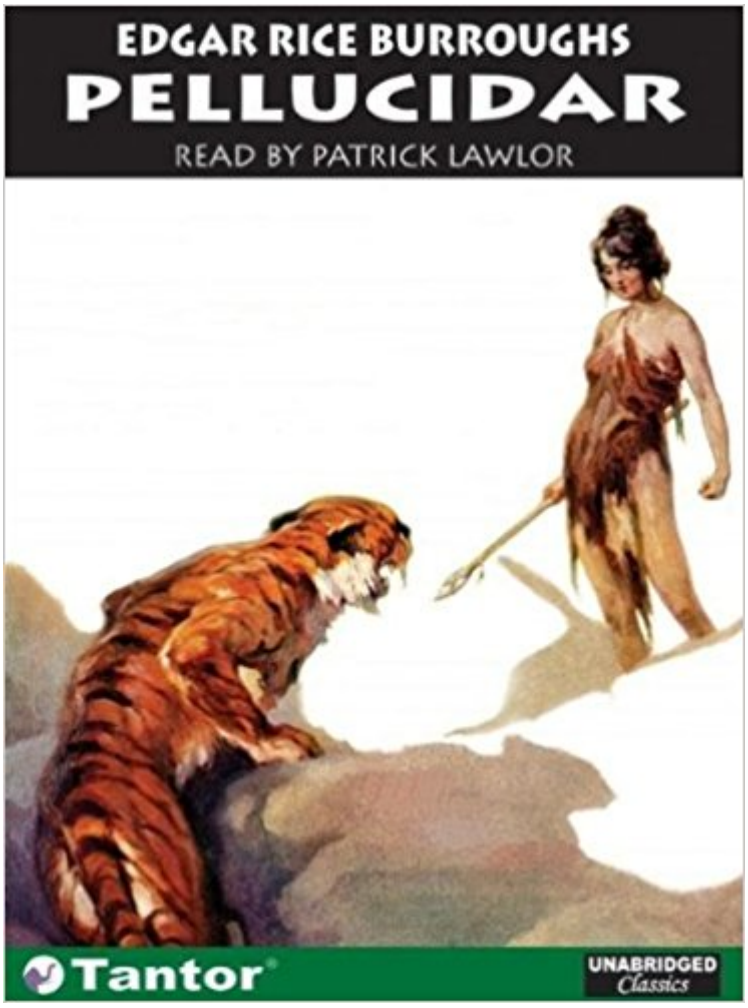
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Synopsis

In this sequel to At the Earth’s Core, David Innes vows revenge and returns to the Inner World of Pellucidar to rescue the beautiful Dian, who had been torn from his arms by trickery. However, his return trip places him far from the land of his beloved and he is forced to undertake a desperate journey thousands of miles across the fierce inner earth to reach her.

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For the time, Burroughs wrote well. His stories were great for me as a kid and I bought them now for my grandkids. Much of the language and "atmosphere" is out-dated now, but the concepts and fantasy worlds are great.

Pellucidar is a sequel to "At the Earth's Core", so if you don't read that first, it will may be harder to appreciate Pellucidar. As one who did read the first book, I can only imagine that if I had not, I would have enjoyed Pellucidar a bit less. In any case, they are both easy, fun reads that never bore. They are not very long, which makes them easier to start and finish than a typical Tarzan. Burroughs' At the Earth's Core stories are also different in that they are told in the first person. In any case, you can't beat free, so I suggest starting with At the Earth's Core and moving on to Pellucidar if you like the first book. Light Kindle fiction.

...It is one of the peculiarities of life within Pellucidar that man is more often the hunted than the hunter." Classic science fiction from a master that I'm finding to be practically timeless making it a fine pick up and I do recommend!

If you know Burroughs' work, you know what to expect. If not, I'm not sure how to describe it!Not as good as the first book in the series, though.

Sitting down with one of these "old " ERB books is like spending an afternoon with an old friend. This is one of the books that I read as a pre-teen, I am now in my seventies. I enjoyed them then, and they are still just as enjoyable, if you keep in mind the time and world in which they were written. There is a quality in the writing that might escape some readers. ERB, through his characters, displays a self deprecating sense of self assurrance. His characters often say things like," I was not" the best of this or that, but I put every ounce of skill or training or whatever it took to meet the situation at hand to accomplish a task. His characters establish friendships and are loyal to friends and family to the point of self denial and loss of self satisfaction, qualities which might not be understood these days.I also like the book just for it's sense of escape and adventure.

This is a classic of pulp fantasy and that is what you get when you buy it. It is not the finest writing and the story is pretty much the same as what you will find in nearly any of the ERB stories like this (Barsoom, Tarzan, etc.) So if you like that kind of story, you will like this book.I read this because it was a classic and I thoroughly enjoyed it. Just remember that it was written in a different time and place and that the social attitudes (especially those towards women) are the product of their time. On the whole this was a fun (and quick) read. If you liked other books by Burroughs you will like this one and its sequels.

I really like it.

This is one of Burroughs' book in the Pellucidar series. The series involves the exploration of a land mass formed when the earth cooled. This formed a shell as Earth's center core continued to shrink and separated from the shell. We live on the outside. Other people live on the inner surface of the shell. That land area is Pellucidar.There are seven books, I believe. in the series. Go to Australia's Gutenberg to get them all.They all form a continuing flow as the current book takes up some unresolved condition in a previous book. And, then leaves something for the next book to hook onto.Does this Burroughs fella know how to keep a pot boiling and then bring 'em back for the next one? You bet!

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