



## Survivors of Collapse: The Victory of the Citizens on the Soviet Union (Paperback)

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Outskirts Press, United States, 2012. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.On the 19th of January, 1990, after Soviet troops slaughter the citizens of Azerbaijan, the people can no longer be part of the Soviet Union. Having lost their father in the massacre, Attila and his brother Ruslan burn their Pioneer scarves to celebrate their victory over their cruel Soviet schoolteacher, an act of protest against the brutal Soviet regime. After Azerbaijan declares independence from the Soviet Union, the chaos falls hardest upon the weakest layer of society, including Attila and his family. Conflict with a neighboring Soviet country brings war, banks freeze citizens assets, anarchy and unemployment run rampant, and shortages of food and medical supplies all cause suffering and death among the citizens of Baku, despite the fact that the city sits on a wealth of oil. Attila and Ruslan s mother, Sabina, is stretched to the limit of endurance trying to feed and care for her two sons after her husband dies, as well as taking in the orphaned baby daughter of their neighbor. Sabina is forced to make difficult choices between her own health and that of her older...



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