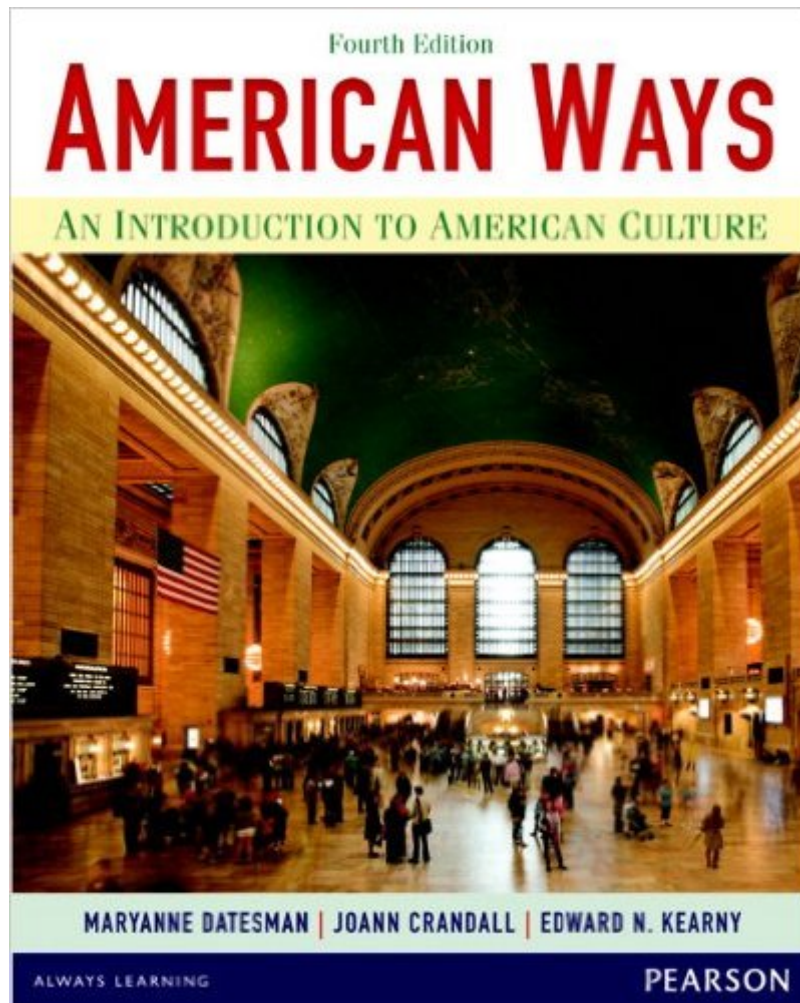


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This text is a good one for both individual study or classroom use. The authors have presented many topics of interest, using facts, figures, and tracing different cultural traditions and American lifestyle choices through their changes up to the present day.

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