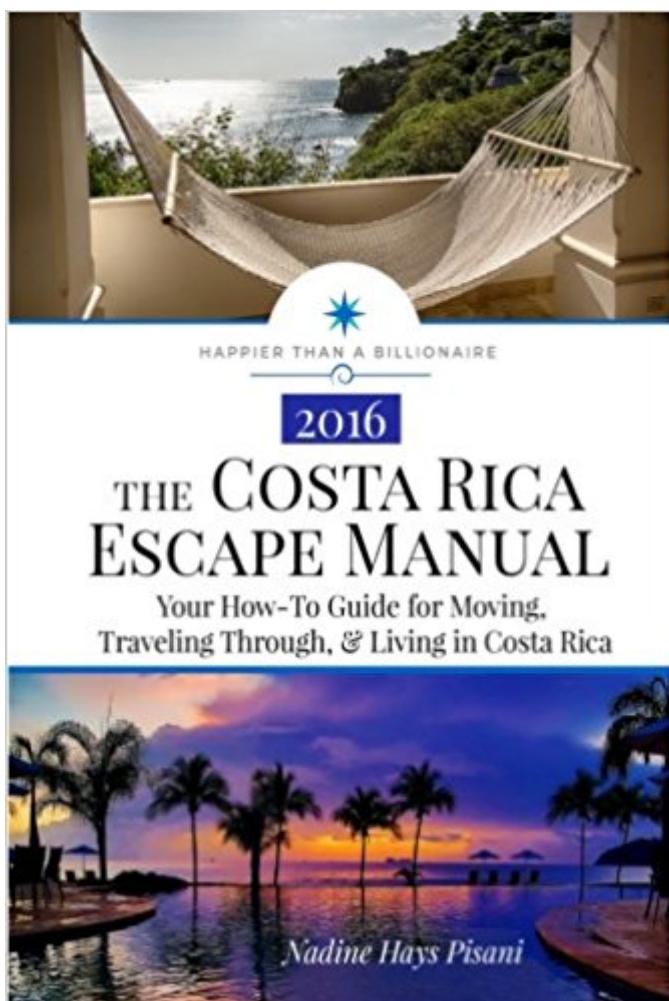


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The Costa Rica Escape Manual: Your How-To Guide On Moving, Traveling Through, & Living In Costa Rica (Happier Than A Billionaire) (Volume 4)





Synopsis

2016 Edition The Costa Rica Escape Manual is your guide for moving, traveling through, & living in Costa Rica. New chapters cover the logistics of starting a business, with examples of successful business owners and how they got started. Other topics include information on how to travel for less using buses, staying in hostels, and eating at sodas. Things change quickly in Costa Rica, and there is updated information throughout the new edition. In this perfect blend of information and entertainment, Nadine Hays Pisani answers all of your questions in her patented comedic style. She introduces you to her colorful cast of characters as you laugh your way through reading about how to obtain residency, avoid crime, get a driver's license, meet a trustworthy attorney, find quality healthcare, choose an area that is right for you, and much much more. Nadine interviews friends and experts on a wide variety of topics that are sure to be of interest to any aspiring expatriate. You'll never have so much fun while learning the steps it takes to move or travel to one of the happiest countries on earth.

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Customer Reviews

Nadine was born in Elizabeth New Jersey and attended Rutgers University. She lives in Costa Rica with her husband and dog, Clementine. When not writing, you can find her at the beach, on the back of a scooter, or frantically tossing scorpions out of her bed. She shares her weekly adventures at www.happierthanabillionaire.com and www.facebook.com/happierthanabillionaire

I, too, am moving to Costa Rica --- house just got built - high up in the mountains in a little Costa

Rican community. As I began this book, I laughed so hard my stomach hurt. I really thought I was the only one with these issues, the biggest one is Tico Time. Her experiences are 100% like mine. I am now on book #3. This book, and the next I will use as a follow-up book for me to maneuver around the process. I have been going to CR for the past 15 years. Thanks Nadine and Rob for sharing your knowledge and laughter of your wonderful experience.

When people buy Nadine's other books and expect to get hard-core information on how they, themselves, can escape-- but realize they've actually bought a wonderful book full of misadventures and anecdotes, this is the book they actually wanted. While it still includes funny stories, this book really gets down to brass tacks. If you've had fun with her previous books (as I did) and you've committed to "escaping," this is a great book to reference. At its price point, it's a no-brainer. Best of all, you can have Alexa (the device) read it aloud to you while you relax-- a perfect solution for bleary-eyed people like myself!

This book is not as funny as the *Happier than a Billionaire* books but if you are considering a visit to Costa Rica, you need this book. It is informative and Nadine Pasani provides useful pointers and the contact information for every service and place that she discusses in the book.

We discovered Nadine Hays five years ago as we were preparing to move to Costa Rica. Enjoyed her book "Happier than a Billionaire" so much we bought a bunch of copies and sent them to our relatives and close friends. The Escape Manual has tons of useful information for anyone making the move or just coming for vacation. She has some information that I have not seen elsewhere. I really connect with her humor and just die laughing when reading what she writes. We have now lived here for five years and truly enjoy it.

I like Nadine's conversational style. It's down to earth and full of fun. Kinda silly at times like Lucy and Ricky. It's not a hard informational guide to Costa Rica like *Eye Witness* or *Lonely Planet*. But it was never going to be. She delivers the zeitgeist, the feeling of the country. Any ambiguity in the narrative mirrors the lack of definitive answers in Latin America perfectly. This is what people experience going down there. The Most Important Aspect of the Book: it makes me believe I can make the move. This kind of thing is accessible to regular people. Nadine's book reinforces that.

These books will be my all time favorites, about my all time favorite spot. If you have been to costa Rica, read these, if you have not been, read these. You will not be disappointed. Very enjoyable, Laugh out loud, and informative.

Funny and informative. I have the kindle edition but just had to buy the hard copy to use as a reference guide. We even found a driver from from Nadine's book and he'll be driving us around the country. Nadine and Rob's adventure has inspired us to make our 1st trip to Costa Rica. Can't wait to meet them since we will be staying at their new B & B for a few days this August! Pura Vida!

Enjoyed your book so much. My dream is to one day live the good life in Costa Rica! Have visited four times already and fell in love. You provided lots of useful tips and information all while entertaining me with your stories. Pura Vida!!!

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