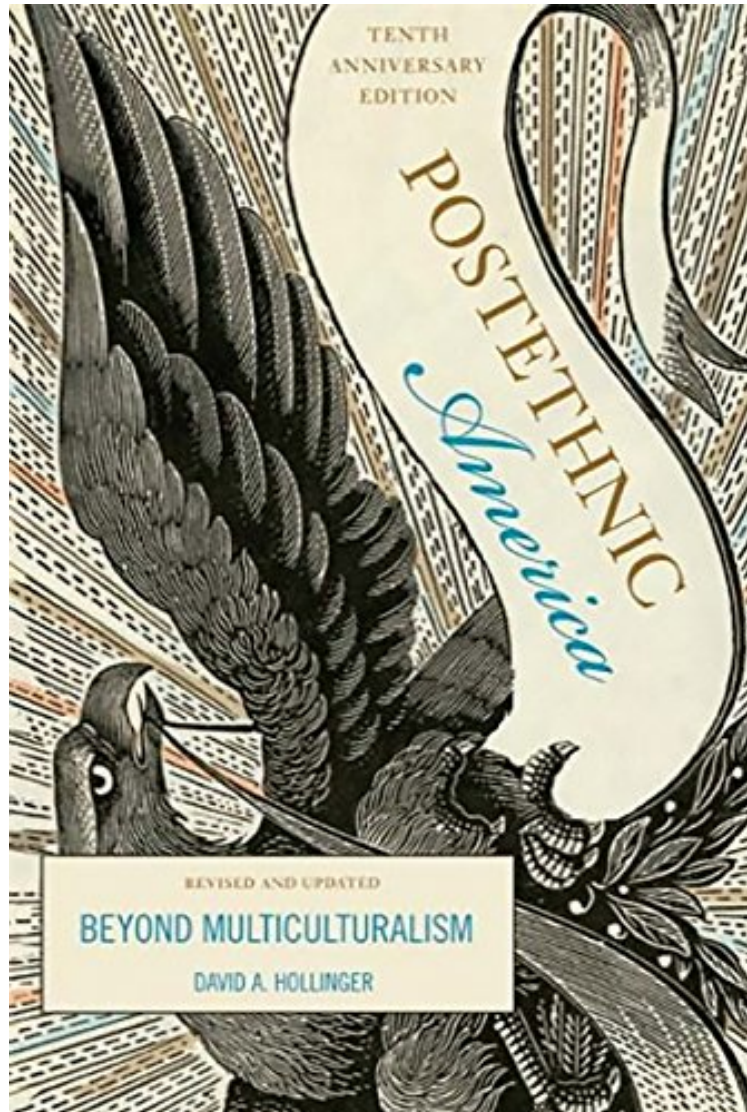


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pages long, while the Postscript 2000 version is 264 pages. I bought my copy from a seller other than , so I'm hopeful that is selling the latest version.4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. Nice Revitalization of CosmopolitanismBy Teddy HesterI found Hollinger's book to contain many pithy clarifications of the behemoth of confusion we generally call multiculturalism, including its "foster[ing] of sensitivity to diversity so acute that it has become too diverse for the ethno-racial pentagon to contain." Yes, Hollinger is an historian rather than a psychologist or a sociologist, so we get this MC discussion from that viewpoint, which I found enlightening. I applaud the way he revitalized the concept of cosmopolitanism from the elitist, smorgasbord, school-boy rap to its more useful orientation toward openness to new social constructs and affiliations, not tied so much to prescribed, racial identities which were designed to highlight some differences at the expense of others. Granted, his four or five chapters of historical background do seem to overshadow the chapter in which he offers his postethnic alternative, but his vision isn't quite the pie-in-the-sky vision some seem to feel it is. Hollinger invites us to think outside the box (or the ethno-racial pentagon, as it were) and envision changes to America's MC dilemmas. This was a well-constructed, quick read, full of lots to think about.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Four StarsBy ElizabethInteresting read.

First published in 1995, *Postethnic America* was widely hailed as a groundbreaking proposal for healing our nation's ethnic divisions. David A. Hollinger, one of America's foremost intellectual historians, argues for replacing the pluralist model of multiculturalism that is based on the idea of group rights with a cosmopolitan model that recognizes the reality of shifting group boundaries and multiple identities. *Postethnic America* is a bracing reminder of America's universalist promise, and a stirring call for a new form of nationalism. In this tenth-anniversary edition, Hollinger has added a new postscript in which he responds to his critics and addresses the contemporary conversation about race, ethnicity, inequality, and nationalism in America.