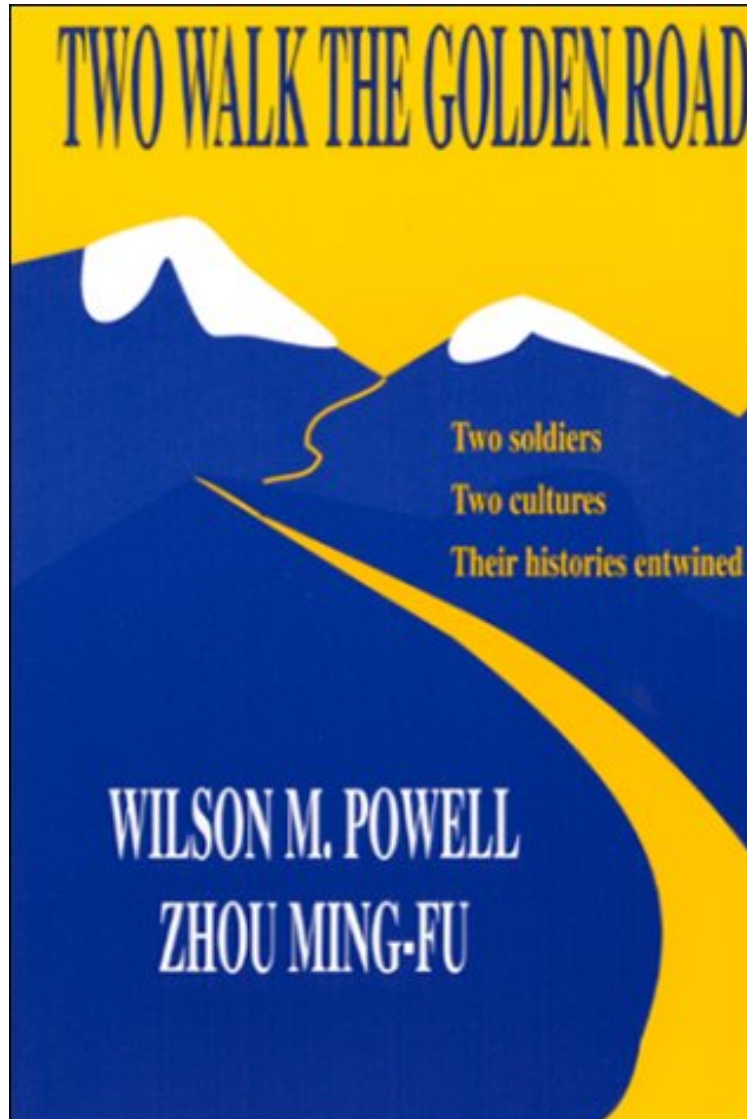


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fought against and, in the process, had come to love them. Imagine the stories he might tell. Imagine too that a man from the other side lived a more-or-less parallel life, only harsher. A teacher in a third world county. And that these two men happened to meet. In "Two Walk the Golden Road," Wilson Powell, a writer, traveler, and anti-war activist, fought in Korea against the Chinese. In the early eighties he traveled to China and met Zhou Ming-Fu. The two men formed a fast friendship, and decided to write a joint memoir. Powell, who shed the privileged life (his father was a physicist with the Manhattan Project) and took up a writer's vagabond life, shows the reader the American landscape and the hell of the Korean War. Ming-Fu describes the hardships of growing up in poverty-torn China, and after the War how he and his family's endured the Cultural Revolution. This book offers three separate stories: those of the individual authors, and that of their friendship. It is a story of love, perseverance, and faith. Reading this book will change you. 1 of 3 people found the following review helpful. Very Touching By A Customer I really enjoyed reading "Two Walk the Golden Road". It is a very touching story that shows how people of diverse cultures and personalities can not only learn to relate to one another but can become close friends. It is a not necessarily a "feel-good" story but it is one that will make you ponder the complexities of relationships between people.

Neither Zhou Ming-fu nor Wilson M. Powell knew, when each trod the barren battlefields of Korea, that their lives would one day be entwined in a remarkable story of compassion, courage and faith. Powell, son of a renowned American physicist and Zhou, son of a Chinese street merchant, came to embrace the vision of a world without war. Their chance meeting, on a moonlit street in Chengdu, began a journey that would overcome their fears and doubts and open wide the door of friendship.

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