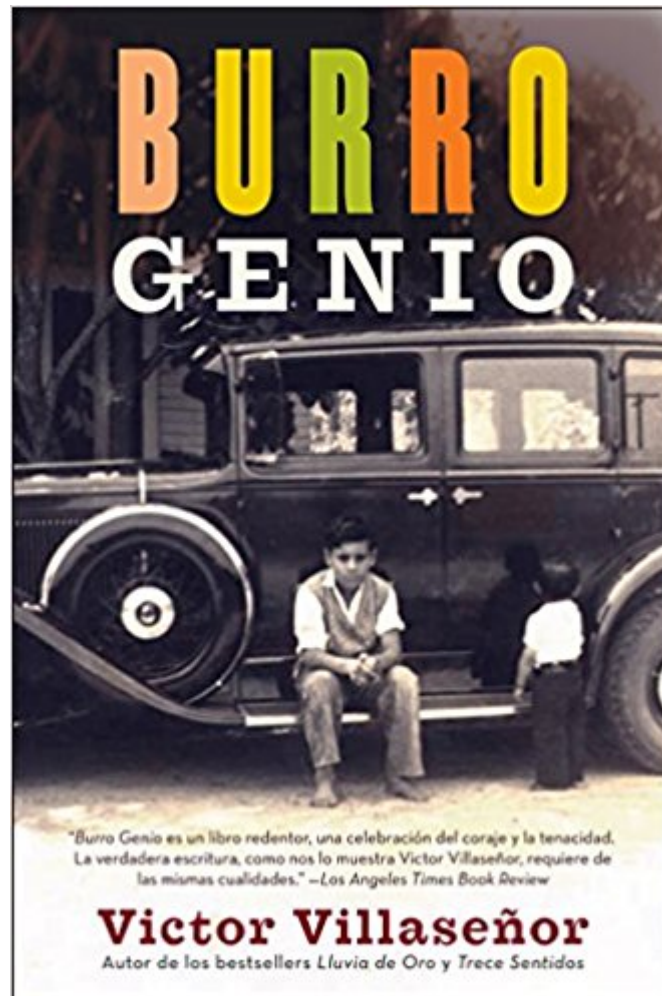


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Synopsis

De pie frente al público, Victor Villaseñor mira al grupo de maestros sentados frente a él, y su mente se llena de recuerdos de infancia llenos de humillación y abuso por parte de sus profesores. Se siente enfurecer. Con el corazón en la mano, comienza a hablar de esos abusos. Y cuando termina, para su gran sorpresa, encuentra a todos los profesores de pie aplaudiéndolo entusiastamente. Muchas de las personas en el público no lograban contener sus lágrimas. Así comienzan las conmovedoras y apasionadas memorias de Victor Villaseñor. A pesar de ser muy talentoso e imaginativo desde muy niño, tuvo que vivir con una dificultad de aprendizaje (no fue sino hasta los 44 años de edad que fue diagnosticado con un caso grave de dislexia), y la frustración de ser latino en una escuela americana en la que solo se hablaba inglés. A pesar de los profesores que lo maltrataban porque no podía hablar inglés, Villaseñor se aferró a su sueño de un día convertirse en escritor. Hoy en día, es considerado uno de los autores más importantes de nuestra era.

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Victor Villaseñor vive en California en el rancho donde fue criado. Es autor de numerosas obras editoriales y aclamadas obras, entre ellas *Lluvia de oro*, *Jurado: La Gente vs. Juan Corona*, y *¡Macho!*. Victor Villaseñor's bestselling, critically acclaimed works, as well as his inspiring lectures, have brought him the honor of many awards. Most recently he was selected as the founding chair of the John Steinbeck Foundation. He lives in Oceanside, California.

A good book. Tells what it was like to be the victim of stereotypes and racism in California schools in the 50's and 60's, and no doubt the 2010's as well. I lived in New Zealand for several years and there are many parallels between the treatment and attitudes toward Maori children in New Zealand, and Mexican children in the USA. There is an excellent documentary on the deep and enduring issue of skin color and identity - Dark Girls - available on Netflix. Colonialism endures in institutions and cultures throughout the world. Xenophobia is a mystery to me but present everywhere. The bane of our planet.

Great, I had similar experience. A little late do anything about it, but it should not be allowed to happen again.

Muy agradable libro, de facil lectura, tierno y lleno de amor por la vida. Tiene un mensaje muy constructivo, felicidades!

As a 1st year teacher and of Mexican descent, this was such a profound and eye-opening read. Loved reading every word.

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