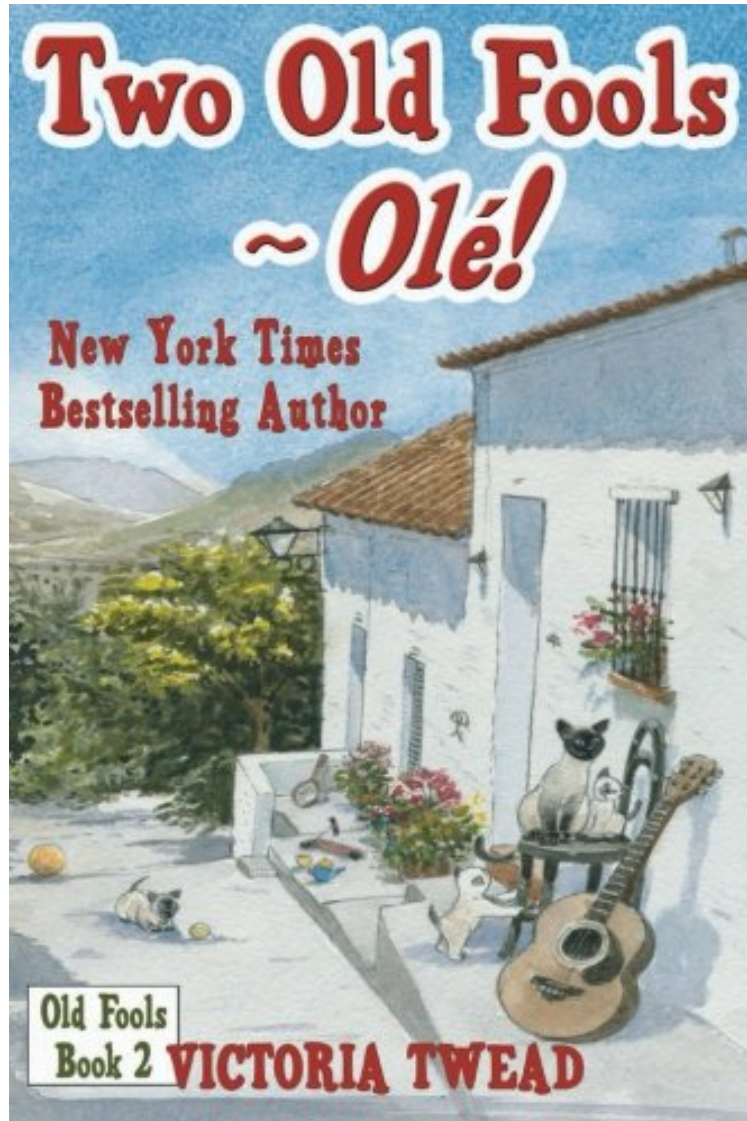


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Victoria Twead : Two Old Fools ~Ole! (Volume 2) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Two Old Fools ~Ole! (Volume 2):

8 of 8 people found the following review helpful. more than a sequelBy PaulaThis book is much more than the continuation of Vicky's and Joe's adventures in Spain but rather an opportunity to fall in love all over again with an amazing cast of characters in a small Spanish village.I really enjoyed getting to "meet" the newest members of the village and even more to find that those I had come to care about (these are real people not fictional characters) were still alive and well even though aging.I am a dog, horse and now alpaca person but through the eyes of this author I

have even come to respect chickens (I was attacked by a goose as a kid and none to fond of birds) and the tenacity and spirit of cats. I had more opportunity to absorb both the Spanish countryside as well everyday life of El Hoyo. I have to admit to some bouts of jealousy at the wonderful home that Joe and Vicky have fashioned out of crumbling walls and centuries old construction. PS...sure am glad lets me edit....I have forgotten to mention that both this book and the original in the series, are also wonderful cookbooks. Having spent a big chunk of my childhood and young adulthood I am a real fan of Spanish cooking. Not only is Spanish cooking very different from Mexican cooking it is also different between regions in Spain. I have already made several of these dishes and they are easy, delicious and a great example of southern Spanish cooking. I look forward to the next book in this series which promises to be quite different as it involves a year in Bahrain and the search for camels....but I fervently hope that the author will again take up pencil and paper and continue this amazing story of life in Spain. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great to Catch-Up with the Two Old Fools! By Serena How nice to see that Victoria and Joe continued to enjoy their quiet life in their sleepy tiny town in Catalonia. Well, sometimes not so quiet because new neighbors with a lot of children move in and an apartment complex is constructed nearby. Life is good with their chickens, feral and not so feral cats, quirky locals, and their rooftop terrace that allows them to spy on neighbors. The Tweads continue to worry about finances and Joe's pension doesn't go as far as they hoped. This leads to a very surprising book ending. It was fun catching-up with the Vicky and Joe and I went right on to the next book in the series. I read this on my Kindle. Most of the problems with this version seem to have been corrected. 12 of 12 people found the following review helpful. Loved it!! By Sally Once again Victoria Twead has enchanted us with a wonderful romp through the life and times of living in the small village of El Hoyo, Spain with her husband Joe. Just like her first book 'Chickens Mules and Two Old Fools' Victoria Twead shares with us funny experiences, beautiful stories, interesting traditions and the trials and tribulations of living in very different country. This time each chapter is laced with relevant photo's, so that you feel that you are there with them during this journey. Like you are part of their lives. I carried this book on the train with me everyday reading on my commute to and from work - often laughing out loud during my travels. It was wonderful to once again touch base with quirky characters from the small village of El Hoyo and also to meet new ones. Thoroughly entertaining. So glad to read at the end of this book that there is more to come in this "Old Fools" series. 5 huge big stars from me.

New York Times bestselling author Book #2 in the Old Fools series. Never believe that life in a tiny Spanish mountain village is predictable. Vicky and Joe have finished fixing up their house and look forward to peaceful days enjoying their retirement. Then the fish van arrives, and instead of delivering fresh fish, disgorges the Ufarte family. The peace of El Hoyo is shattered.

"Andalucía as it's never been done before - a very quirky, funny and enjoyable tale - loved the subtle humour, Olé!"
Karen Wheeler, author of 'Tout Sweet: Hanging Up My Heels For A New Life In France.'