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## **The Secret Life of Animals – Minik: Adventures in the Coral Reef (Vol. 3, Ocean)**

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### **Story**

#### **The Secrets of the Sea.**

Minik is far from home: after a long journey, he finds himself on a sunny island in the middle of the Caribbean. The animals there have never seen anything like him before and welcome the seal with curiosity. Minik observes how people keep capturing animals - soon including his new friend, the sea turtle No! Anything to please tourists. Not even in the water is the young seal safe from people, because divers keep trying to pet or feed it.

A lot of rubbish from two-legged people also finds its way into the water and colourful coral reefs gradually lose their blaze of colour. When a child suddenly finds himself in great danger while diving, Minik risks everything to help him ...

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Antonia Michaelis was born in North Germany in 1979. She spent the first two years of her childhood in a tiny village on the Baltic seaside. Later on she moved to South Germany and spent her childhood and adolescence surrounded by her crazy-likeable parents and various cats. She started writing stories at a very young age. After finishing school Antonia Michaelis left Germany and moved to South India for a year. She worked in a school near Madras as a teacher for English, arts, and acting. Various journeys took her to Turkey, Italy, Greece, Syria and the UK.

Today, the young writer lives in the Northeast of Germany. She has just finished studying medicine and has dedicated herself for the time being to writing children's books.

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