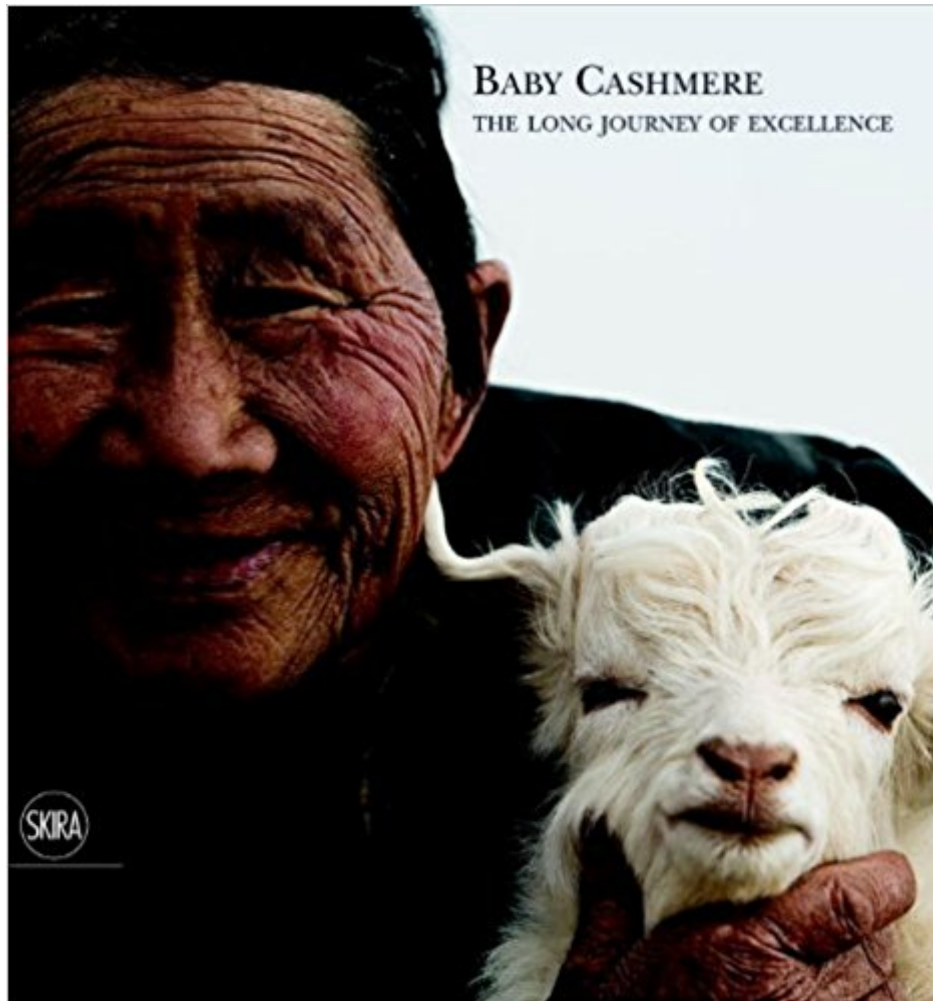


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Customer Reviews

Bruna Rotunno is a photographer who loves to capture the soul in all the images she shoots, from landscapes to advertising.

I purchased a sweater made from Baby Cashmere and this book explains the entire process. Beautiful photographs of Mongolia and the baby goats are adorable. This fiber is so special because the goats only produce it once in a lifetime. Loro Piana has done a great service to recognize the value of this fiber and to give us such heirloom treasures made from it. Since the quantity is so limited the local people have learned to be very gentle and to treasure their "gold

mine"

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