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'DOUBLE HAPPINESS' WINS FOREWORD TRAVEL BOOK OF THE YEAR

Tony Brasunas's debut memoir has been named the ForeWord Travel Book of the Year Silver Winner

Alameda, Calif. – Author Tony Brasunas's debut, *Double Happiness: One Man's Tale of Love, Loss, and Wonder on the Long Roads of China* (Torchpost, 2013), has been named one of the best travel books of the year.

The ForeWord Book of the Year awards has named *Double Happiness* the Silver Winner in the Travel category, beating out hundreds of competing titles.

"I'm humbled and honored that *Double Happiness* has won further recognition," said Brasunas. "I wrote the book in the hopes that those ready to travel or take a big leap in life would realize they have less to fear than they might think. "

Double Happiness is an inspiring journey across China and through the soul of a young American. Not just exquisite travel writing, nor simply a portrait of life in China, the book has been hailed as a groundbreaking story of coming of age in the era of globalization.

Tony Brasunas lives in the San Francisco Bay Area. His blog is www.DoubleHappy.be.

Torchpost has published *Double Happiness* in hardcover, paperback, and e-book formats. Find it at independent bookstores, at Amazon.com, and at other online retailers, as well as at www.torchpost.com.

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