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This book is currently being prepared for printing. It is based on more than 40 years of doing research in the southern Kalahari. Much of this research was done with the aid of San (Bushman) trackers who could read any story from the tracks in the red sands of the Kalahari, hence the title of this book.

The book traces the origin and nature of the southern Kalahari, its conservation history, the San people and information and numerous experiences gained during decades of research in the southern Kalahari. The book culminates with 19 years of research on the leopards of the southern Kalahari. The text is augmented with numerous photographs but this is not a coffee table book..

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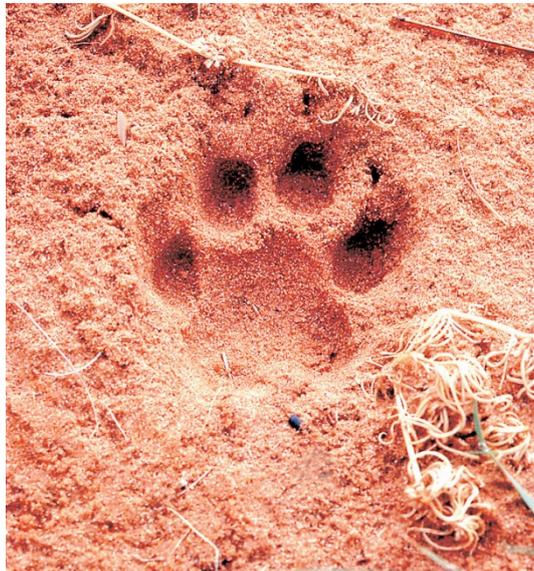
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## **WRITTEN IN THE SAND**

***The origin and nature of the southern Kalahari, its  
conservation history, the San people and decades of  
research on leopards***

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