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## Preface

This book describes the tapeworms of the world. It attempts to summarize what is known about their classification, structure, life histories, and ways of life. It discusses the probable origin of tapeworms from free-living worms and the lines along which they may have diverged from one another. It provides descriptions of and identification keys for all the known families and genera of tapeworms and the majority of the known species.

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