

Timeless wisdom from Vietnamese culture
Amazon Book Review Series of “*Wild Wise Weird*”

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Screenshot. Review of “*Wild Wise Weird*” by Jessop [1]. Reviewed in the United States on December 19, 2024.

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(*) Note: This paper reprints of Jessop’s review [1] appearing on the Amazon page of the title [2]. The reprint’s title is created based on the review’s content.

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