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Jankowski presents the gang and its members not as pathological departures from social norms, but as shrewd and resourceful operators."-Michael Lipsky, Massachusetts Institute of Technology "Islands in the Streetfills a wide gap in the literature on gangs.It treats gang members not as pathological aberrations, but as experts and individuals working within a limited environment, and environment shaped created and supported by American society. There's one line where he talks about American individualism, and the gang member as the purest form of this.Intends to understand the gang phenomenon in the United States. This title offers an explanation of the research design, the method of data gathering, the method of data analysis and presentation, and some ethical issues related to the research.Mercer L. Sullivan, "Islands in the Street: Gangs and American Urban Society. Martin Sanchez Jankowski ," American Journal of Sociology 99, no. 6 (May, 1994): 1640-1642., Islands In The Street Gangs And American Urban Society.

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