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Peter the Great

1991

a titan of history a maker of the modern world a man of
immense fascination peter the great if brought fully to
life in this pulitzer prize winning biography

The Romanovs: The Final Chapter

2012-02-22

a masterful the washington post book world account of
the quest to solve one of the great mysteries in
russian history from the pulitzer prize winning author
of peter the great nicholas and alexandra and catherine
the great riveting unfolds like a detective story los
angeles times book review in july 1991 nine skeletons
were exhumed from a shallow mass grave near
ekaterinburg siberia a few miles from the infamous
cellar room where the last tsar and his family had been
murdered seventy three years before but were these the
bones of the romanovs and if these were their remains
where were the bones of the two younger romanovs
supposedly murdered with the rest of the family was
anna anderson celebrated for more than sixty years in
newspapers books and film really grand duchess
anastasia the romanovs provides the answers describing
in suspenseful detail the dramatic efforts to discover
the truth pulitzer prize winner robert k massie
presents a colorful panorama of contemporary characters
illuminating the major scientific dispute between
russian experts and a team of americans whose findings
along with those of dna scientists from russia america
and great britain all contributed to solving one of the
great mysteries of the twentieth century

Dreadnought

2013-09-01

from colonial disputes secret treaties with former foes high wire diplomacy and tit for tat building of the terrifyingly powerful dreadnought battleships dreadnought is a dramatic re creation of the diplomatic and military brinkmanship that preceded and made inevitable the outbreak of the first world war massie brings to vivid life such historical figures as the single minded admiral von tirpitz the young ambitious winston churchill the ruthless sycophantic chancellor bernhard von bulow and many others the relationship between queen victoria and kaiser wilhelm is particularly intriguing wilhelm s admiration and even envy for everything british was to play an important part in the events to come their story and the story of the era filled with misunderstandings missed opportunities and events leading to unintended conclusions unfolds like a greek tragedy in his powerful narrative intimately human and dramatic dreadnought is history at its most riveting

Peter the Great: His Life and World

2012-02-22

pulitzer prize winner an urgently readable newsweek biography of the captivating tsar who changed russian history from the new york times bestselling author of nicholas and alexandra the romanovs and catherine the great enthralling as fascinating as any novel and more so than most the new york times book review against the monumental canvas of seventeenth and eighteenth century europe and russia unfolds the magnificent story of peter the great crowned co tsar at the age of ten

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~~robert k massie delves deep into his life chronicling~~
the pivotal events that shaped a boy into a legend including his incognito travels in europe his unquenchable curiosity about western ways his obsession with the sea and establishment of the stupendous russian navy his creation of an unbeatable army his transformation of russia and his relationships with those he loved most catherine the robust yet gentle peasant his loving mistress wife and successor and menshikov the charming bold unscrupulous prince who rose to wealth and power through peter s friendship impetuous and stubborn generous and cruel tender and unforgiving a man of enormous energy and complexity peter the great is brought fully to life

Castles of Steel

2003-10-28

in a work of extraordinary narrative power filled with brilliant personalities and vivid scenes of dramatic action robert k massie the pulitzer prize winning author of peter the great nicholas and alexandra and dreadnought elevates to its proper historical importance the role of sea power in the winning of the great war the predominant image of this first world war is of mud and trenches barbed wire machine guns poison gas and slaughter a generation of european manhood was massacred and a wound was inflicted on european civilization that required the remainder of the twentieth century to heal but with all its sacrifice trench warfare did not win the war for one side or lose it for the other over the course of four years the lines on the western front moved scarcely at all attempts to break through led only to the lengthening of the already unbearably long casualty lists for the true story of military upheaval we must look to the sea

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~~on the eve of the war in august 1914 great britain and~~
germany possessed the two greatest navies the world had ever seen when war came these two fleets of dreadnoughts gigantic floating castles of steel able to hurl massive shells at an enemy miles away were ready to test their terrible power against each other their struggles took place in the north sea and the pacific at the falkland islands and the dardanelles they reached their climax when germany suffocated by an implacable naval blockade decided to strike against the british ring of steel the result was jutland a titanic clash of fifty eight dreadnoughts each the home of a thousand men when the german high seas fleet retreated the kaiser unleashed unrestricted u boat warfare which in its indiscriminate violence brought a reluctant america into the war in this way the german effort to seize the trident by defeating the british navy led to the fall of the german empire ultimately the distinguishing feature of castles of steel is the author himself the knowledge understanding and literary power massie brings to this story are unparalleled his portrayals of winston churchill the british admirals fisher jellicoe and beatty and the germans scheer hipper and tirpitz are stunning in their veracity and artistry castles of steel is about war at sea leadership and command courage genius and folly all these elements are given magnificent scope by robert k massie s special and widely hailed literary mastery bonus this edition contains an excerpt from robert k massie s catherine the great

Catherine the Great: Portrait of a Woman

2011-11-08

a tale of power perseverance and passion a great story

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~~in the hands of a master storyteller the wall street~~
journal the pulitzer prize winning author of peter the
great nicholas and alexandra and the romanovs returns
with another masterpiece of narrative biography the
extraordinary story of an obscure german princess who
became one of the most remarkable powerful and
captivating women in history born into a minor noble
family catherine transformed herself into empress of
russia by sheer determination for thirty four years the
government foreign policy cultural development and
welfare of the russian people were in her hands she
dealt with domestic rebellion foreign wars and the
tidal wave of political change and violence churned up
by the french revolution catherine s family friends
ministers generals lovers and enemies all are here
vividly brought to life history offers few stories
richer than that of catherine the great in this book an
eternally fascinating woman is returned to life a
compelling portrait not just of a russian titan but
also of a flesh and blood woman newsweek an absorbing
satisfying biography los angeles times juicy and
suspenseful the new york times book review a great life
indeed and irresistibly told salon named one of the
best books of the year by the new york times the
washington post usa today the boston globe san
francisco chronicle chicago tribune newsweek the daily
beast salon vogue st louis post dispatch the providence
journal washington examiner south florida sun sentinel
bookpage bookreporter publishers weekly bonus this
edition contains a catherine the great reader s guide

Nicholas and Alexandra

2011-11-08

a magnificent and intimate harper s modern classic of
russian history the spellbinding story of the love that

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of peter the great the romanovs and catherine the great
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account of the last romanovs focuses not on the great
events but on the royal family and their evil nemesis
the tale is so bizarre no melodrama is equal to it
newsweek in this commanding book new york times
bestselling author robert k massie sweeps readers back
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tell the story of the romanovs lives nicholas s
political naïveté alexandra s obsession with the
corrupt mystic rasputin and little alexis s brave
struggle with hemophilia against a lavish backdrop of
luxury and intrigue massie unfolds a powerful drama of
passion and history the story of a doomed empire and
the death marked royals who watched it crumble

Journey

1975

a gripping chronicle of the personal and national
rivalries that led to the twentieth century s first
great arms race from pulitzer prize winner robert k
massie with the biographer s rare genius for expressing
the essence of extraordinary lives massie brings to
life a crowd of glittery figures the single minded
admiral von tirpitz the young ambitious winston
churchill the ruthless sycophantic chancellor bernhard
von bülow britain s greatest twentieth century foreign
secretary sir edward grey and jacky fisher the
eccentric admiral who revolutionized the british navy
and brought forth the first true battleship the h m s
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with misunderstandings missed opportunities and events
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~~dramatic dreadnought is history at its most riveting~~
praise for dreadnought dreadnought is history in the grand manner as most people prefer it how people shaped or were shaped by events time a classic that covers superbly a whole era engrossing in its glittering gallery of characters chicago sun times told on a grand scale massie is a master of historical portraiture and anecdote the wall street journal brilliant on everything he writes about ships and the sea it is massie's eye for detail that makes his nautical set pieces so marvelously evocative los angeles times

Dreadnought

2012-06-27

against a monumental backdrop of fabulous splendour intrigue and barbaric cruelty unfolds a powerful drama of passion and history this is the story of the romanovs from the tsar who brought russia from darkness into light to one of the greatest female rulers in history and ultimately to the death marked royals who watched their empire crumble peter the great crowned at the age of 10 peter embodied the greatest strengths and weaknesses of russia while being at the very forefront of her development catherine the great in 1762 catherine rode out of st petersburg at the head of an army to arrest her husband three months later at the age of just 33 she became sole empress of the largest empire on earth nicholas and alexandra the story of nicholas's political naivete alexandra's obsession with the corrupt mystic rasputin and little alexis's brave struggle with haemophilia

The Romanovs - Box Set

2013-04-03

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Journey

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in the aftermath of world war ii south africa s white government decreed a brutal system of segregation at the very moment when the united states began wresting with the civil rights movement in loosing the bonds robert massie recreates the passions and struggles of these years deftly exposing the way politics and personalities money and morality interact in modern america 40 photos national print ads media

Nicholas and Alexandra

2012-09-18

photographs of the life of the russian imperial family

Nicholas and Alexandra

1985

new york times bestseller an enthralling feat of historical suspense that unravels the extraordinary twists and turns in anna anderson's fifty year battle to be recognized as anastasia romanov is she the russian grand duchess or the thief of another woman's legacy tantalizing surprising compelling and utterly fascinating lisa wingate new york times bestselling author of before we were yours countless others have rendered their verdict now it is your turn russia july 17 1918 under direct orders from vladimir lenin bolshevik secret police force anastasia romanov along with the entire imperial family into a damp basement in siberia where they face a merciless firing squad none survive at least that is what the executioners have always claimed germany february 17 1920 a young woman bearing an uncanny resemblance to anastasia romanov is pulled shivering and senseless from a canal refusing to explain her presence in the freezing water or even acknowledge her rescuers she is taken to the hospital where an examination reveals that her body is riddled with countless horrific scars when she finally does speak this frightened mysterious young woman claims to be the russian grand duchess as rumors begin to circulate through european society that the youngest romanov daughter has survived the massacre at ekaterinburg old enemies and new threats are awakened the question of who anna anderson is and what actually happened to anastasia romanov spans fifty years and touches three continents this thrilling saga is every bit as moving and momentous as it is harrowing and twisted

Loosing the Bonds

1997

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The Romanov Family Album

1982

in today s world national leaders have immense power to

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~~make decisions affecting millions of lives both~~
domestically and internationally yet questions about the performance of these leaders and specifically what psychological or external factors determine whether they will be innovative and effective or will muddle through have received surprisingly little attention an introductory section presents main themes in the study of innovative leadership and in addition reviews the existing inadequate state of our knowledge the two subsequent sections further explore the basic questions through case studies of leaders in democratic systems and in transitional or authoritarian systems by looking at the individual records of such major twentieth century leaders as de gaulle adenauer gandhi gorbachev sadat and several american presidents the authors contribute fresh insights about the particular leaders consider how the type of system in which they functioned enhanced or constrained their innovativeness and shed light on the broader questions of what factors encourage or inhibit successful innovation in the international sphere

I Was Anastasia

2018-03-27

the three emperors by miranda carter is the juicy funny story of the three dysfunctional rulers of germany russia and great britain at the turn of the last century combined with a study of the larger forces around them three cousins three emperors and the road to ruin as cousins george v kaiser wilhelm ii and the last tsar nicholas ii should have been friends but they happened also to rule europe s three most powerful states this potent combination together with their own destructive personalities petty insecure bullying absurdly obsessive stamp collecting uniforms led not

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grace but also to the outbreak of the first world war
miranda carter s riveting account of how three men who
should have known better helped bring down an entire
world is a gripping story of abdication betrayal and
murder fascinating a wonderfully fresh and beautifully
choreographed work of history mail on sunday miranda
carter s story is full of vivid quotations a romp
though the palaces of europe in their last decades
before armageddon sunday times fascinating carter is a
gifted storyteller and has written a very readable
account independent that these three absurd men could
ever have held the fate of europe in their hands is a
fact as hilarious as it is terrifying i haven t enjoyed
a historical biography this much since lytton strachey
s victoria zadie smith miranda carter s first book
anthony blunt his lives won the royal society of
literature award and the orwell prize and was
shortlisted for the whitbread biography prize the
guardian first book award the duff cooper prize and the
james tait black memorial prize the book was named as
one of the new york times book review s seven best
books of 2002 miranda lives in london with her husband
and two sons

Dreadnought

1992-09-15

on 17 july 1918 four young women walked down into the
cellar of a house in ekaterinburg the eldest was twenty
two the youngest only seventeen together with their
parents and their thirteen year old brother they were
all brutally murdered their crime to be the daughters
of the last tsar and tsaritsa of all the russia's in
four sisters acclaimed biographer helen rappaport
offers readers the most authoritative account yet of

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~~the grand duchesses olga tatiana maria and anastasia~~
drawing on their own letters and diaries she paints a vivid picture of their lives in the dying days of the romanov dynasty we see almost for the first time their journey from a childhood of enormous privilege throughout which they led a very sheltered and largely simple life to young womanhood their first romantic crushes their hopes and dreams the difficulty of coping with a mother who was a chronic invalid and a haemophiliac brother and latterly the trauma of the revolution and its terrible consequences compellingly readable meticulously researched and deeply moving four sisters gives these young women a voice and allows their story to resonate for readers almost a century after their death an astoundingly intimate tale of domestic life lived in the crucible of power observer

Congressional Record

1967

this definitive biography offers abundant details on the life of russian czar ivan iv including his violent moodswings and his callous cruelty

Innovative Leaders in International Politics

1993-09-14

when vavara a young polish orphan arrives at the glittering dangerous court of the empress elizabeth in st petersburg she is schooled in skills ranging from lock picking to love making learning above all else to stay silent and listen then sophie a vulnerable young princess arrives from prussia as a prospective bride for the empress s heir set to spy on her vavara soon

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~~becomes her friend and confidante and helps her~~
navigate the illicit liaisons and the treacherous
shifting allegiances of the court but sophie s destiny
is to become the notorious catherine the great are her
ambitions more lofty and far reaching than anyone
suspected and will she stop at nothing to achieve
absolute power

The Three Emperors

2009-09-03

this in depth study of the battle of austerlitz
considered napoleon s greatest victory won the napoleon
foundation s history grand prize sometimes called the
battle of three emperors napoleon s victory against the
combined forces of russia and austria brought a
decisive end to the war of the third coalition the
magnitude of the french achievement against a larger
army was met by sheer amazement and delirium in paris
where just days earlier the nation had been teetering
on the brink of financial collapse in 1805 austerlitz
historian robert goetz demonstrates how napoleon and
his grande armée of 1805 defeated a formidable
professional army that had fought the french armies on
equal terms five years earlier goetz analyses the
planning of the opposing forces and details the course
of the battle hour by hour describing the fierce see
saw battle around sokolnitz the epic struggle for the
pratzen heights the dramatic engagement between the
legendary lannes and bagration in the north and the
widely misunderstood clash of napoleon s imperial guard
and alexander s imperial leib guard goetz s detailed
and balanced assessment of the battle exposes many
myths that have been perpetuated and even embellished
in other accounts

Four Sisters: The Lost Lives of the Romanov Grand Duchesses

2014-03-27

a biography of the last days and last rulers of the russian empire tsar nicholas ii of russia and his wife alexandra

Ivan the Terrible

2002

against the monumental canvas of seventeenth and eighteenth century europe and russia robert k massie unfolds the extraordinary story of peter the great a volatile feudal tsar with a taste for barbaric torture a progressive and enlightened reformer of government and science a statesman of vision who recreated his country s army and navy and founded st petersburg as his imperial capital peter the great embodied the greatest strengths and weaknesses of russia while being at the very forefront of her development robert k massie delves deep into peter s life and character chronicling the pivotal events that transformed the boy tsar into a national icon his portrayal of the complexities and contradictions of this most energetic of russian rulers a man both impetuous and stubborn generous and cruel brings a towering historical figure triumphantly to life

The Winter Palace

2012-01-19

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1805 Austerlitz

2017-04-30

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haemophilia against a lavish backdrop of luxury and
intrigue massie unfolds a powerful drama of passion and
history the story of a doomed empire and the death
marked royals who watched it crumble

Nicholas and Alexandra

2022-05-12

a vivid and compelling account of the final thirteen
days of the romanovs counting down to the last tense
hours of their lives on 4 july 1918 a new commandant

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~~took control of a closely guarded house in the russian~~
town of ekaterinburg his name was yakov yurovsky and
his prisoners were the imperial family the former tsar
nicholas his wife alexandra and their children olga
tatiana maria anastasia and alexey thirteen days later
at yurovsky s command and on direct orders from moscow
the family was gunned down in a blaze of bullets in a
basement room this is the story of those murders which
ended 300 years of romanov rule and began an era of
state orchestrated terror and brutal repression

Peter the Great

2013-11-07

the ultimate literary bucket list the washington post
celebrate the pleasure of reading and the thrill of
discovering new titles in an extraordinary book that s
as compulsively readable entertaining surprising and
enlightening as the 1 000 plus titles it recommends
covering fiction poetry science and science fiction
memoir travel writing biography children s books
history and more 1 000 books to read before you die
ranges across cultures and through time to offer an
eclectic collection of works that each deserve to come
with the recommendation you have to read this but it s
not a proscriptive list of the great works rather it s
a celebration of the glorious mosaic that is our
literary heritage flip it open to any page and be
transfixed by a fresh take on a very favorite book or
come across a title you always meant to read and never
got around to or like browsing in the best kind of
bookshop stumble on a completely unknown author and
work and feel that tingle of discovery there are
classics of course and unexpected treasures too lists
to help pick and choose like offbeat escapes or a long
climb but what a view and its alphabetical arrangement

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~~by author assures that surprises await on almost every~~
turn of the page with cormac mccarthy and the road next
to robert mccloskey and make way for ducklings alice
walker next to izaac walton there are nuts and bolts
too best editions to read other books by the author if
you like this you ll like that recommendations and an
interesting endnote of adaptations where appropriate
add it all up and in fact there are more than six
thousand titles by nearly four thousand authors
mentioned a life changing list for a lifetime of
reading 948 pages later you still want more the
washington post

Peter the Great

2012

the acclaimed author of young stalin and jerusalem
gives readers an accessible lively account based in
part on new archival material of the extraordinary men
and women who ruled russia for three centuries novelist

Nicholas and Alexandra

2013-01-01

empress catherine ii brought europe to russia and
russia to europe during her long and eventful reign
1762 96 she fostered the culture of the enlightenment
and greatly expanded the immense empire created by czar
ivan the terrible shifting the balance of power in
europe eastward famous for her will to power and for
her dozen lovers catherine was also a prolific and
gifted writer fluent in french russian and german
catherine published political theory journalism
comedies operas and history while writing thousands of
letters as she corresponded with voltaire and other

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~~public figures the memoirs of catherine the great~~
provides an unparalleled window into eighteenth century
russia and the mind of an absolute ruler with insight
humor and candor catherine presents her eyewitness
account of history from her whirlwind entry into the
russian court in 1744 at age fourteen as the intended
bride of empress elizabeth i s nephew the eccentric
drunkard and future peter iii to her unhappy marriage
from her two children several miscarriages and her and
peter s numerous affairs to the political maneuvering
that enabled catherine to seize the throne from him in
1762 catherine s eye for telling details makes for
compelling reading as she describes the dramatic fall
and rise of her political fortunes this definitive new
translation from the french is scrupulously faithful to
her words and is the first for which translators have
consulted original manuscripts written in catherine s
own hand it is an indispensable work for anyone
interested in catherine the great russian history or
the eighteenth century

Ekaterinburg

2009-04-02

this book is a memoir written by pierre gilliard the
french language tutor to the five children of emperor
nicholas ii of russia from 1905 to 1918 it was
published following the russian revolution of 1917 and
the execution of the russian imperial family in this
book gilliard described tsarina alexandra s torment
over her son s hemophilia and her faith in the ability
of starets grigori rasputin to heal the boy

1,000 Books to Read Before You Die

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~~shortlisted for the hwa sharpe books non-fiction crown~~
award a work of investigative history that will completely change the way in which we see the romanov story finally here is the truth about the secret plans to rescue russia's last imperial family on 17 july 1918 the whole of the russian imperial family was murdered there were no miraculous escapes the former tsar nicholas his wife alexandra and their children olga tatiana maria anastasia and alexey were all tragically gunned down in a blaze of bullets historian helen rappaport sets out to uncover why the romanovs european royal relatives and the allied governments failed to save them it was not ever a simple case of one british king's loss of nerve in this race against time many other nations and individuals were facing political and personal challenges of the highest order in this incredible detective story rappaport draws on an unprecedented range of unseen sources tracking down missing documents destroyed papers and covert plots to liberate the family by land sea and even sky through countless twists and turns this revelatory work unpicks many false claims and conspiracies revealing the fiercest loyalty bitter rivalries and devastating betrayals as the romanovs imprisoned awaited their fate a remarkable new work of history from helen rappaport author of ekaterinburg the last days of the romanovs

The Romanovs

2016

a superbly crafted and humane portrait of the last days and last rulers of the russian empire complementing his pulitzer prize winning peter the great in this commanding book robert k massie sweeps readers back to the extraordinary world of imperial russia to tell the story of the decline and fall of the ruling romanov

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early twentieth century russian history the tale of a
doomed empire and the death marked royals who watched
it crumble

The Memoirs of Catherine the Great

2007-12-18

a timely and important book he brings to it rare
clarity and common sense his book is a fast paced
account of the last sixteen months of the tsar s life
brief sharp but laced with well judged feeling for the
dramas of the time catherine merriam observer in
march 1917 nicholas ii the last tsar of all the russias
abdicated and the dynasty that had ruled an empire for
three hundred years was forced from power by revolution
in this masterful and forensic study robert service
examines the last year nicholas s reign and the months
between that momentous abdication and his death with
his family in ekaterinburg in july 1918 drawing on the
tsar s own diaries and other hitherto unexamined
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man who was almost entirely out of his depth perhaps
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