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**This Vast Land** Anchor

“This e-book box set includes the following books by Stephen E. Ambrose, chronicling the pivotal moments from WWII—from D-Day to the capture of Hitler’s Eagle’s Nest. *Band of Brothers: A riveting account of Easy Company, 506th Airborne Division, U.S. Army—responsible for everything from parachuting into France early D-Day morning to*

the capture of Hitler’s Eagle’s Nest at Berchtesgaden. Drawing on hours of interviews with survivors as well as the soldiers’ journals and letters, here are the stories, often in the men’s own words, of these American heroes. *D-Day: The preeminent chronicle of the most important day in the twentieth century—drawn from more than 1,400 interviews with*

American, British, Canadian, French, and German veterans. Pegasus Bridge: A gripping account of the first engagement of D-Day—Pegasus Bridge. In the early morning hours of June 6, 1944, a small detachment of British airborne troops stormed the German defense forces and paved the way for the Allied invasion of Europe. Ambrose traces each

step of the preparations over many months to the minute-by-minute excitement of the hand-to-hand confrontations on the bridge.”

### **CITIZEN SOLDIERS**

Viking Adult Stephen E. Ambrose draws upon extensive sources, an unprecedented degree of scholarship, and numerous interviews with Dwight D. Eisenhower himself to offer the fullest, richest, and most

objective rendering yet of the soldier who became president. At various times in his life, Eisenhower was a soldier at wartime, the Chief of Staff, patron to the North American Treaty Organization, president of Columbia University, and the Supreme Commander of the United States. However, he was also a father, son, husband, and friend. This deeply personal biography

concerns itself less with the “life and times” of Eisenhower and more on the man himself, his achievements and triumphs, failures and concerns, as well as his relationships with those closest to him. A charismatic leader with a high degree of intelligence, integrity, tremendous energy and a commitment to basic principles that drew soldiers, civilians, and foreigners alike to him, Eisenhower was also

ambitious, sensitive to criticism, and an avid sportsman who was terribly loyal to his friends and family. Ultimately, Ambrose presents a masterful portrait of Eisenhower that finely delves into his personal life during his presidency, the onset of the Cold war, and as the leader of a rapidly evolving nation struggling with issues as diverse as civil rights, atomic weapons, and

a new global role. Ambrose shows what an extraordinary person Eisenhower was and the extent to which many who live in freedom today owe to him. This superb interpretation of Eisenhower's life confirms Stephen Ambrose's position as one of the nation's finest historians.

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leaders and  
soldiers alike,  
the effect that  
wars have had  
in shaping  
American  
society, and  
the effect that  
a democratic  
society has on  
waging wars

## **RISE TO GLOBALISM**

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A New York  
Times  
bestseller  
from the  
author of  
Band of  
Brothers: The  
biography of  
two fighters  
forever linked  
by history and  
the battle at  
Little Bighorn.  
On the  
sparkling  
morning of  
June 25, 1876,  
611 men of  
the United  
States 7th  
Cavalry rode  
toward the  
banks of Little  
Bighorn in the  
Montana  
Territory,  
where three  
thousand

Indians stood  
waiting for  
battle. The  
lives of two  
great warriors  
would soon be  
forever linked  
throughout  
history: Crazy  
Horse, leader  
of the Oglala  
Sioux, and  
General  
George  
Armstrong  
Custer. Both  
were men of  
aggression  
and supreme  
courage. Both  
became  
leaders in  
their societies  
at very early  
ages. Both  
were stripped  
of power, in  
disgrace, and  
worked to  
earn back the  
respect of  
their people.

And to both of them, the unspoiled grandeur of the Great Plains of North America was an irresistible challenge. Their parallel lives would pave the way, in a manner unknown to either, for an inevitable clash between two nations fighting for possession of the open prairie.

**The Men  
Who Built  
the  
Transcontinental Railroad  
1863-1869**

Simon and Schuster  
They fought on Utah

Beach, in Arnhem, Bastogne, the Bulge; they spearheaded the Rhine offensive and took possession of Hitler's Eagle's Nest in Berchtesgaden. Easy Company, 506th Airborne Division, U.S. Army, was as good a rifle company as any in the world. From their rigorous training in Georgia in 1942 to D-Day and victory, Ambrose tells the story of this remarkable company,

which kept getting the tough assignments. Easy Company was responsible for everything from parachuting into France early D-Day morning to the capture of Hitler's Eagle's Nest at Berchtesgaden. **BAND OF BROTHERS** is the account of the men of this remarkable unit who fought, went hungry, froze, and died, a company that took 150 percent casualties and considered

the Purple Heart badge of office. Drawing on hours of interviews with survivors as well as the soldiers' journals and letters, Stephen Ambrose tells the stories, often in the men's own words, of these American heroes.

## **A HISTORY OF WEST POINT**

Simon and Schuster  
Stephen E. Ambrose's D-Day is the definitive history of World War II's

most pivotal battle, a day that changed the course of history. D-Day is the epic story of men at the most demanding moment of their lives, when the horrors, complexities, and triumphs of life are laid bare. Distinguished historian Stephen E. Ambrose portrays the faces of courage and heroism, fear and determination —what Eisenhower called “the fury of an aroused

democracy”—that shaped the victory of the citizen soldiers whom Hitler had disparaged. Drawing on more than 1,400 interviews with American, British, Canadian, French, and German veterans, Ambrose reveals how the original plans for the invasion had to be abandoned, and how enlisted men and junior officers acted on their own initiative when they realized

that nothing was as they were told it would be. The action begins at midnight, June 5/6, when the first British and American airborne troops jumped into France. It ends at midnight June 6/7. Focusing on those pivotal twenty-four hours, it moves from the level of Supreme Commander to that of a French child, from General Omar Bradley to an American paratrooper, from Field Marshal

Montgomery to a German sergeant. Ambrose's D-Day is the finest account of one of our history's most important days. Nothing Like It In the World Viking Adult From Stephen E. Ambrose, bestselling author of Band of Brothers and D-Day, the inspiring story of the ordinary men of the U.S. army in northwest Europe from the day after D-Day until the end of the bitterest days of World War II. In this

riveting account, historian Stephen E. Ambrose continues where he left off in his #1 bestseller D-Day. Citizen Soldiers opens at 0001 hours, June 7, 1944, on the Normandy beaches, and ends at 0245 hours, May 7, 1945, with the allied victory. It is biography of the US Army in the European Theater of Operations, and Ambrose again follows the individual characters of this noble, brutal, and

tragic war. From the high command down to the ordinary soldier, Ambrose draws on hundreds of interviews to re-create the war experience with startling clarity and immediacy. From the hedgerows of Normandy to the overrunning of Germany, Ambrose tells the real story of World War II from the perspective of the men and women who fought it.

### **How World War II Was**

**Won** Open Road Media “This e-book box set includes the following books by Stephen E. Ambrose, bringing into focus the men and women who fought in World War II: *The Victors: A breathtaking work that follows the momentous events of the war from D-Day through to the final days, centering this epic drama on the citizen soldiers, the boys who became men as they fought,*

proving eventually unbeatable. A compelling celebration of military genius and heroism, and of camaraderie and courage. *Citizen Soldiers: A riveting account that follows the individual characters of World War II, from the high command down to the ordinary soldier, drawing on hundreds of interviews to re-create the war experience with startling clarity and*

immediacy. From the hedgerows of Normandy to the overrunning of Germany, this is the real story of World War II from the perspective of the men and women who fought it. *Wild Blue*: Following this exceptional band of brothers, the young men who flew the B-24s over Germany in World War II against terrible odds, Ambrose recounts their extraordinary brand of heroism, skill,

daring, and comradeship with the vivid detail and affection." **Band of Brothers** Simon and Schuster Updated with more than 120 photographs, a visual edition of Ambrose's definitive account of D-Day traces the epic stories of the soldiers and junior officers who fought and defeated Hitler's armies. *Nothing Like It In the World* Simon and Schuster In the bestselling

**BAND OF BROTHERS**, Stephen E. Ambrose portrayed in vivid detail the experiences of soldiers who fought on the bloody battlegrounds of World War II. *THE WILD BLUE* brings to life another extraordinary band of brothers - the men who volunteered to join the American Air Force and undertook some of the most demanding and dangerous jobs in the war. Focusing

on the men of the 741st Bomb Squadron and, in particular, the crew of the DAKOTA QUEEN, these are the boys turned pilots, bombardiers, navigators and gunners of the B24s, who suffered 50 per cent casualties during conflict. With his extraordinary talent for bringing alive the action and tension of combat, Ambrose sweeps us along in the B24s as their crews fought to the death

to reach their targets and destroy the German war machine.

### **BAND OF BROTHERS**

National Geographic Stephen E. Ambrose, acclaimed author of *Band of Brothers* and *Undaunted Courage*, carries us along in the crowded and dangerous B-24s as their crews fought to destroy the German war machine during World War II. The young men who flew the B-24s over

Germany in World War II fought against horrific odds, and, in *The Wild Blue*, Ambrose recounts their extraordinary heroism, skill, daring, and comradeship with vivid detail and affection. Ambrose describes how the Army Air Forces recruited, trained, and selected the elite few who would undertake the most demanding and dangerous jobs in the war. These are the

boys—turned pilots, bombardiers, navigators, and gunners of the B-24s—who suffered over fifty percent casualties. With his remarkable gift for bringing alive the action and tension of combat, Ambrose carries us along in the crowded, uncomfortable, and dangerous B-24s as their crews fought to the death through thick black smoke and deadly flak to reach their targets

and destroy the German war machine. Twenty-two-year-old George McGovern, who was to become a United States senator and a presidential candidate, flew thirty-five combat missions (all the Army would allow) and won the Distinguished Flying Cross. We meet him and his mates, his co-pilot killed in action, and crews of other planes. Many went down in flames. As Band of Brothers and

Citizen Soldiers portrayed the bravery and ultimate victory of the American soldiers from Normandy on to Germany, *The Wild Blue* illustrates the enormous contribution that these young men of the Army Air Forces made to the Allied victory. *Halleck Simon and Schuster* In this account of an unprecedented feat of engineering, vision, and courage, Stephen E. Ambrose offers a

historical  
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who risked,  
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 Irish and  
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 backbreaking  
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 Union had  
 won the Civil  
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 Lincoln, who  
 was an early  
 and constant  
 champion of  
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 would not live  
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achievement.  
 In Ambrose's  
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 brainpower,  
 muscle, and  
 sweat, comes  
 to life. The  
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 pitted two  
 companies --  
 the Union  
 Pacific and the  
 Central Pacific  
 Railroads --  
 against each  
 other in a race  
 for funding,  
 encouraging  
 speed over  
 caution.  
 Locomo-tives,  
 rails, and  
 spikes were  
 shipped from  
 the East  
 through  
 Panama or  
 around South

America to the West or lugged across the country to the Plains. This was the last great building project to be done mostly by hand: excavating dirt, cutting through ridges, filling gorges, blasting tunnels through mountains. At its peak, the workforce -- primarily Chinese on the Central Pacific, Irish on the Union Pacific -- approached the size of Civil War armies, with as many as fifteen thousand workers on each line. The Union Pacific was led by Thomas "Doc" Durant, Oakes Ames, and Oliver Ames, with Grenville Dodge -- America's greatest railroad builder -- as chief engineer. The Central Pacific was led by California's "Big Four": Leland Stanford, Collis Huntington, Charles Crocker, and Mark Hopkins. The surveyors, the men who picked the route, were latter-day Lewis and Clark types who led the way through the wilderness, living off buffalo, deer, elk, and antelope. In building a railroad, there is only one decisive spot -- the end of the track. Nothing like this great work had been seen in the world when the last spike, a golden one, was driven in at Promontory Summit, Utah, in 1869, as the Central Pacific and the

Union Pacific tracks were joined. Ambrose writes with power and eloquence about the brave men -- the famous and the unheralded, ordinary men doing the extraordinary -- who accomplished the spectacular feat that made the continent into a nation.

**THE MEN  
AND BOYS  
WHO FLEW  
THE B-24s  
OVER  
GERMANY**

**1944-1945**

Simon and Schuster Chronicles the events, politics, and personalities of this pivotal day in World War II, shedding light on the strategies of commanders on both sides and the ramifications of the battle *The Victors* Simon and Schuster From the New York Times bestselling author of *Band of Brothers* and *D-Day*, the definitive book on Lewis and Clark's

exploration of the Louisiana Purchase, the most momentous expedition in American history and one of the great adventure stories of all time. In 1803 President Thomas Jefferson selected his personal secretary, Captain Meriwether Lewis, to lead a voyage up the Missouri River to the Rockies, over the mountains, down the Columbia River to the Pacific Ocean,

and back. Lewis and his partner, Captain William Clark, made the first map of the trans-Mississippi West, provided invaluable scientific data on the flora and fauna of the Louisiana Purchase territory, and established the American claim to Oregon, Washington, and Idaho. Ambrose has pieced together previously unknown information about weather,

terrain, and medical knowledge at the time to provide a vivid backdrop for the expedition. Lewis is supported by a rich variety of colorful characters, first of all Jefferson himself, whose interest in exploring and acquiring the American West went back thirty years. Next comes Clark, a rugged frontiersman whose love for Lewis matched Jefferson's. There are numerous

Indian chiefs, and Sacagawea, the Indian girl who accompanied the expedition, along with the French-Indian hunter Drouillard, the great naturalists of Philadelphia, the French and Spanish fur traders of St. Louis, John Quincy Adams, and many more leading political, scientific, and military figures of the turn of the century. High adventure, high politics, suspense,

drama, and diplomacy combine with high romance and personal tragedy to make this outstanding work of scholarship as readable as a novel.

**Stephen E.**

**Ambrose The Men of War E-book Box Set** LSU Press Volume one of Nixon's biography.

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River, from its source at Lake Itasca, Minnesota, to its mouth at Delacroix Island, Louisiana, discussing its continuing significance in American history.

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