
The Classical World An Epic History From Homer To Hadrian

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The newest novel from the critically-acclaimed author of WITCHBORN ... Fourteen-year-old Cadmus has been scholar Tullus's slave since he was a baby - his master is the only family he knows. But when Tullus disappears and a taciturn slave called Tog - daughter of a British chieftain - arrives with a secret message, Cadmus's life is turned upside down. The pair follow a trail that leads to Emperor Nero himself, and his crazed determination to possess the Golden Fleece of Greek mythology. This quest

will push Cadmus to the edge of the Roman Empire - and reveal unexpected truths about his past ...

Maya The Rosen Publishing Group, Inc

With contributions from leading scholars, this is a unique cross-cultural comparison of historical epics across a wide range of cultures and time periods, which presents crucial insights into how history is treated in narrative poetry. The first book to gain new insights into the topic of 'epic and history' through in-depth cross-cultural comparisons Covers epic traditions across the globe and across a wide range of time periods Brings together leading specialists in the field, and is edited by two internationally regarded scholars An important

reference for scholars and students interested in history and literature across a broad range of disciplines

The Epic Journey in Greek and Roman Literature Nomad Press

"This comprehensive guide... helps youngsters who love ballet to understand the hard work and commitment involved in classical dance training." -- School Library Journal (of the first edition) "A detailed, practical guide for serious ballet students...

To balance collections heavy on colorful ballet books for browsers with stars in their eyes, here's a guide for ballet students who are ready to get down to work." -- Booklist (of the first edition)

Prepared in conjunction with Canada's National Ballet School, The Ballet Book is the definitive instructional resource for children who are beginning to explore the possibilities and delights of ballet. The Ballet Book is an inspirational motivator, an exceptional teaching aid, and an ideal companion for students. Now it has all-new photographs in color

and a text more suited to contemporary young dancers. The book illustrates in meticulous detail -- and through more than 100 photographs -- every position, step and pose involved in barre work, pointe work, alignment, classical ballet poses, attitudes, allegros, batteries, pirouettes and arabesques. Age-appropriate and comprehensive, it is a motivational guide, with information on deciding to dance; finding a teacher; musical accompaniment; finding the ideal studio; what to wear and grooming; positions, steps and poses; and exercises and nutrition. Historical highlights and modern opportunities complete this comprehensive book. The Ballet Book is a strong guide for both boys and girls.

Ancient Worlds

Mitchell Lane Pub
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In Film and the
Classical Epic
Tradition, Joanna
Paul explores the
relationship between
films set in the

ancient world and the in which cinema
classical epic engages with the
tradition, arguing themes of classical
that there is a epic. The
meaningful connection concluding chapters
between the literary look at common tropes
and cinematic genres. surrounding epic,
This relationship is especially focusing
particularly apparent on the performance of
in films which adapt epic in the ancient
classical epic texts and modern worlds,
for the screen, such its perceived social
as Ulysses, Troy, O role, and the
Brother Where Art widespread parody of
Thou, and Jason and epic in both
the Argonauts. literature and
Beginning with an cinema. Through this
assessment of the careful consideration
films, Paul discusses of how epic can
a variety of themes, manifest itself in
such as heroism and different periods and
kleos, the depiction cultures, we learn
of the gods, and how cinema makes a
narrative structure. powerful claim to be
She then considers a a modern vehicle for
series of case- a very ancient
studies of Hollywood tradition.
historical epics An Epic History of Greece
which further and Rome Allen Lane
demonstrate the ways The Classical World An Epic

History from Homer to Hadrian

Basic Books

The Classical World Basic Books

J.K. Rowling has drawn deeply from classical sources to inform and color her Harry Potter novels, with allusions ranging from the obvious to the obscure. “ Fluffy, ” the vicious three-headed dog in Harry Potter and the Sorcerer ’ s Stone, is clearly a repackaging of Cerberus, the hellhound of Greek and Roman mythology. But the significance of Rowling ’ s quotation from Aeschylus at the front of Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows is a matter of speculation. Her use of classical material is often presented with irony and humor. This extensive analysis of the Harry Potter series examines Rowling ’ s wide range of allusion to classical characters and themes and her varied use of classical languages. Chapters discuss Harry and Narcissus, Dumbledore ’ s

many classical predecessors, Lord Voldemort ’ s likeness to mythical figures, and magic in Harry Potter and classical antiquity—among many topics.

Classical Epic Penguin UK

Explores the history and inventions of ancient Maya civilization by providing building projects and activities.

A Political History of the World

Windmill Books

Drawing on archaeological research, an expert account of the famous historical battle confirms many details recounted in Homer's epic account, from Troy's alliance with the Hittite Empire to the significant fire at the end of the twelfth century and facts

An Epic History of East and West

Oxford University Press

Anxiety is a very common problem that can affect our daily lives and well-being. It is a mental health concern that can affect both children and adults. The good news is that anxiety is highly treatable. Readers of this informative book will learn

about anxiety disorders, how anxiety affects the body, and how it can be treated. Full-color photographs and fact boxes illustrate important points. This straightforward text helps readers understand complicated mental health issues, and helps readers appreciate the importance of mental health.

Ancient Epic Penguin UK

Travel back in time to see what life was like in ancient Greece and Rome while having fun with hands-on activities such as making a star gazer; chiseling a clay tablet; weaving Roman sandals; making a Greek mosaic; creating Roman jewelry; throwing Greek pottery; casting a vote in a Roman-style election; and much more. Learn how these civilizations contributed to our present-day world by participating in art, math, cooking, science, and geography activities.

Interesting facts and trivia are included throughout. Helpful illustrations explain project steps.

The Story of Greece and Rome
Little, Brown

The classical civilizations of Greece and Rome once dominated the world, and they continue to fascinate and inspire us. Classical art and architecture, drama and epic, philosophy and politics—these are the foundations of Western civilization. In *The Classical World*, eminent classicist Robin Lane Fox brilliantly chronicles this vast sweep of history from Homer to the reign of Hadrian. From the Peloponnesian War through the creation of Athenian democracy, from the turbulent empire of Alexander the Great to the creation of the Roman Empire and the emergence of Christianity, Fox serves as our witty and trenchant guide. He introduces us to extraordinary heroes and horrific villains, great thinkers and blood-thirsty tyrants. Throughout this vivid tour of two of the greatest civilizations the world has ever

known, we remain in the hands of a brilliantly.
great master.

Discover Amazing Monuments to
Civilization with 20 Projects Basic
Books

The Emperor Hadrian was
arguably the first classicist,
captivated by a classical past and
society he could already identify as
something apart. In this one-
volume history of the ancient
world up to his death, Robin Lane
Fox traces the development of
classical civilisation from its origins
in the 9th century BC to the height
of the Roman Empire. Over this
period the classical world bore
witness to many dramatic changes,
and this is a lively introduction to
its highest points and a riveting
exploration of evolving views of
luxury, justice and freedom.

toured his domains, as it is now for
the many who share his fascination
with the ancient world, its history,
culture, and civilisation. Few
historians are able to write about
the broad sweep of ancient history
with such depth of sympathetic
understanding, or to
communicate its appeal and
significance so vividly, but with
this book Lane Fox succeeds

An Epic History from Homer
to Hadrian Genius of the
Ancients

From Roman times until the
Age of Exploration, the Silk
Road carried goods and ideas
across Central Asia between
two major centers of
civilization, the Mediterranean
Sea and China. In *The Silk
Road: Explore the World 's
Most Famous Trade Route*,
readers ages 9 – 12 will learn
about the history, geography,
culture, and people of the Silk
Road region. Marco Polo was
just one of many who set out on
the Silk Road in search of
wealth, power, or knowledge.
These adventurers braved vast
deserts, towering mountain
peaks, warring tribes, and
marauding bandits. Silk
garments, wool rugs, and fine
glass were the prizes for those
who survived the trip. Activities
using everyday materials bring
the Silk Road to life. Young
readers will see how ideas in

math, science, religion, and art were spread by travelers along with the treasures they found. The Silk Road takes readers on an exciting, interactive adventure to a faraway place and celebrates its important role in human history and development. .

Understanding Anxiety Yale University Press

Explains the importance of being safe around pools, lakes, and oceans, whether swimming or in a boat, and points out specific things one can do to remain safe in the water.

Ancient Worlds Chicago Review Press

The poems of the Epic Cycle are assumed to be the reworking of myths and narratives which had their roots in an oral tradition predating that of many of the myths and narratives which took their present form in the Iliad and the Odyssey. The remains of these texts allow us

to investigate diachronic aspects of epic diction as well as the extent of variation within it on the part of individual authors - two of the most important questions in modern research on archaic epic. They also help to illuminate the early history of Greek mythology. Access to the poems, however, has been thwarted by their current fragmentary state. This volume provides the scholarly community and graduate students with a thorough critical foundation for reading and interpreting them.

The Poetics of Community Cambridge University Press
Explores the history of ancient China with 25 projects and includes anecdotes, biographies, and trivia to support the projects and teach kids about this society and its continued influence on modern culture.

An Epic History of Greece and

Rome Routledge

From Homer to the moon, this volume explores the epic journey across space and time in the ancient world.

Lives of Julius Caesar, Nero, Marcus Aurelius and Others The Classical World An Epic History from Homer to Hadrian

John Henry Haaren (born August 13, 1855, New York, New York - d. September 23, 1916, Brooklyn, New York) was an American educator and historian. Haaren's father was German and his mother Irish and English. He studied under Prof. N. M. Butler at Columbia University, 1889-91, before becoming a teacher in New York. In 1907 he became Associate Superintendent of Schools in New York, increasing the number and efficiency of kindergartens and starting classes to teach English to foreigners. He was president of the department of pedagogy in the Brooklyn Institute. Haaren High School (which was located on 10th Avenue between 58th and 59th Streets in Manhattan) was named in his honor. The Charles B. J.

Snyder-designed school which was initially DeWitt Clinton High School is now Haaren Hall on the campus of the John Jay College of Criminal Justice This captivating book offers young readers a memorable and meaningful introduction to the famous leaders and great men of ancient Rome. Its biographical sketches are chronologically arranged, from 753 B.C., the estimated founding of Rome, to A. D. 476, the fall of the Western Empire. Readers can compare and contrast the characters of these great men and see how their actions and ideas influenced Rome and the world.

Seven Wonders of the World

Cambridge University Press

Ancient Epic offers a comprehensive and accessible introduction to six of the greatest ancient epics – Homer's Iliad and Odyssey, Vergil's Aeneid, Ovid's Metamorphoses, and Apollonius of Rhodes' Agonautica. Provides an accessible introduction to the

ancient epic Offers interpretive analyses of poems within a comprehensive historical context Includes a detailed timeline, suggestions for further readings, and an appendix of the Olympian gods and their Akkadian counterparts

A Companion BRILL

"As panoramic as it is learned, this is ancient history for our globalized world." Tom Holland, author of *Dynasty* and *Rubicon*
Twenty-five-hundred years ago, civilizations around the world entered a revolutionary new era that overturned old order and laid the foundation for our world today. In the face of massive social changes across three continents, radical new forms of government emerged; mighty wars were fought over trade, religion, and ideology; and new faiths were ruthlessly employed to unify vast empires. The histories of Rome and China, Greece and India-the stories of Constantine and Confucius, Qin Shi Huangdi and Hannibal-are here revealed to be interconnected

incidents in the midst of a greater drama. In *Ancient Worlds*, historian Michael Scott presents a gripping narrative of this unique age in human civilization, showing how diverse societies responded to similar pressures and how they influenced one another: through conquest and conversion, through trade in people, goods, and ideas. An ambitious reinvention of our grandest histories, *Ancient Worlds* reveals new truths about our common human heritage. "A bold and imaginative page-turner that challenges ideas about the world of antiquity." Peter Frankopan, author of *The Silk Roads*