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Reflections on Big Spring Prometheus Books

The black soldiers, sailors, spies, scouts, guides, and wagoners who participated and sacrificed in the struggle for American independence are profiled in this fascinating history which features prints and portraits from the period.

America's Quiet Unknown Heroes Rockridge Press

From Collins to Cú Chulainn and from Dev to Daniel O'Connell, this is a collection of short biographies of some of the most admirable Irishmen and women in history. The heroes range across time and offer an exceptional overview of Irish history, including well-known figures from the worlds of medicine, science, politics, the Arts and education, as well as some of the lesser-known but equally brave and heroic characters from our history. Designed to inform and entertain both the new reader and those familiar with Irish culture, it features: Michael Davitt, Constance Markievicz, Charles Stewart Parnell, Mary Aikenhead, Éamon de Valera, Patrick Pearse, Brian Boru, George Boole, James Gandon, Henry Joy McCracken, Patrick Sarsfield, Betsy Gray, St Brendan, Henry Grattan, Nano Nagle, Michael Collins, Douglas Hyde, Daniel O'Connell, James Connolly, Jeremiah O'Donovan Rossa, Jonathan Swift, Cú Chulainn, Liam Lynch and Theobald Wolfe Tone, among others.

The League of Regrettable Superheroes Capstone

Unsung Heroes of the American Revolution is not about dates and battles but about courage and character and beliefs. We know the stories of Washington, Adams, Franklin, and Jefferson, but what about the not so famous? What about the supporting cast -- everyone from tavern owners to lawyers? More than twenty are spotlighted in this book. To mention only a few --...the general who took a demotion to help his men...the merchant who stripped ballast from his ship to make bullets ...the sea captain who fought and won a battle by moonlight...the housewife who used her clothesline to send messages...the engineer who outmaneuvered Lord Cornwallis...the sea captain who fought with a handful of men in rowboats...the general who sent his signals with a turkey gobbler call

Betrayed Valor Univ of California Press

This book is a collection of essays on lesser-known figures from American and European history. It includes profiles of such diverse individuals as the Irish revolutionary Robert Emmet, the Russian composer Modest Mussorgsky, and the American explorer Robert Peary. The author provides detailed biographical information as well as insights into the cultural and historical context of each individual. This work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important, and is part of the

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Footprints Of Heroes Forgotten Books

In this graphic novel, Jacob must give a speech on heroes of the American Revolution. When all the well-known historical figures get chosen, he's left wondering about the lesser-known heroes of history. Suddenly he's transported back to 1777 where he meets Sybil Ludington and learns about the events that transpired on that fateful night. This fast-paced, 32-page graphic novel will capture the attention of even the most reluctant reader as they learn about important events and people from history.

The Red Book of Heroes Taylor Trade Publications

"Through gripping photos and action-packed stories, discover history's lesser-known military heroes, who must never be forgotten."--Back cover

King's Mountain and Its Heroes Cambridge Scholars Publishing

Traces the lesser-known effort by an Allied division to find and secure European art that had been looted by the Nazis, outlining the dramatic story of how they risked their lives and raced against time with limited supplies and scraps of information, sometimes obtained from colorful sources. Reprint.

Choosing the Hard Path Gatekeeper Press

Black Frontiers chronicles the life and times of black men and women who settled the West from 1865 to the early 1900s. In this striking book, you'll meet many of these brave individuals face-to-face, through rare vintage photographs and a fascinating account of their real-life history.

Black Frontiers Free Spirit Publishing

Throughout North American history, Native American people have seen great hardship. From the Trail of Tears to the Seminole Wars, most were forced off their tribal lands and faced the might of the US military. However, some Native Americans were brave enough to stand up for their people. Readers are presented with the biographies of famous Native American heroes, such as Geronimo and Red Jacket. The main content uses accessible language to introduce the historical context of their lives, complemented by relevant photographs and images of the time. - Concluding timelines to help readers process information in another way - Emphasizes the Native American side of the story, giving readers a new historical perspective - Introduces lesser-

known historical figures and events for readers' further exploration

Black Heroes of the American Revolution Simon and Schuster Delve into the lives and legacies of the brave men who fought for America's independence in this compelling book. From the founding fathers to lesser-known heroes, this volume offers a comprehensive look at the people and ideas that shaped the birth of a nation. This work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important, and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it. This work is in the "public domain in the United States of America, and possibly other nations. Within the United States, you may freely copy and distribute this work, as no entity (individual or corporate) has a copyright on the body of the work. Scholars believe, and we concur, that this work is important enough to be preserved, reproduced, and made generally available to the public. We appreciate your support of the preservation process, and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant.

Heroes of the U.S. Military Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

This book tackles the messy details, reclaims disregarded heroes, and sets the record straight. It also explains why July 4th isn't really Independence Day.

Outlaw Heroes in Myth and History Quirk Books

Publisher Fact Sheet The life of an explorer, amateur naturalist, philanthropist, & pioneer in the field of science.

Historical Heroes Lb Books

The little known story of the largest rescue mission of World War II...Based on the testimony of hundreds of American Airmen comes a story of bravery, betrayal, and hope... By the summer of 1943, Hitler had ruthlessly occupied most of Europe. Determined to stop him, the Allies are stepping up their attacks on the Romanian Ploesti Oil Fields. For Lieutenant's O'Donnell and Petrovich of the 15th Air Force, this flight was just one mission closer to ending this God forsaken war. However, when the Nazis attack, tragedy strikes and nothing is ever the same again. Back at the Allied base in Italy, Lieutenant Petrovich refuses to believe that O'Donnell is dead. Fighting his way through a merciless web of deception and governmental red tape, he is desperate to convince the Royal Air Force to approve a seek and find mission. Convinced that a mission would be suicide, they refuse. Stranded in Yugoslavia and unsure of what awaits him, O'Donnell is taken on a journey for miles through the mountains, hills and forests of Serbia. When he arrives, he is shocked at what he finds. Unsure of anything anymore, O'Donnell tries to survive behind enemy lines and finds himself fighting for a cause that he never thought would be his. Surrounded by tens of thousands of Nazis, an evacuation seems impossible and O'Donnell's time is quickly running out. Based on actual events and one of the best kept secrets of US history, Betrayed Valor tells the story of one of the largest and

most daring rescue missions of World War II—Operation Halyard. *Ride Across Time* ebook Outskirts Press

During Black History Month, we pause to salute and reflect on the contributions African-Americans have made to the rich fabric that makes up the United States. There are many untold stories that reveal the best of Americans who stepped up when duty called, broke through barriers, or quietly made their communities better one person at a time. Not everyone who has helped to change the country and the world always get the credit they deserve, even though their actions are the kind of impact that changes things for the better. There are many hidden figures of untaught history who deserve to be celebrated for their incredible contributions, but their names are left out of the narrative. Although American history often resonates with the names of many great African-American men and women, there are countless other lesser-known inspiring figures who have contributed significantly and helped to shape American and World history. The African-American story often reflects on struggle, but there are many untold stories of inspiration, innovation, courage, genius and bravery. Although not widely recognized, the men and women mentioned in this book have made significant contributions to the fields of science, politics, law, technology, civil rights, medicine, and beyond. Their personal stories and experiences may have been often overlooked, but their impact to our society and the world has been monumental. While African-American history is expansive and wide, there are generations of figures and heroes that we may be completely unaware of. Although scores of little-known individuals helped to shape history, from medical breakthroughs to fighting fearlessly through opposition, this group of historical heavyweights all deserve to be household names, along with their legacies etched into American history. Even though they didn't get the recognition as other historic well known individuals, these hidden figures were just as instrumental. Along with their sacrifices and efforts, their accomplishments were just as pivotal to several historic movements.

Unsung Heroes Harper Collins

In this graphic novel, Jacob must give a speech on heroes of the American Revolution. When all the well-known historical figures get chosen, he's left wondering about the lesser-known heroes of

history. Suddenly he's transported back to 1777 where he meets Sybil Ludington and learns about the events that transpired on that fateful night. This fast-paced, 32-page graphic novel will capture the attention of even the most reluctant reader as they learn about important events and people from history.

Character Is Destiny Teacher Created Materials

Lifting the lid on the lives and times of seven historical figures, including Julius Caesar, Joan of Arc and Charles Darwin, this book provides an alternative look at history.

Unsung Heroes of the American Revolution St. Martin's Press
Jim Wilson's fascinating work *Choosing the Hard Path: A Personal History and Memoir* is the story of one man's fight on the front lines of American history at a tumultuous time defined by the Vietnam War and the Civil Rights movement. Wilson labored alongside the great social justice warriors of the times including John Lewis, Dorothy Day, Dan and Phil Berrigan and lesser known heroes who wanted to change the world. In a vivid text, Wilson shares details of his life, his role in the Civil Rights protests in Selma, Alabama, and what led him to the pivotal moment when he and four other young men burned their draft cards in the heart of New York City as the national press and American public looked on. That refusal to serve in the military cost him his freedom, ultimately saw him sentenced to years in prison. The repercussions of those choices reverberated through the years and shaped Wilson's views on topics from criminal justice to immigration. Wilson also reflects on his years in prison, and the effect it had on his life and career—including an attempt at public office, no small feat for someone with a prison record. This absorbing read offers a rare first-hand look at a turbulent time in the U.S. authored by someone who lived it all.

Great Irish Heroes Legare Street Press

History is full to the brim with untold tales of heroics and villainy, gruesome battles, hilarious happenings and downright bizarre coincidences. Meet the war veteran who lost an eye and amputated his own fingers. Discover the original Die Hards, whose bravery would put even Bruce Willis to shame. Just who stole the still-missing Irish crown jewels and how did Adeline, Countess of Cardigan, scandalise society so completely? In *Lessons from History*, Alex Deane takes us on an uproarious romp through the tales you didn't hear at school. With stories ranging

from the little-known characters who played their vital parts in the world's most famous wars to the remarkable adventures of figures across the centuries, to events so extraordinary as to be almost – almost – unbelievable, this book proves that fact is almost always wilder than fiction. Bringing these stories joyfully and often poignantly back to life, Deane finally shines a light on the tales lost to history, and on what we might learn from them today.

On Her Own Terms Mercier Press Ltd

America's Quiet Unknown Heroes, based on oral history and personal written statements, chronicles the experiences of eight Japanese American men who were former Prisoners of War during World War II. The book provides a framework for looking at the relationship between culture, stressful events and human behavior.

Ireland Legare Street Press

Meet extraordinary black heroes throughout history—biographies for kids ages 8 to 12 You're invited to meet ancient Egyptian rulers, brilliant scientists, legendary musicians, and civil rights activists—all in the same book! *Black Heroes* introduces you to 51 black leaders and role models from both history and modern times. This black history book for kids features inspirational biographies of trailblazers from the United States, Egypt, Britain, and more. Discover where in the world they lived, and what their lives were like growing up. Learn about the obstacles they faced on the way to making groundbreaking accomplishments. You'll find out how these inspirational figures created lasting change—and paved the way for future generations. *Black Heroes: A Black History Book for Kids* features: Fascinating biographies—Read about famous icons like Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and Harriet Tubman, as well as lesser-known pioneers like aviator Bessie Coleman and astronomer Benjamin Banneker. Ways to learn more—Every biography includes an idea for a new way to explore the person and their work, like a book to read, website to visit, or video to watch. Colorful portraits—Bring the historical heroes to life in your imagination with the help of full-color illustrations. *Black Heroes* goes beyond other black history biographies for kids to highlight people from around the world and across time. Who will your new hero be?

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