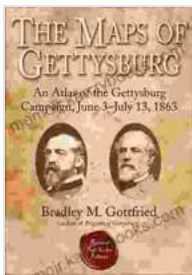


The Maps of Gettysburg: A Guide to History's Most Famous Battle

The Battle of Gettysburg was a turning point in the American Civil War. Fought from July 1-3, 1863, the battle resulted in a Union victory and effectively ended Confederate hopes of winning the war. The battle was fought on a series of hills and ridges just outside the town of Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. The terrain played a major role in the battle, and a detailed understanding of the battlefield is essential for understanding the battle's history.



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historical context and analysis. The book also includes a timeline of the battle, a glossary of terms, and a bibliography for further research.

The Maps of Gettysburg is an essential resource for anyone interested in the Battle of Gettysburg. The book's clear and concise maps and text make it a valuable tool for both students and historians. The book is also a beautiful object, with a sturdy hardcover binding and high-quality paper. It is a must-have for any library or collection on the American Civil War.

The Maps

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The maps are divided into three sections:

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The Text

The text in *The Maps of Gettysburg* provides historical context and analysis for the maps. It is written by a team of historians who have spent years studying the battle. The text is clear and concise, and it is accessible to both students and historians.

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The Author

The Maps of Gettysburg was written by a team of historians who have spent years studying the battle. The team was led by J. David Petruzzi, a professor of history at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Petruzzi is a leading expert on the Battle of Gettysburg, and he has written extensively about the battle's history and significance.

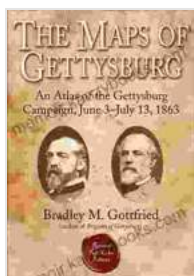
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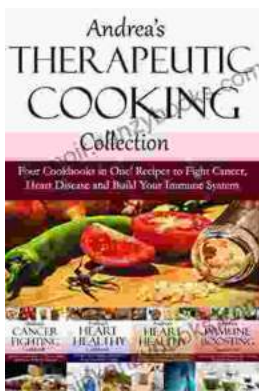
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