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Girls Who Rocked The World: Heroines From Joan Of Arc To Mother Teresa





Synopsis

â œYoung women looking for inspiration will surely find itâ • (Booklist) in these profiles of forty-six movers and shakers who made their mark before they turned twenty. This fun and inspiring collection of influential stories provides forty-six illustrated examples of strong, independent female role models, all of whom first impacted the world as teenagers or younger. Originally published in two volumes over a decade ago, this fully updated and expanded edition of Girls Who Rocked the World spans a variety of achievements, interests, and backgrounds, from Harriet Tubman and Coco Chanel to S.E. Hinton and Maya Linâ "each with her own incredible story of how she created life-changing opportunities for herself and the world. Personal aspirations from todayâ ™s young women are interspersed throughout the book, which also includes profiles of teenagers who are rocking the world right nowâ "girls like Winter Vinecki, the creator of the nonprofit organization Team Winter, and Jazmin Whitley, the youngest designer to show at L.A. Fashion Week. Itâ ™s never too soon to start making a difference, and these exhilarating examples of girl power in action make for ideal motivation.

Book Information

Lexile Measure: 1070L (What's this?) Paperback: 256 pages Publisher: Aladdin/Beyond Words; Reprint edition (October 30, 2012) Language: English ISBN-10: 1582703027 ISBN-13: 978-1582703022 Product Dimensions: 5.5 x 0.7 x 8.2 inches Shipping Weight: 8 ounces (View shipping rates and policies) Average Customer Review: 4.7 out of 5 stars 72 customer reviews Best Sellers Rank: #22,486 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #44 in Books > Children's Books > Biographies > Women #162 in Books > Children's Books > Education & Reference > History #163 in A Books > Children's Books > Geography & Cultures > Explore the World Age Range: 8 - 12 years Grade Level: 3 - 7

Customer Reviews

"Girls Who Rocked the World is full of inspiring stories about young women who demonstrate that people of all ages have the power to create change in the world." â "Midori Goto, violinist, activist,

and United Nations Messenger of Peace"In an appealing, conversational style, McCann presents short biographies of young women from all over the world, from ancient to contemporary, who prove that youth need not prevent one making a difference....An inspiring, empowering compendium." (Kirkus Reviews)

Michelle Roehm McCann has worked as a childrenâ [™]s book editor and art director for more than twenty years, as well as writing and compiling seven award-winning childrenâ [™]s books of her own. She lives in Portland, Oregon, with her husband, two world-rocking kids, and their brilliant cats, Horace and Percy.Amelie Welden started working on the first version of Girls Who Rocked the World as a college student in Portland, Oregon. More recently, she returned to her interest in writing and received an MFA in creative writing from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. She currently teaches composition at the University of Michigan Dearborn and at Oakland University.

I found this book in our library and enjoyed it so much I bought copies for my granddaughters who are all teens or preteens. Perfect!

I bought this book for my daughter. She loved it so much, I bought it for my nieces. It's now my go to birthday gift for her friends.

This is a great book because you don't have to read it cover to cover (makes my daughter happy)! My daughter looks through the list of 'girls who rocked the world' and chooses one to read about. Each section is just long enough to grab her attention and give her a little information about that person. There have been a few that she wants to research further.

This is a great book and my eight year old daughter is excited to learn about women who rocked history!

Good book for my 10 year old daughter. Little chapter stories to read about influential women who ROCK!

Would have liked a little more of a visual/picture with each story. It will work for us just would have been nice.

I give books to kids to encourage them to read and this is a wonderful book for teen girls.

My 9 year old has thoroughly enjoyed this book.

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