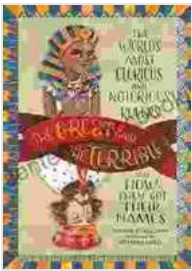


The World's Most Glorious and Notorious Rulers and How They Got Their Names

Throughout history, there have been many great and powerful rulers. Some have been known for their wisdom and benevolence, while others have been known for their cruelty and tyranny. But all of them have had one thing in common: they all had a name.



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In this book, we will take a look at the names of some of the most famous and infamous rulers in history. We will see how they got their names, and what their names tell us about them. We will also see how their names have shaped their legacy.

Alexander the Great

Alexander the Great was one of the most successful military commanders in history. He conquered a vast empire that stretched from Greece to India. Alexander was born in Pella, Macedonia, in 356 BC. His father was Philip II of Macedon, and his mother was Olympias, the daughter of King Neoptolemus I of Epirus.

Alexander's name means "defender of men." This name was given to him by his father, who was a great admirer of Hercules, the Greek hero who was known for his strength and courage. Alexander's name proved to be prophetic, as he went on to become one of the greatest military commanders in history.

Cleopatra

Cleopatra was the last pharaoh of Egypt. She was a powerful and ambitious ruler who ruled for nearly 30 years. Cleopatra was born in Alexandria, Egypt, in 69 BC. Her father was Ptolemy XII Auletes, and her mother was Cleopatra V Tryphaena.

Cleopatra's name means "glory of her father." This name was given to her by her father, who was very proud of her. Cleopatra's name proved to be prophetic, as she went on to become one of the most famous and powerful women in history.

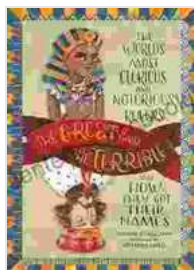
Genghis Khan

Genghis Khan was the founder of the Mongol Empire. He was a brilliant military leader who conquered a vast empire that stretched from China to Eastern Europe. Genghis Khan was born in Mongolia in 1162. His father

was Yesugei, a Mongol chieftain, and his mother was Hoelun, a Mongol shaman.

Genghis Khan's name means "universal ruler." This name was given to him by his followers, who believed that he was destined to rule the world. Genghis Khan's name proved to be prophetic, as he went on to become one of the most powerful rulers in history.

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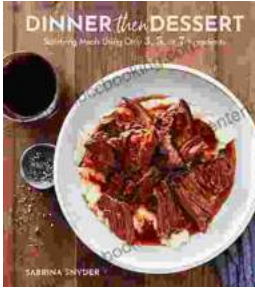
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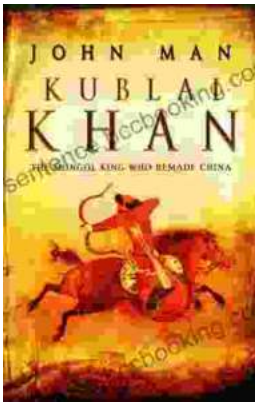
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