The Complete Gone With The Wind Trivia Book: The Movie And More

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Synopsis

A Must-Have for Gone With the Wind Fans! From Margaret Mitchell’s tattered manuscript to the film’s seventy-fifth anniversary, this book is a behind-the-scenes chronicle of Gone With the Wind—the book, the movie, and the phenomenon that continues today. Related in loving detail are inside stories of the writing and publishing of the novel; the Hollywood frenzy of transforming the book into film, including casting headaches, on-set tensions, and jinxed scenes; the premiere; and the Academy Awards. This updated edition also contains the scoop on the publication of two GWTW sequels; the disastrous debut of the Scarlett television miniseries; the post “GWTW lives of cast members, such as the news of Gable’s secret lovechild; the restoration of three original costumes in time for GWTW’s seventy-fifth anniversary; and much, much more. The reader-friendly format “fact-packed features, profiles, quizzes, and photographs “will delight any GWTW fan and make this the one book that no “Windie can do without.

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Customer Reviews

Pauline Bartel’s "Gone With The Wind Trivia Book" is very interesting and entertaining! Ms. Bartel demonstrates a deep passion and understanding for her subject. The book is well organized and hits on HOW the many diverse points that the film based on Margaret Mitchell’s book and the novel itself tie in to Hollywood film history and American culture. A great book for anyone and a MUST if you are a Gone With The Wind fan!

I read the first edition of this trivia book back when it was released in 1989 and it made me feel like
an aficionado of everything GWTW at that time. Having sat down to read this second edition twenty-five years later, Pauline Bartel, with her exciting and engaging writing style, keeps Gone With the Wind fresh as it was in 1949 and continues to shock, surprise, and delight the fans of Gone With the Wind with the rare nuggets of information that she supplies. She marries so seamlessly the tales from the 1930s and carries the story through to the publishing of Ruth’s Journey in the for the 75th anniversary of the cinematic release in 2014. For the die hard fan, those even mildly interested in the saga of movie making in the 1930s, or brand new fans to Gone With the Wind, you will keep this on the shelf tucked between your copy of the novel and the blu-ray. Well, for me, my copy has always sat between my copy of the novel and the VHS, then the DVD, and then the blu-ray. The book and the phenomenon have grown with the times. Every Gone With the Wind fan will give a damn about this treasure trove between to covers!

Great book for Gone With The Wind fans! Very well written, easy to read. Full of interesting stories and facts about one of the greatest movies of all times. I highly recommend this book, be it for yourself or as a gift.

We found the book very interesting. Glad that answers to the questions were in the back.

If you are a GWTW fan, you will love this book!!

This book is the most comprehensive trivia guide I have ever read. It tells of many back-stories of the directors, actors and Margaret Mitchell herself. A must -have for any GWTW enthusiast.

Good reference book.

Contains so many fascinating tidbits about the movie. Easy to read and will be handy to pick up periodically for some light reading to fill the time.

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