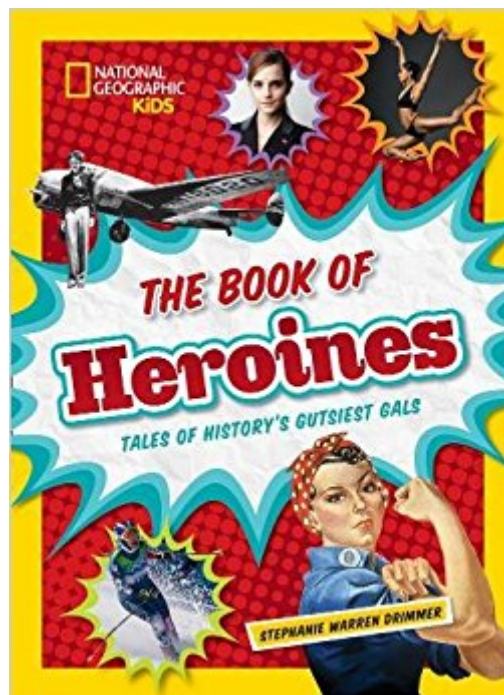




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# The Book Of Heroines: Tales Of History's Gutsiest Gals (History (World))



## Synopsis

Everybody needs a role model! Discover true stories of superstars, war heroes, world leaders, gusty gals, and everyday women who changed the world. From Sacagawea to Mother Teresa, Annie Oakley to Malala Yousafzai, these famous women hiked up their pants and petticoats and charged full-speed ahead to prove girls are just as tough as boys...maybe even tougher. Complete with amazing images and a fun design, this is the book that every kid with a goal, hope, or dream will want to own.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 8 - 12 years

Grade Level: 3 - 7

## Customer Reviews

"...Introduces readers to more than 75 notable female figures, real and imaginary, representing a diverse group ranging from ancient times to present day. ...this graphic-rich book will attract browsers, hold their interest, and inspire further research. " -- Booklist"...a bold, bright collection, packed with photos and illustrations of impressive women who have changed the world. Athletes, world leaders, freedom fighters, space pioneers... even everyday people (and animals!) are

portrayed in splashy two-page spreads, along with occasional "Daring Dudes" sidebars featuring male heroes." -- Shelf Awareness.

STEPHANIE WARREN DRIMMER writes for children as well as adults. Her favorite kid book topics include a planet where it rains rocks, the chemistry of the perfect cookie, and scientists who use light to control mouse brains.

I bought this for my 10 year old granddaughter. I wanted to reinforce with her that she can be anything she wants to be when she grows up. I didn't think she would be real interested in it but she started reading it on a long car ride right away, and was telling us about the women she was reading about. Very positive read for young girls.

Absolutely phenomenal book at a budget price -- you won't want to miss The Book of Heroines as a gift for a girl or an adult. I'll look it over again and again, and I'm so happy that I was able to present it to the tween in our family. Totally recommended!

Bought for my granddaughter. It has brief stories of women who successfully assumed roles that weren't traditionally "female". They are good role models for young girls today.

A great book, a woman I knew was in it!!

I made a mistake and bought the book a little early for her age, but she sits and reads with her mother and is able to pay a limited amount of attention.

My 8 yo daughter is absolutely addicted to this book. Pores over each story at night, after she should be going to sleep. Has been truly inspired by many of the stories which are well written, detailed enough to be interesting without talking down to the kids.

A must have book for girls (and boys). "Daring Dudes" are featured in sections that correspond to the contributions of the heroines. My 14 yr. old granddaughter loved it. Kind of book that you don't need to read chronologically and returned to over and over.

A great read, a wonderful resource for culture and history. Quite comprehensive. But I was puzzled

by the last section on animals, why was it included in the book?

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