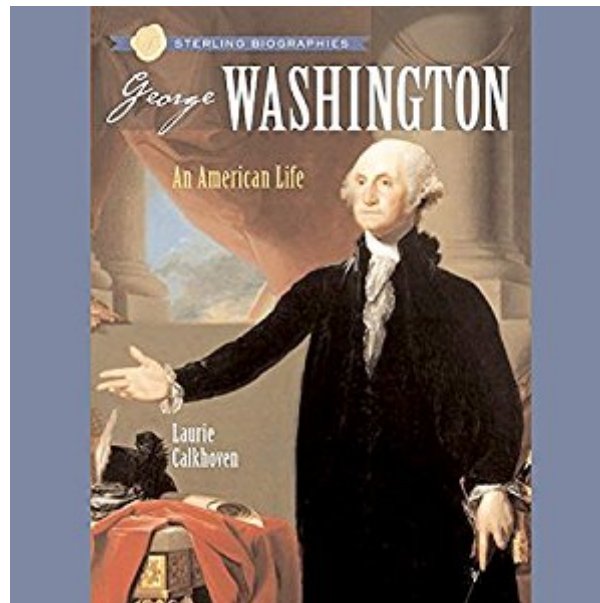




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Customer Reviews

For those who like me are new in this country but wish to learn more about its history and especially the founding fathers, this book is a quick and easy read. Very helpful, nothing bad to say about it. Perfect for young readers and adult readers who are green in US history.

This is an excellent book about our first President. I would recommend it to people of all ages and especially to students.

My son is in 4th grade and needed info about our first president. It was written so that he could understand and use the info for his report.

This is the best biography for young people I've seen in a long time. I grew up loving biographies, and am always drawn to new ones on the shelves. The format is beautiful, and the writing clear, concise and entertaining. A must-have for classrooms, libraries, and the personal collections of history buffs of all ages.

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I bought this books for my 10 year old daughter so she could earn the George Washington reading pin when her Girl Scout troop went to Mount Vernon. She read the book, and I think that she learned a little about our first president, but she complained about how boring it was. My daughter loves to read and will read just about anything, so for her to ask if she has to read the WHOLE book to earn her pin was really strange. In the end she read the whole book and we had a wonderful day at Mount Vernon, but I wish this book had tried to be a little more entertaining for the age group it is intended for because I don't want my daughter growing up thinking history is boring.

Well done for its small number of pages but is best as a purchase by, or for, a middle school student.

The best biography I've seen on George Washington. Thoroughly researched, information-rich, yet very accessible. A stunning book complete with photographs and sidebars that kids and teachers will enjoy reading. This book would be a favorite on reading lists and library shelves!

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