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A Concise
History of

Spain
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This concise,
illustrated
history of
Portugal offers
an
introduction to

the people
and culture of
the country,
its empire,
and to its
search for
economic
modernisation
, political
stability and

international partnership. The book studies the effects of the vast wealth mined from Portuguese Brazil, the growth of the wine trade, and the evolution of international ties. The Portuguese Revolution of 1820 to 1851 created a liberal monarchy, but in 1910 the king was overthrown and, by 1926, had been replaced by a dictatorship. In 1975 Portugal withdrew from its African

colonies and turned north to become a democratic member of the European Community in 1986. Researched during the years which followed the fall of Portugal's dictators in 1974, this book has become the standard single-volume work. The second edition brings the story up to date and discusses the state of historical writing on Portugal at the turn of the millennium.

A Concise History of Russia
Cambridge University Press
Since its publication in 2007, *A Brief History of the Spanish Language* has become the leading introduction to the history of one of the world's most widely spoken languages. Moving from the language's Latin roots to its present-day forms, this concise book offers readers insights into the origin and evolution of

Spanish, the historical and cultural changes that shaped it, and its spread around the world. A Brief History of the Spanish Language focuses on the most important aspects of the development of the Spanish language, eschewing technical jargon in favor of straightforward explanations. Along the way, it answers many of the common questions that puzzle native

speakers and non-native speakers alike, such as: Why do some regions use tú while others use vos? How did the th sound develop in Castilian? And why is it la mesa but el agua? David A. Pharies, a world-renowned expert on the history and development of Spanish, has updated this edition with new research on all aspects of the evolution of Spanish and current demographic information. This book is

perfect for anyone with a basic understanding of Spanish and a desire to further explore its roots. It also provides an ideal foundation for further study in any area of historical Spanish linguistics and early Spanish literature. A Brief History of the Spanish Language is a grand journey of discovery, revealing in a beautifully compact format the fascinating story of the language in both Spain

and Spanish America. Cambridge University Press An illustrated introduction to Mexico's historical and contemporary issues, problems and events. *Prohibition* Oxford University Press Born out of violence and the aspirations of its early settlers, the United States of America has become one of the world's most powerful nations. The book begins in colonial

America as the first Europeans arrived, lured by the promise of financial profit, driven by religious piety and accompanied by diseases which would ravage the native populations. It explores the tensions inherent in a country built on slave labour in the name of liberty, one forced to assert its unity and reassess its ideals in the face of secession and civil war, and one that

struggled to establish moral supremacy, military security and economic stability during the financial crises and global conflicts of the twentieth century. Woven through this richly crafted study of America's shifting social and political landscapes are the multiple voices of the nation's history: slaves and slave owners, revolutionaries and reformers,

soldiers and statesmen, immigrants and refugees. These voices help define the United States at the dawn of a new century.

Europe's First Great Queen

Cambridge University Press
The rich cultural and political life of Spain has emerged from its complex history, from the diversity of its peoples, and from continual contact with outside influences. This book traces that

history from prehistoric times to the present, focusing particularly on culture, society, politics, and personalities. Written in an engaging style, it introduces readers to the key themes that have shaped Spain's history and culture. These include its varied landscapes and climates; the impact of waves of diverse human migrations; the importance of its location as

a bridge between the Atlantic and the Mediterranean and Europe and Africa; and religion, particularly militant Catholic Christianity and its centuries of conflict with Islam and Protestantism, as well as debates over the place of the Church in modern Spain. Illustrations, maps, and a guide to further reading, major cultural figures, and places to see, make the history of this

fascinating country come alive. [A Concise History of the Spanish Civil War](#) A Concise History of Spain A Concise History of Spain Updated from the original 1999 publication, *The History of Spain* examines Spain's long and fascinating history, from the earliest cave dwellers of Altamira to today's current political strife with Catalonia. • Includes a

timeline of significant events, providing students with an at-a-glance overview of Spain's history

- Provides an appendix of Notable People in the History of Spain with brief biographies of those who have made important contributions to the country's history.
- Supports the text with photos and maps
- Features an annotated bibliography with detailed information on

further resources for personal research

Imagining Spain

University of Chicago Press

A Concise History of the Caribbean presents a general history of the Caribbean islands from the beginning of human settlement about seven thousand years ago to the present. It narrates processes of early human migration, the disastrous consequences of European colonization, the

development of slavery and the slave trade, the extraordinary profits earned by the plantation economy, the great revolution in Haiti, movements toward political independence, the Cuban Revolution, and the diaspora of Caribbean people. Written in a lively and accessible style yet current with the most recent research, the book provides a compelling

narrative of Caribbean history essential for students and visitors. The History of Spain, 2nd Edition Cambridge University Press Engaging history of the rich cultural, social and political life of Spain from prehistoric times to the present. *A Concise History of Australia* London : Thames and Hudson Australia is the last continent to be settled by Europeans,

but it also sustains a people and a culture tens of thousands of years old. For much of the past 200 years the newcomers have sought to replace the old with the new. This book tells how they imposed themselves on the land, and brought technology, institutions and ideas to make it their own. It relates the advance from penal colony to a prosperous free nation and illustrates how, in a nation created

by waves of newcomers, the search for binding traditions has long been frustrated by the feeling of rootlessness. This revised edition incorporates the most recent historical research and contemporary historical debates on frontier violence between European settlers and Aborigines and the Stolen Generations. It covers the Sydney Olympics, the refugee crisis and the

'Pacific solution'. More than ever before, Australians draw on the past to understand their future. A Concise History Cambridge University Press This Very Short Introduction offers a powerfully-written explanation of the Spanish Civil war's complex origins and course, and explores its impact on a personal and international scale. It examines

Spanish participation in European resistance movements during World War II and also the ongoing civil war waged politically, economically, judicially and culturally inside Spain by Francoism after its military victory in 1939. During this time, history writing itself became a battleground, and the book charts the Franco regime's attempt to appropriate the past.

Graham has provided an ethical reflection on the war in the context of Europe's tumultuous twentieth century, highlighting why it has inspired some of the greatest writers of our time, and how the effects of this regime continue to resonate today in Britain, continental Europe, and beyond.

A Brief History of Portable Literature
ABC-CLIO
'Imagining Spain' is an analysis of the

myths that Spaniards have held, and continue to hold, about themselves and about their collective past. The text discusses how perceptions of key aspects of early modern Spain were influenced by ideologies that continue to play a role in the formation of contemporary Spanish attitudes.

A Concise History of the Common Law The Lawbook Exchange, Ltd.
Traces the history of France from

the early middle ages to the 1990s, discussing political power, economic activity, social structures, the impact of war, and outstanding figures in French history
A Concise History of the Spanish Civil War
Cambridge University Press
Long neglected by European historians, the unspeakable atrocities of Franco's Spain are finally brought to tragic light in this definitive

work. Evoking such classics as Anne Applebaum's *Gulag* and Robert Conquest's *The Great Terror*, *The Spanish Holocaust* sheds light on one of the darkest and most unexamined eras of modern European history. As Spain finally reclaims its historical memory, a full picture can now be drawn of the atrocities of Franco's Spain—from torture and judicial

murders to the abuse of women and children. Paul Preston provides an unforgettable account of the systematic terror carried out by Spain's fascist government.

The Spanish Holocaust: Inquisition and Extermination in Twentieth-Century Spain

Cambridge University Press
A reader's fictional tour of the art and lives of some of the great 20th-century Surrealists An

author (a version of Vila-Matas himself) presents a short "history" of a secret society, the *Shandies*, who are obsessed with the concept of "portable literature."

The society is entirely imagined, but in this rollicking, intellectually playful book, its members include writers and artists like Marcel Duchamp, Aleister Crowley, Witold Gombrowicz, Federico García Lorca,

Man Ray, and Georgia O'Keefe. The Shandies meet secretly in apartments, hotels, and cafes all over Europe to discuss what great literature really is: brief, not too serious, penetrating the depths of the mysterious. We witness the Shandies having adventures in stationary submarines, underground caverns, African backwaters, and the cultural capitals of

Europe.
A Brief History of Italy
Bloomsbury Publishing USA
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books that need to be read. Each Good Press edition has been meticulously edited and formatted to boost readability for all e-readers and devices. Our goal is to produce eBooks that are user-friendly and accessible to everyone in a high-quality digital format. *A Concise History of Wales* Cambridge University Press
Despite the Roman Empire's famous 500-

year reign over Europe, parts of Africa and the Middle East, Italy does not have the same long national history as states such as France or England. Divided for much of its history, Italy's regions have been, at various times, parts of bigger, often antagonistic empires, notably those of Spain and Austria. In addition, its challenging and varied terrain made consolidation of political

control all the more difficult. This concise history covers, in very readable fashion, the formative events in Italy's past from the rise of Rome, through a unified country in thrall to fascism in the first half of the twentieth century right up to today. The birthplace of the Renaissance and the place where the Baroque was born, Italy has always been a hotbed of culture. Within modern Italy

country there is fierce regional pride in the cultures and identities that mark out Tuscany, Rome, Sicily and Venice to name just a few of Italy's many famous regions. Jeremy Black draws on the diaries, memoirs and letters of historic travellers to Italy to gain insight into the passions of its people, first chronologically then regionally. In telling Italy's story, Black examines what it is that

has given
Italians such
cultural clout -
from food and
drink, music
and fashion,
to art and
architecture -
and explores
the causes
and effects of
political
events, and
the divisions
that still exist
today.

Second
Edition Oxford
University
Press, USA
A concise
history of Italy
from the fall of
the Roman
empire in the
west to the
present day.

**A Concise
History of
Mexico**
Oxford
University

Press, USA
This book tells
the story of
humankind as
producers and
reproducers
from the
Paleolithic to
the present.
Renowned
social and
cultural
historian
Merry
Wiesner-
Hanks brings
a new
perspective to
world history
by examining
social and
cultural
developments
across the
globe,
including
families and
kin groups,
social and
gender
hierarchies,
sexuality, race

and ethnicity,
labor, religion,
consumption,
and material
culture. She
examines how
these
structures and
activities
changed over
time through
local
processes and
interactions
with other
cultures,
highlighting
key
developments
that defined
particular eras
such as the
growth of
cities or the
creation of a
global trading
network.
Incorporating
foragers,
farmers and
factory
workers along

with shamans, scribes and secretaries, the book widens and lengthens human history. It makes comparisons and generalizations, but also notes diversities and particularities, as it examines the social and cultural

matters that are at the heart of big questions in world history today.

A Concise History of Spain Oxford University Press
Simon Barton provides an up-to-date analysis of the historical development of Spain from

its origins to modern times.

Liberty, Equality, Solidarity
Cambridge University Press
Photographs, posters, and drawings highlight an examination of the key events and immediate effects of the Spanish Civil War.