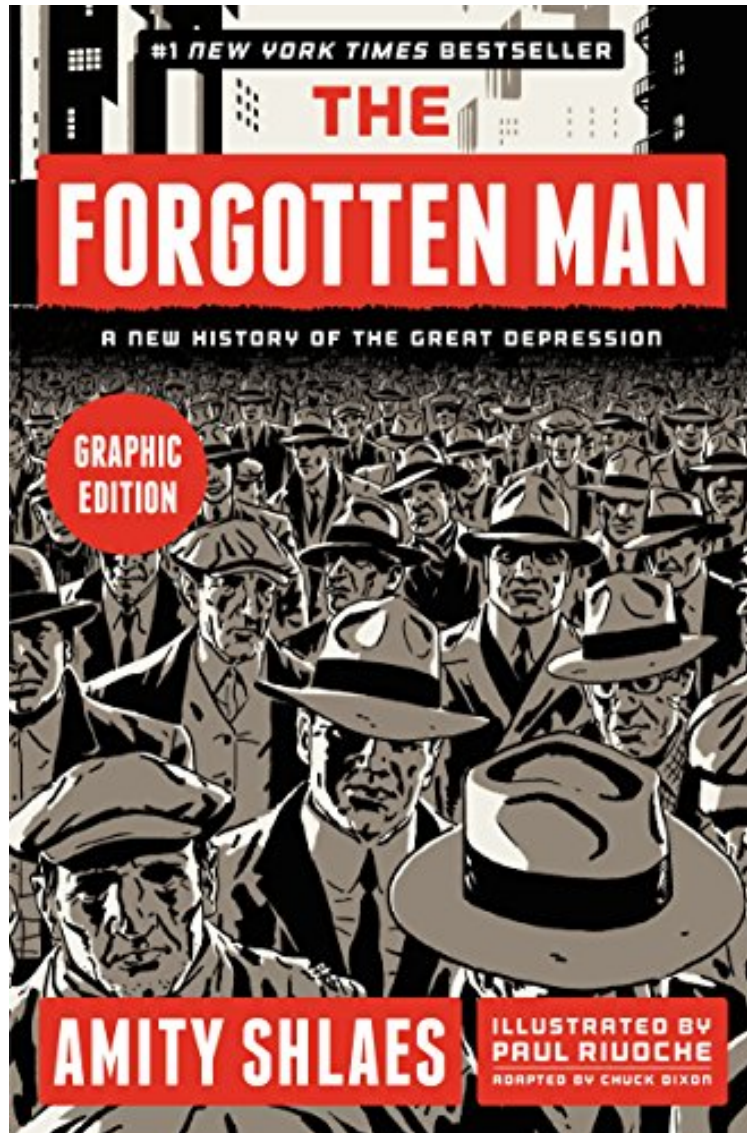


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AdviceThe Forgotten Man Graphic Edition originally written by Amity Shlaes is comic adaptation of a bit controversial title A New History of the Great Depression where its author who is one of the most respected economic analysts provided different interpretation of the time known as the Great Depression. The importance of the book is primarily in the fact that it provides a different picture compared to what we were taught in the schools of this period; in same time being extremely informative about the Great Depression, it manages to somehow end the history myths that are usually connected with those times, mainly about the view on Roosevelt's New Deal. What is certainly evident is amount of time author spent writing and researching her book, therefore it is not surprising that the result is such an interesting and extensive work, which is extremely important to consider from the historical and economic point of view. Speaking about this graphic version, first I would say that the audience the author addresses is different from the one of text version - this edition will be more liked by younger people who may not have enough time or will to go through 500 pages of text, but also for those who love graphics novel in general because it certainly offers great illustrations and interesting story, especially for a person who has not read the original book. The story is told from the perspective of Wendell Willkie, an executive who worked in utilities company, a man who ran against Franklin Delano Roosevelt in the election back in 1940. Willkie will introduce reader to the history of the Great Depression, though in moments his story can somehow seem disjointed, perhaps in this way also giving criticism how contradictory the New Deal policies actually were. Speaking about the artistic value, it is something where this book particularly shines providing great black white illustrations, author Paul Rivoche manages to serve extremely well book theme, so those that will judge the book only based on this aspect will be extremely satisfied. Overall, with The Forgotten Man Graphic Edition Amity Shlaes provided an appealing graphic adaption of work important to consider from the historical and economic point of view, which will be equally enjoyed by fans of comics, history and economics.

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