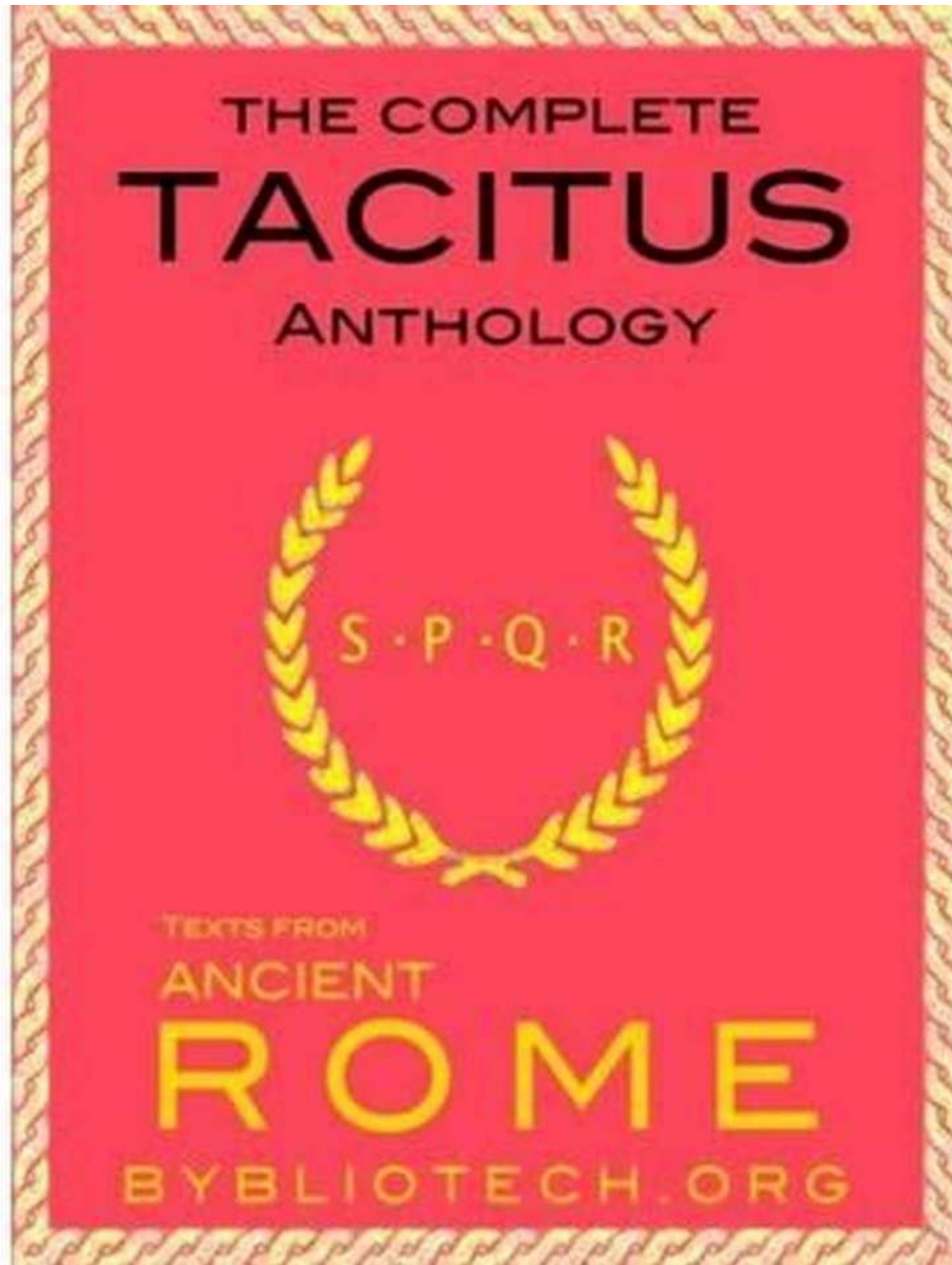


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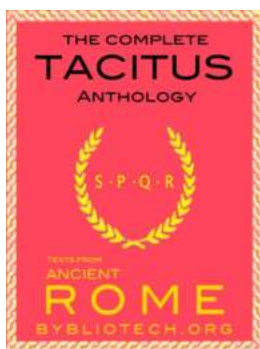
The Life and Works of Tacitus

Tacitus was born in 56 AD in what is now modern-day France. He began his career as a lawyer and served as a senator, gaining insights into the political

landscape of his time. His experiences as a senator provided him with unparalleled access to the inner workings of the Roman Empire, allowing him to craft his remarkable historical accounts.

The Annals

Tacitus' most famous work is "The Annals," which covers the period from the reign of Emperor Tiberius to Emperor Nero. This monumental work provides us with invaluable insights into the political intrigues, scandals, and power struggles that dominated the Roman Empire during this time.



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In "The Annals," Tacitus meticulously chronicles the reigns of various emperors, whose personalities and actions shaped the destiny of Rome. He delves into the reigns of Tiberius, Caligula, Claudius, and Nero, providing an unfiltered account of their excesses, follies, and cruelty. Tacitus' portrayal of these emperors is marked by a sense of skepticism and criticism, making "The Annals" a compelling read.

The Histories

Another noteworthy work by Tacitus is "The Histories," which focuses on the period of civil war after the death of Nero. This historical narrative covers the events of the Year of the Four Emperors (69 AD) and the subsequent Flavian Dynasty.

In "The Histories," Tacitus delves deeper into the political turmoil, military campaigns, and power struggles that arose during this chaotic period. His vivid and detailed descriptions bring to life the battles, intrigues, and shifting alliances that ultimately led to Vespasian's rise to power.

Tacitus' Writing Style and Influence

Tacitus' writings stand out for their vivid storytelling, attention to detail, and rich character portrayals. His works provide readers with a glimpse into the lives of the Roman elite, as well as the struggles of the common people. Tacitus' sharp observations and critical analysis of Roman society continue to fascinate historians and enthusiasts alike.

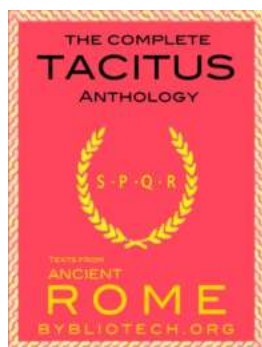
Furthermore, Tacitus' influence on historical writing cannot be overstated. His penetrating insights and commitment to truth-telling laid the foundation for future historians. The Complete Tacitus Anthology offers a comprehensive collection of his works, allowing readers to explore Roman history from a unique perspective.

Why The Complete Tacitus Anthology is a Must-Read

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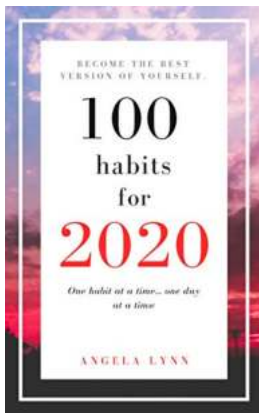


Publius Cornelius Tacitus (AD56 - AD117) was a Roman orator, lawyer and senator. He is considered one of antiquities greatest historians. The surviving

portions of his major works - "The Histories" and "The Annals" - examine the reigns of the Emperors Tiberius, Claudius, Nero and those who reigned in the "Year of the Four Emperors". These two works cover the span of history from the death of Augustus in AD14 to the death of Domitian in 96AD - although much of the later material is lost to history.

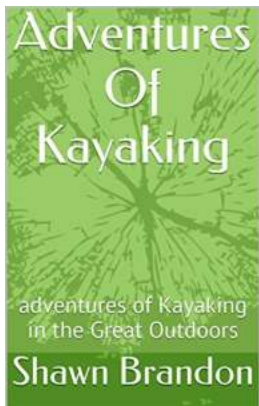
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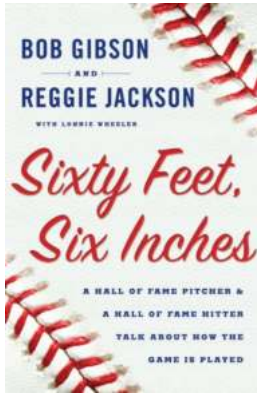
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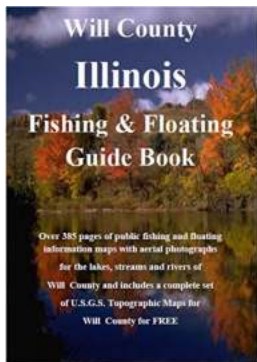
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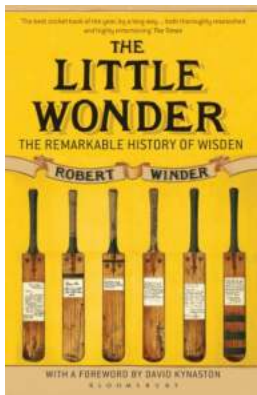
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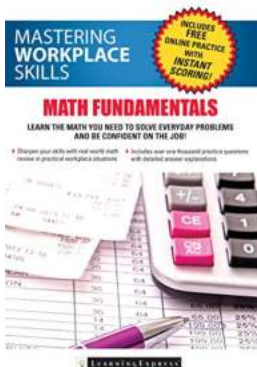
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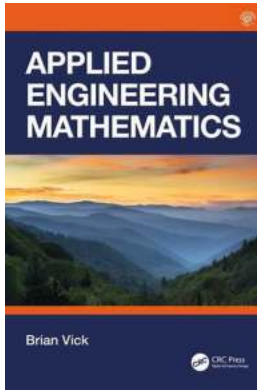
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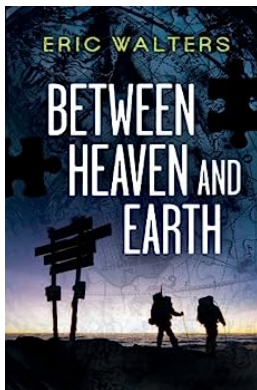
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