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TALKING BOOK TOPICS

If you receive the bimonthly Talking Book Topics catalog, either in large print or on cassette, you will have noticed some changes in that publication. Talking Book Topics now includes a notation of which titles will be available in Digital Book format. The designation for Digital Books is DB. The number for the cassette edition (RC) and the digital (DB) edition of a book is the same. For example Change of Heart is DB 66106 and RC 66106. Talking Book Topics will list a book that is available in both formats with the prefix DB/RC and the number.

BIOGRAPHIES OF FASCINATING PEOPLE


RC/DB 60102  Kit Carson and His Three Wives: A Family History – Carson struggled to be a family man while also following his call to adventure and wanderlust.

RC/DB 58613  Indira: The Life of Indira Nehru Gandhi – Gandhi, India’s first female prime minister served four terms before her assassination in 1984.

RC/DB 58364  Alexander Hamilton – Hamilton was a Treasury Secretary and an author of The Federalist Papers.

RC 49783  Lady Bird: A Biography of Mrs. Johnson – Lady Bird was known for her marriage to President Lyndon Johnson and her roles as mother, businessperson, and conservationist.

RC 52071  Lenin: A biography – Lenin was a writer, revolutionary leader, and founder of the Soviet Union.
Mandela: The Authorized Biography – Mandela led South Africa from apartheid to multicultural democracy and won the Nobel Prize for Peace.

Pocahontas – Pocahontas was the daughter of Powhatan chief who wed early English settler John Rolfe. Grades 6 – 9.

Queen Anne – Queen Anne ruler of Great Britain, struggled abroad with France’s King Louis XIV.

Pablo Neruda: A Passion for Life – Neruda was a poet, Chilean diplomat, and winner of the Nobel Prize for Literature. Some explicit descriptions of sex.

Ulysses S. Grant: Triumph over Adversity – An account focused on the enigmatic Union general nicknamed the “American Sphinx.” Probes his personal and professional lives.

Yeats’s Ghosts: The Secret Life of W. B. Yeats – Yeats, a poet, who won the Nobel Prize for Literature.

Rasputin: The Saint Who Sinned – Rasputin was a monk who advised Russia’s imperial family. Strong language and descriptions of sex.

Leonardo da Vinci: Flights of the Mind – da Vinci was a Renaissance artist, philosopher and scientist.

Lost World of James Smithson: Science, Revolution, and the Birth of the Smithsonian – Smithson bequeathed his fortune to the United States – a country he had never seen – to create an institution that would promote knowledge among men.
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